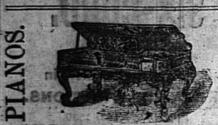
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Tuesday Morning, March 8, 1870. WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

SAURDAY, Feb. 26, 1870. SENATE. BILLS PASSED, &C. Senate Bill No. 96, authorizing the sale of

the parsonage property belonging to Zion's P. E. church, of Charlestown. SECOND READING.

Senate Bill No. 107, amending the Registry

1. Every registrar shall register any perso claiming to be a qualified voter in the township or ward in which he resides, who shall take and subscribe, or offer to take and subscribe, the following outh, to wit: "I, A. B. do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I have not since the first day of June, 1861, given voluntary aid or assistance to the rebellion against the United States, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution of this State." Nor shall any person be stricken from the register by the Board of Registration unless proven not to be a qualified voter, under the Constitution, by proper evidence thereof produced before them after due notice to him of the facts alleged

2. So much of chapter three of the Code of West Virginia as is inconsistent with this act, is hereby repealed. The question being on ordering the bill to a third reading, Mr. Boreman demanded the

against him.

ayes and nays. Mr. Cather, of Gilmer, explained that he came to this Senate as a "let up." He had supported every measure looking to that end except the modification of the registration law. That he had voted against. He had agreed to let the registration law stand with the understanding that the Senate would adopt the Flick amendment. With this understanding he should have to vote against the present striking out the word "white."

.Mr. Davis said that this bill, as is well known to Senators who have taken the trouble to read it, makes but two changes. One of these is that no man shall be stricken from the registration lists without proof against him. The registrars in our neighborhood require a man to prove his innocence. They do. not attempt to prove him guilty. I doubt if Mr. President could prove his loyalty if his name was stricken from the lists, and vet. none of us doubt it. There is also a slight change in the form of the oath. When party spirit ran high men were stricken from the registration lists and cannot vote to-day. though they may have carried muskets and knapsacks in the Union army. We owe this change to ourselves; we owe it to the country. We are the last of all the States to continue this proscriptive policy. Why is it that we !their dearest right of suffrage? In all the Border States men who advocate the disfranchisement of their fellow men are in the minority. Let me read you what Horace Greely says, and he is pretty good Republican

"Every year one thousand of your rebels" die, and one thousand (or more) of their sons become of age. You can't disfranchise them. You have five thousand majority. Six years at furthest will convert this into a rebel majority of one thousand. Then the rebels will e cufranchised in spite of you. \* \*

Go your own way, and see if the rebels don't have you under foot in less than six years. "I speak from wide experience, when I tell you that your house is built on the sand .-Every year will see the passion of the war cool, and the demand for amnesty strengthened. Now you can amnesty the rebels .-Soon the question will be, shall they amnesty

you? Look at Kentucky and Maryland and read your certain fate in theirs." That's the voice of one of our leaders two years ago. Now let us see how his prejuditions are verified. In 1866 the Republican majority was between twelve and thirteen thousand, in 1868 it was about six thousand and last fall the vote was very nearly equal. The day Greely predicted is upon you. people are demanding a change and that

change you must give them. Last fall men were elected to this Senate and to the House of Delegates on what is known as the "let up" platform. I will not say that some of them have, to use a common expression, "gone, back" on their promises, but I will say that since they came here they have found cause to change their opinions .-I tell you, sir, unjust and arbirary laws will return with interest to plague the inventors. Suppose next year a Governor of different political opinions from the present one should be elected, and he should appoint Boards of registration to carry out his views, and they should strike from the lists the name of every Senator here, where is your remedy? There are, to-day, about 15,000 men deprived of suffrage by the will of Boards of Registration. This is an outrage, sir, it is not republican, it is unjust and contrary to the spirit of our in-

stitutions. Mr. Cather, of Gilmer, still further explained his position. He said he had pledged himself to vote for the repeal of three test oaths, and to amend the constitution so as to permit the disfranchised to vote: He claimed he had kept all his pledges, though he cannot vote for any amendment of the registration law.

Mr. Phelps had no apologies or explanafavor it to the end. This bill does not propose to let any one vote whom the constitution says shall not vote, but it proposes to compel the Board of Registration to permit every man to vote who can, under the constitution exercise the right of suffrage in this State .-We are interested in this as a party. Can we go before the people and, say we have submitted to you a proposition to amend the constitution to allow rebels to vote, but we refused to compel registrars, who may disfranchise a man from spite or other cause, who is already entitled to vote under the constitution, to place his name on the registration lists? The constitution says if a man have a discharge in his pocket, he shall not be questioned; yet, under the registration law, the registrar can compel this discharged Union reported a resolution extending the powers of God in some by would prosper laziness.

— Never despise humble services; when though they have the most implicit faith that the large ships run aground, little boats may pull God in some by would prosper laziness.

soldier to prove his loyalty, and if he fail to said committee, and authorizing them to sit prove a negative he is deprived of his right at some suitable place after the close of the to vote. I know of cases where, because a session, and report at the next Legislature. soldier was about to vote for the op his name was stricken from the list and he

It may be said this bill comes from the Democratic side of the house. I don't care where it comes from, it is right, and I can from those commit coners, respectfully arging the Legislature when these laws were codified best further the object of the mission. The I should have opposed that law, for as it now stands it is unequal, oppressive and unjust.—

I can tell my Republican friends here to-day that if they refuse a proposition as fair as this they will drive thousands of men from the Republican restriction.

Bill No. 60, repercing the act locating the Republican party. Let us amend the law .-I do not mean repeal when I say amend .-Every State needs a registration law. Don't let us have a law by which soldiers and honest men who may differ with us politically can be deprived of what we hold to be the dearest right of freemen.

Mr. Wilson read from a letter written by Senator James Cather pledging himself to the voters of his District to vote in favor of removing all disabilities and test oaths. Mr. Cather, of Gilmer explained how he came to write the letter. There is but one word in that letter I regret or have to take back, and that is where I say "if the Democratic party will support me." I was in the condition of the Dutchman who got hold of

the turpentine bottle instead of the whisky, "Mein Got, if I could only swaller him pack agin." I never was a Democrat and always have said so. And I am ready to-day to face anything I ever wrote. The question being on the engrossment of

Those voting in the affirmative were Messrs. Applegate, Cook, Davis, Dayton, Patrick, Phelps, Wilson-7.

Those voting in the negative were Messrs. Boreman, Brown, Cather of Taylor, Cather of Gilmer, Crane, Doolittle, Gold, Harman, Humphreys, Koonce, Leonard, Ramsdell, Werninger, Mr. President Farnsworth-14. So the Senate refused to order the bill to a third reading.

House Joint Resolution No. 8, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State, The question being on ordering the reso-

lution to a third reading. Noting in the affirmative were 16, in the pegative 4. So the resolution was ordered to a third

reading. Mr. Beltzhoover appeared at the bar of the Senate and announced that the House of Delegates had passed House Joint Resolution No. 37, providing for the appointment of a commission to run the line between the counties of Clarke and Frederick in Virginia, and Jefferson and Berkeley in West Virginia,-Laid on the table.

Mr. Jackson appeared at the bar of the Senate and announced that the House of Delegates had passed House Joint Resolution No. 39, providing managers for the trial of Judge Nathaniel Harrison.

Mr. Brown presented Joint Resolution No are in this behind the general Government | 28, authorizing the Governor to employ counand all our sister States? Why do we here, seel in certain cases, so as to defend the infive years after the war, still deprive men of terests of the State, counties and municipal corporations in their controversies with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. Adjourned until Monday at 11 o'clock.

> HOUSE OF DELEGATES. House Bill No. 112; amending the law relation to junies, allowing all white males over twenty-one years of age and not over sixty to serve as jurors. The motion to postpone indefinitely was

lost. The vote was then taken on the passage of the bill and stood yeas 30, navs 15. On motion, the announcement of the vote was postponed until the next day of the

THE CAPITAL QUESTION. Mr. Farnsworth moved to take up House Bill No. 46, the Capital bill, and put it on its. passage. Lost; yeas 25, nays 28.

MONDAY, February 28, 1870. SENATE. Mr. Brannon appeared at the bar of the Senate and announced that the House of Delegates had passed Joint Resolution No. 4, extending the powers of the Joint Special tions on freight and passengers by the Balti-Legislature, and to employ a clerk, and asked

the concurrence of the Senate. BILLS, RESOLUTIONS, PETITIONS, AC. By Mr. Young-Senate Joint Resolution No. 24, to provide for taking the sense of the voters of this State on the question of female suffrage. It provides that the question of

female suffrage shall be submitted to the people at the next election. Under a suspension of the rules the resolution was read a second time. The question being "Shall the resolution pass?"

Voting in the affirmative were 11, in the Under the head of Unfinished Business, the consideration of Senate Joint Resolution No. 22, in relation to the trial of Judge Nat.

Harrison, came up. The Chair submitted a communication from Judge Harrison, protesting against the appointment of managers for his trial. The resolution was discussed by Messrs. Boreman, Phelps, Dayton and Farnsworth, the latter exhibiting considerable bitterness. On motion of Mr. Koonce the consideration of the resolution was made the special

order of the day for half-past two o'clock. AFTERNOON SESSION. tions to make. He had favored a modifica- appointing managers on the part of the Sen-Judge Nat. Harrison. After some discussion, the resolution was

amended and adopted. House Joint Resolution No. 8, proposing an amendment to the constitution of this State in regard to suffrage, striking out the word "white." This is what is known as the Flick amendment.] Mr. Young entered his protest against the

word male.

Voting in the affirmative were 17, in the negative 4. So the resolution passed HOUSE OF DELEGATES. Mr. Brannon, from the committee to in-

Bill No. 60, repering the act locating the seat of gove and at Charleston. He contended that le at was irrepealable under the constitution and orther, that if the act was repealed the Ca ital would not remain at Wheeling. The Constitution allowed the Capital to remain at Wheeling only until a permanent seat of government was fixed .-But that had geen fixed last winter at Charleston. To repeal the act of location would set chinery of government into confusion. On motion of Mr. Summers the Senate

bill was rejected. BILLS PASSED. Senate Bill No. 19, amending the act in-

Hailroad Company House Bill No. 17, amending section 13, chapter 45 of the lode so as to allow school ustees to act wi out taking the Test Oath. House Bill \$ . 150, incorporating the henandoah Rive Company.

THE CA TTAL QUESTION. House Bill No. 46, repealing the act locating the seat f go ernment at Charleston, and fixing the Chita at Parkersburg, came up on its final pass ;e. The bill was rejected.

an Brown Again. The Sengte of Jansas has ordered the portrait of John Brown to be hung in the Capitol of the State, side by side with the portrait of Senator Lane. The New York Tri-June, commenting on the late Saint and dragged half de I from the jail to the gallows, there were lot many who recognized in ne man anythin better than a foolhardy fanaticism. Libe il persons in Europe spoke him with rest ectful tenderness, but here the best his swiftest friends could do was to rame elaborate sentences in extenuation. The bellion came, and with a sort of poetic justice it came to bestow upon John Brown a good historical reputation. The facts are the ame, but the smoke and flame of battle have given them a new color. The cruel rigor which was to conserve and consolidate the Slave Power for another generation has so wept it from the face of the earth and the nains. He why sable to look keenly into he future, and standing the aspect which lavery will ass ae in the eyes of the next age, will understand the place which the name John Brown sill take and hold in our annals. His story may become, to a certain extent, tinted by mythical traditions, but his fame will lose neching by that. He may re-

ho danger."

ceive greater ho or than that to which he is

entitled, but of leglect and contem; t he is in

A New Projectile. J. W. H.fl, contefferson, Williams county, own, has i tent indouble shotted projectile, which cla has a shot can be thrown listance of igh or ten miles. He is now at Old Poin by permission of the authorities experiment g with it. The shot is conical, with a bord hasive and a time fuse at the side. In fact, it is a small cannon itself. An eightinch shot fired Saturday weighed 200 pounds before being loaded. - The inner cavity or bore was three and a half inches, and extended some eight inches. Into this cavity was placed a half pound of powder; some tow was then inserted, and then a twelve and a half pound shot. The nozzle is stopped up by a bruss plug in the pieces. The double shot is then placed in a annon and discharged. The fuses are from e to ten seconds. At the committee to investigate alleged discrimina- and discharges de twelve pound shot. The inventor claims that the velocity of the smaller more and Ohio Railroad, permitting said com-mittee to sit after the adjournment of the that is a point be determined. The explosion does not burst the shot, but drives out the plug, as the is no vacuum between the shot and the ne zle. This projectile has now been tested, and is pronounced a success.-The experiments were made by Colonel T. G. Baylor, commanding the arsenal at Fort Monroe, a d a full report will be forwarded to the Chief of Ordunce .- Rich, Enquire.

DESPERATE CASE OF LYNCHING IN ILLI-NOIS .- Chicago February 21 .- Thursday last, at Beardstown, Illinois, a man named Wilcox entered a saloon kept by Yeek & Becker, and in squabble drew a revolver and shot Yeek ad. He then turned and fired at Becker bilicting an ugly and dangerous wound. The murderer was arrested. On Friday Yeek was buried, and there was a large gathering at Beardstown. Just after dusk a crowd of fully five hundred gathered at the jail, entered, and seized a prisoner whom they supposed to be the murderer, get a rope around Dis neck, and then discovered that they had the wrong man.

In the meantime the murderer, who was in another cell and chained to the floor, was made aware of the designs of the mob. He got possession-falan iron bar, and as the lead-The special order of the day being the con- ers of the month roposed to open the cell door sideration of Senate Joint Resolution No. 22, he warned the that he would sell his life dearly. This produced a tion of the registration law, and expected to ate and House of Delegates for the trial of change of action but did not defeat the purpose of the leaders. A pistol-shot through the head of the murderer killed him. The body was taken out of doors and hung by the neck to a tree.

> SEVE YEARS DEAD, YET LIVETH .- Mr Samuel Harris, a mechanic of this place, says tha at the battle of Gettysburg he was told his brother had been killed. He secured the bod, and b ried it, digging the grave with a rak. He lever doubted his brother,s been obliged to sleep with corsets on and tight-death while a would night since, when his ened to the last notch; for the loosening gave brother surprse, all parties by walkig in. such pain, internally, that she could not bear Bristol News.

The John Brown Baid.

Secret History of Last Memorable E Brown and five of his men arrived in troit with fourteen slaves from Missour the summer of 1858. One of the slaves birth to a male child on the way. The boy was named John Brown, and now was in Windsor. By a strange co-incident, Fred Douglass happened to be lecturing in this city the same evening that Brown arrived. After the lecture the leaders of the insurrectionary movement got together in the house of Wm-Webb, on Congress street, near Antoine street, and arranged the plan for the raid on the South, which broke out prematurely at Ham

POETICAL

Wherever we may roam,
Still to our hearts the dearest spot.
Is round the hearth at home;

Whatever be our earthly lot,

AROUND THE HEARTH.

The home where first we saw the light,
Where sill the dear ones sat,
Where true affection gleamed so bright—
No spot can be like that.

When Northern winds began to blow,
And trees to rock and roar,
When winter piled the drifting snow
Around the caken door,

Twas there we sat and watched the flames, In fairy dreams, tawhile; Our loving mother lisped our marnes, And cheered us with her smile.

And when some little sorrow weighed - would be upon the childish heart,

Till from our brimming eyes it made
The silent tear drops start,

Home ballowed by a mother's love, And by that love kept warm;

Bright promise of a rest above,—
Shelter from every storm.

What wooder, when we roam afar, Pardened with care and fear, That we recall the guiding star! Of Home,—so fond and near!

Alas! the flames bave ceased to glow,

The hearth-stone, too, is cold;
But wintry winds still come and blow,
As in the days of old.

The whitening snows fall thick and fast

Around the oaken door; The chimney shricks the northern blast,

How changed is each remembered scene.
How scattered friends we love!
Few live to say "it might have been,"
The rest have passed above.

Those tender hearts that now are gone

MISCELLANEOUS.

Interesting Relic.

present at the inauguration, and retains a dis-

the proceedings; on which subject her con-

versation is very interesting. The father sub-

sequently went to England, his native place,

and published the debates and proceedings

there, and in consequence was arrested and

thrown into prison, where he remained for a

long time. On his return to this country he

was met by his old friends, who joenlarly

bestowed upon him the honorary title of "jail

bird" for his daring to "beard the Lion in his

bled in the several Churches, with the clergy-

of the respective denominations, to implore

the blessings of Heaven upon the new govern-

ment, its favorand protection to the President,

and success and acceptation to his administra-

from the house of the President, in Cherry

street, through Queen, Great Dock and Broad

streets, to the Federal State House, in the

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Major BICKER ..

The Infantry of the Brigade

Major CHRYSTIE

Sheriff.

Committee of the Senate.

The PRESIDENT

His suite and Assistants

Committee of the House of Representatives.

Hon. Mr. JAY.

Gen. KNOX.

Chancellor LIVINGSTON.

Several gentlemen of distinction.

When within a proper distance of the State

House, the troops formed a line on both sides

of the way, the President passing through

was conducted into the Senate Chamber, and

Immediately after, accompanied by the two

Houses, he was conducted into the gallery

adjoining the Senate Chamber and fronting

Broad st., where, in the presence of an im-

mense concourse of citizens, the Oath pre-

scribed by the Constitution, was administered

to him by the Hon. R. R. LIVINGSTON, Esq.,

PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES,

which was followed by the instant discharge

of 13 cannon, and loud repeated shouts. The

PRESIDENT bowing to the people, the air

again rang with their acclamations: He then

retired with the two Houses to the Senate

Chamber, where he made his inaugural speech.

—A girl in Chester, Vt., died a few days ago from tight lacing. For several months previous to her death this poor victim had

[ West Chester (Pa.) Jeffersonian.

Chancellor of the State of New York

introduced to both Houses of Congress.

About twelve o'clock the procession moved

ed in the "Gazere," is as follows :

administered to the President.

was solemnized.

following order :

But knows the flames no more.

And as the age goes creeping on, Brighter our youth appears;

Seem dearer with the years.

And still, whatever be our lot,

We cherish, as the dearest spot, Around the hearth at home.

herever we may roam,

There, gathered round the blazing fire,

Our sorrows passed away; sch log seemed but a sacred lyre, M Which sang a soothing lay.

Mr. Webb was for years manager of the plug tobacco factory on Jefferson avenue He is now dead. The leading colored pe of Detroit and Chatham were also present the meeting. Douglass objected to Brown's plan, which originally was to make raids an single plantations until he had collected force of about 1,000 slaves, and then swoop down on the larger towns and cities, collecting force and material as he progressed. Brown grew wrathy and asked Douglass if he was a coward, and referred to his successes in Kansas as an arrange of the Viscois constraints. as an augury of the Virginia campaign: Douglass replied tha he was not a coward, and would give material aid to the plan if he ..

did not approve of it, or did not go himself.

George De Baptiste also disapproved of the plan, but proposed a gunpowder plot, by which some fifteen of the largest churches in the South would be blown up on a fixed Sunday. Brown objected to that plan on the score of humanity, asserting that by his plan not a hundred lives would be lost, his intention being not to shed blood unless it became absolutely necessary. De Baptiste still urged radical measures, declaring that Brown's plan would fail, and perhaps cause the loss of a million of lives before the troubles likely to ensue would be ended. He cited in support of his position the fact that the Nat Turner insurrection in 1831, by which fifty three white lives were lost, had had the effect of gusing the next Virginia Legislature to consider a bill for the gradual emancipation of the

slaves, which bill was lost by only two votes. We have in our temporary possession, a Ossawatomie's counsel finally prevailed, and copy of the "Gazette of the United States," the only favor, beside money and advice, that printed at the "seat of Government," and dated he asked of his Detroit friends, was to furnish May 2d, 1789. It contains the proceedings him one man, which they did -a Chathamite. of Congress, the ceremonies and inaugural ad- The news of the disturbance at Harper's dress of Gen. Washington, the first President. Ferry, which took the nation with so much of the United States, and is the property of surprise, was perfectly well understood by the Mary and Elizabeth Lloyd, of Westtown town- colored people of this city. They were anship, this county, maiden ladies, aged respec- ticipating the event since one Faster had tively 84 and 87 years: Thos. Lloyd, the divulged in Washington the plans of Brown father, was the first reporter to Congress, and who, in consequence, was obliged to either was familiar with all the leading men of that abandon his enterprise or precipitate matters, date. The elder of the two daughters, who even at learful odds. He chose the latter

is now blind, was then six years of age, was alternative. The sequel is sufficiently well known .tinet remembrance of the event-the ap-These facts, however, have been kept with pearance of Washington, and the solemnity of sworn secreey, until lately, by the colored men. of Detroit. The particulars have never been published. It may be only necessary to add that subsequent to the meeting at Webb's louse, on Congress street, a meeting was held in Chatham, at which the "cap sheaf" was put on the plan. Now that the negroes are equal, politically, before the law, they have no fear in letting their connection with this affair be known. They glory in it.

A. Type Setting Match.

The account of the proceedings as publish Champion hog killers, sheep dressers, telegraph operators, and champion workers of al-Wednesday, April 29, 1789. The House most every trade, have made good their claim took up the consideration of the resolution of to the title in rival contests, but the chamthe Senate for attending divine service, in St. pion type-setter is yet to be found. From Paul's Church, immediately after the oath is indications, however, the question is not to remains long without solution. George A. Thursday, April 30, agreeably to a resolu-Buber, a compositor on the Cincinnati Comtion of both Houses of Congress, the innuguration of the President of the United States mercial, has published a challenge to the was solemnized. At nine o'clock, A. M., the people assem-

type against any other man for ten consecutive hours, for a purse of \$1,000. This challenge has been accepted by George Arensburg, of the New York Times who has put down the forfeit money. Since the art of type setting has been known, the question of how many type, according to printer's measurement could be set up and corrected in ten hours' time has been an open one, and now that no opportunity is to be given of setting i, the printers of the country will not cease to speculate upon it until the event has passed. It is claimed by those acquainted with these men, that each has set as much as 17,000 ems.of type in ten consecutive hours.

When the reader is informed that 17,000 ems is equal to about 40,000 separate pieces of metal, he will have a base upon which to calculate. To do this, one piece must be lifted in each moment, the time of justifying each line, and transferring each stick full to a galley included. Should the match, take place, and should either perform what it is claimed he can do, is will surpass anything before known of mechanical motion. The test copy is to be a message of the President, run into one solid paragraph, and the type is to be nonpareil.

WONDER OF A WATCH .- There are very few of the many who earry watches who ever think of the complexity of its delicate mechanism, of the extraordinary and unceasing labor it performs. For example: The main wheel makes four revolutions in 24 hours or 1,460 in a year ; the second or centre, 24 revolutions in 24 hours, or 7,760 in a year; the third wheel, 192 in 24 hours, or 69,080 in a year ; the fourth wheel (which carries the second band) 1,449 in 24 hours, or 525,600 in a year; the fifth or scapewell, 12964 in 24 hours, or 4,728,400 revolutions in a year ; while the beats or vibrations made in 24 hours The Chancellor then proclaimed him THE are 388,800,or 141,812,900 in a year.

> - Kind words are the brightest flowers of earth's existence; they make a very paradise of the humblest home that the world can show. Use them, and especially around the fireside circle. They are jewels beyond price, the more precious to heal the wounded heart, and make the weighed down sprit happier than all the other blessings the world can

> A number of counterfeit five cent coi are reported in circulation and are thus described: The motto, "In God we trust," is much larger in the counterfeit than in the genuine. The yellow color of the spurious coin is also another test.

- Why is the nose the leading feature in every one's countenanca? Besause every one must follow it.

#### 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 DATFOF APRIL NEXT, come forward and pay their subscriptions in advance, will be furnished with the Spiritof Jefferson at TWO DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS, for the current year. In making this offer, we wish it to be distinctly nderstood that it will in no case apply to present subscribers who do not pay before that New subscribers will have the benefit the same terms.

#### OUR REPRESENTATIVES.

In former times it was fashionable for the presentative to pay some regard to the will of his constituents, and where this was in doubt; to endeavor to ascertain it, and, if suecessful, to obey it. This principle was supposed to underlise all representative repubcan government, and especially to lie at the ery foundation of our American system.-We are satisfied that our senator and delegate, from this county, in the West Virginia Legislature; must have discarded entirely this rule of representative conduct, otherwise we should. not find the one committing the State to a dishonorable and dishonest line of policy in regard to the public debt, nor should we find the other defeating the bill retaining the capital at Wheeling.

In the Secate, last week, Mr. Koonce moved to affix as a provise to the bill appointing commissioners to meet those recently appointed by Virginia to settle the common State debt, an instruction that they shall not proceed to consider the adjustment of the question, until Virginia shall withdraw her suit against West Virginia in reference to the counties of Jefferson and Berkeley. We should like to know in what school of political ethics Mr. Koonce received his training. The moral aspect of his proposition may be more clearly apprehended by applying the facts to individual transactions. What would be thought of one partner who, after the dissolution, should refuse to pay his fair proportion of the debts of the firm? If such conduct is considered disbionorable in an individual, it is equally so in a State, and we are satisfied that a majority of the voters of Jefferson and Berkeley, if they were consulted, would refuse to sanction the policy and course of Mr. Koonce. We believe and charge that he is misrepresenting them.

#### REMOVAL OF THE CAPITAL.

What possible rational motive could have influenced the Legislature to select Charleston as the future Capital of the State, we have never been able to conjecture. We know of no recommendation which that village possesses, except absolute inaccessibility, which would probably commend it in time of war .-Unless a railroad has been constructed since 1866, there is none leading thither from any point whatever. On the East it is entirely shut in by mountains, and on the West it is much more accessible to Ohio and Kentucky, than to West Virginia. When, therefore: Mr. Beltzhoover changed his vote and thereby defeated the bill to repeal the act making Charleston the permanent seat of government, he misrepresented his constituents, who, almost to a man, desire the capital to remain at Wheeling. This he should have known, and if he were in doubt, he should have taken some steps to ascertain. To suppose that they wish to make Charleston the capital, and to be burdened with all the expenses incident to a removal, is to suppose them wanting in common intelligence. The only possible excuse for Mr. Beltzhoover is that he has not resided in the State long enough to understand its geography. We give him due credit for conservatism, and cleverness in his course hitherto, but certainly he has rendered himself, in this instance, responsible for a very grave blunder, which may cost enough to counterbalance all the good which he may be able to accomplish in his whole future political

## THE DECLINE OF GOLDA

The downward tendency in the price of gold. says the New York Herald, particularly the decline within the last few days, begins to make the cotton and sugar brokers, the dry goods merchants who have a large stock on hand, and debtors generally, to quake. Prices must fall, and, in fact, are falling, and those who have large payments to make of debts contracted under the former state of things, may find it very hard to realize the means. It will be wise, then, to look out for the breakers ahead, and to prepare, if posible, against a wreck. It is impossible to see at present how far this downward tendency of gold may go, or to calculate upon the possibility of a reaction, and, therefore, prudent business men should work up all their resources and be ready for coming events.

## LEGISLATURE ADJOURNED.

The Legislature of 1870 completed its session on Thursday night, and adjourned sine die. A large amount of important legislation, says the Wheeling Register, was left unfinished for want of time. The discussions and struggles pertaining to the Capital and registration questions engaged so much attention and occupied so many days that bills of considerable moment could not possibly be matured. Notwithstanding the marked ability of this body, as compared with previous Legislatures, it cannot be said that in the business cone popular expectation has been satisfied.

A prepared estimate of the probable population of the United States on the Ist of June next, when the taking of the decennial census vill be commenced, gives it as of over 9,000,000.

#### CORBUPTION IN CONCRESS

The names of the members and ex-mem bers of Congress who have been implicated in selling cadetships for money, are John Covode, (Pennsylvania), Solomon L. Hoge, (South Carolina carpet-bagger), John T. Deweese (North Carolina carpet-bagger), Roderick R. Butler, (Tennessee), B. F. Whittemore, (South Carolina carpet-bagger), J. H. Sypher, (Lousiana carpet-bagger), W. Ji. Blackburn, (Lousiana carpet-bagger). and S. N. Pettis, (Pennsylvania).

These are all "truly loyal," and genuine "advanced Republicans," and those marked carpet-baggers are fair average specimens of that class. They pretend to represent the Southern people, and the so called reconstruction laws, and their authors, are responsible for filling all the offices in the South with just such characters. The State of West Virginia is full of such creatures in office, but the day of their speliation and triumph will soon be at an end. Incompetency, ignorance, and foreign birth, will soon cease to be pass-ports to office. The fate of Nat. Harrison should be a warning to the class who flattered themselves that intolerance, vindictiveness, and proscription would give them indefinite immunity for their crimes and outrages.

#### RAILROAD MATTERS.

We take the following extract from an article in the Franklin Repository, published at Chambersburg, Pa., one of the most influential newspapers in the Cumberland Val-

We have the pleasure of informing our readers that the charter for the last link in the great Southern Railroad from New York to New Orleans, via Chambersburg, was obtained from the West. Virginia Legislature on the 18th ult. The friends of the Charlestown and Luray Valley route, who have been working earnestly for the extension of the Cumberland Valley Railroad through their portion of West Virginia, have this charter how in their possession. Mr. J. B. McElrov, who was one o the earliest advocates of this route, and W. H. Travers, Esq of Charlestown, visited Judge Watts last Friday, and had a very satisfactory, interview with him. Mr. McElroy called on his return. He stated that this route through the Luray Valley is ten miles shorter than the Martinsburg and Winchester route, and has the additional advantage of passing through several rich counties that are as yet undeveloped. The land in these counties is limestone, and iron ore has been discoverd in great quantities. It is also said that the public has: not been fully informed of many other reasons for adopting this route in the extension of the Cumberland Valley Railroad, and that erroneous impressions have been made against it. If this is the case, the Luray Valley people should be heard, and with that object in view, we will, in a short time, give some facts in relation to this matter that have been presented to the citizens on this side of the Potomac.

The question of a continuous railroad through this Valley by the way of "the Charlestown and Luray, route" has been already thoroughly discussed in the columns of the Spirit of Jefferson. We have shown, by statistics published in this paper, that Jefferson county is annually paying fifty thousand dollars in excessive railroad freight and fare, and no remedy can be found short of the construction of the Shenandoah Valley Railroad.

We have shown, by facts and figures, that the Charlestown and Luray route is the only natural route for a through road with good

Having obtained the charter through West Virginia, the Shenandouh Valley Company will be organized on the 14th instant. The Jefferson county subscription of \$250,000 will be voted upon on the 31st instant. Clarke and Warren will speedily subscribe their \$200,000, and ere long the Shenardoah Valley Railroad will be a success-a stimulas to our agriculture and manufactures, and beneficial to all classes.

The Luray Valley Railroad- Winchester Come to Grief .- From the last Winchester Times we clip the following :-

"The House of Delegates has thought proper to strike 'Winchester' from the title of the Charter asked for by our citizens, and wherever the odious name occured in the body of the document, to eject it summarily, unless accompained by the talis-manic words, or

## THE FALL OF THE MIGHTY.

The impeachment proceedings in the case of NAT HARRISON were brought to a sudden and unfortunate termination on Tuesday, by the resignation of that individual. We say "unfortunate," says the Wheeling Register, because the revelations incident to a trial, the unutterable rascality and rottenness which it would have brought to light, could not but have had a salutary effect upon the public mind. Knowing the consequences of making bare the secrets of "loyalty" in the Greenbrier region and acting doubtless under advice from influential Republican quarters, HARRISON has made at the same time a confession and an escape by his resignation. The verdict of the Legislature is avoided. The verdict of public opinion he cannot escape. He goes into private life with the seal of public condemnation upon him, and with the assurance that just in proportion as his deeds of partisan devotion have been mean and dirty, so will his degradation be deep and damning.

Secretary Boutwell has ordered that the alternate weekly sale of \$1,000.000 of gold and purchase of the same amount of bonds be continued during March, and also that on alternate weeks a like amount of bonds be purchased for the special fund.

The bill enabling the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to subscribe \$1, 000,000 to the capital stock of the Valley Railroad of Virginia has passed both Houses of the Maryland Legislature.

THE "BLACK FLAG" RAISED IN CUBA. Our Havana correspondent writes that the Cubans have begun to retaliate in kind on the Spaniards. General Quesada, before he was superseded by General Jordan, ordered all the prisoners within his immediate command to be shot, and one hundred and thirty-five Spaniards were quickly sent to their last homes.-When Jordan took command he shot three

# WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE.

Tuesday, March 1, 1870. SENATE.

nication was received fro Nathaniel Harrison, and with it two letter one from each of his counsel, withdrawing from the management of his case.

Mr. Young moved to lay on the table and

Pending the discussion of the question the following message was received by the Governor:

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA. EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT. WHEELING, March 1, 1870. Hon. D. D. T. Farnsworth, President of the

SIR :- It becomes my duty to inform the Liegislature that I received from Nathaniel Harrison, at 10 o'clock and 15 minutes this morning, his resignation as Judge of the Seventh Judicial Circuit, and have accepted

W. E. STEVENSON, Governor. The following accompanied the Governor's

WHEELING, WEST VAL. March 1st, 1870. To His Excellency Wm. E. Stevenson, Gov-

ernor of West Virginia:
DEAR SIR:—I respectfully tender to you my resignation as Judge of the Seventh Judicial Circuit of West Virginia, to take effect immediately, and request your acceptance Yours Respectfully,

N. HARRISON. Received and accepted at 101 o'cleck, March 1st, 1870.

W. E. STEVENSON, Governor. Mr. Davis moved to fay the whole matter on the table. Lost. After considerable parliamentary skirmishing the Senate ordered the printing of Mr.

Harrison's letter and accompanying docu-By Mr. Davis-Senate Joint Resolution No. 26, raising a joint committee of two on the part of the Senate and three on the part of the House to confer with the commissioners appointed by the State of Virginia in relation

to the public debt of that State. On motion of Mr. Davis, the rules were suspended and the resolution was passed, and Messrs. Davis and Boreman were appointed as the committee on the part of the Senate.

BILLS PASSED, &C. House Bill No. 87, to permit the trustees of Zion P. E. Church of Charlestown to sell

their parsonage property. House Bill No. 110, to permit constables o receive fee bills for collection, and collect the same by distress.

AFTERNOON SESSION. Mr. Brannon appeared at the bar of the Senate and announced that the House of Delegates had passed House Joint Resolution No. 42, appointing two additional members of the committee appointed to confer with the commissioners appointed on the part of the State of Virginia in regard to her State debt. and asked the concurrence of the Senate. The resolution was adopted, and Mr Ramsdell appointed the member of the committee on the part of the Senate.

SECOND READING. House Bill No. 150, to incorporate the Shenandoah River Company, was laid upon the table. Senate Bill No. 35, to change the time of solding court in the Sixth Judicial Circuit.

was taken from the table and passed. HOUSE OF DELEGATES. A message from the Senate announced the passage by that body of Senate Joint Resoluion for submitting the question of female suffrage to a vote of the people at the next election. The resolution was tabled-yeas 30,

The Speaker announced a communication from Judge Nathaniel Harrison: Letters referred to in this communication advised Judge Harrison that the counsel could not do the defense justice in the limited time allowed them, and therefore withdrew from

A motion to table and print was adopted. Messrs. Jackson and Carpenter, a committee appointed to inquire of the Governor as to the truth of Harrison's registration, returned with a letter from him to the Governor, resigning intradiately his position as Judge of the Seventh Circuit, and a message from the Executive announcing his acceptance of the

A message from the Senate announced the assage by that body of a Joint Resolution aising a Joint Committee to confer with the Virginia Commissioners for the adjustment of the State debt, and the appointments of Messrs. Dayis and Boreman on the part of the Senate. After a lengthy discussion the resolution was concurred in, and Messrs, Davis, Boreman and Pierpoint appointed on the part of the House.

AFTERNOON SESSION. By Mr. Brannon-A joint resolution appointing Mr. Lamb on the part of House and in additional member from the Senate on the committee to confer with the commissioners from Virginia.

#### WEDNESDAY, March 2, 1870. SENATE.

The consideration of Senate Joint Resolution No 25, providing for an extension of the ession being the special order of business, Mr. Phelps moved that the resolution be laid upon the table. Carried. BILLS PASSED, &C.

House Bill No. 108, to change the number of Steuben Lodge of the German order of Hori Gori at Martinsburg from 36 to 69. Senate Bill No. 116, to provide for the

organization of the Militia of this State. Senate Bill No. 117, to amend section of chapter 62 of the Code in relation to catching fish, prohibiting the catching of fish. except with hook and line, weirs or fish pots between the first day of June and the fifteenth day of September.

Senate Bill No. 13 was received from the House with an amendment. The bill is the one authorizing railroads to be built within twenty feet of any building, and the amendment excepts cities and towns. The amendment was concurred in.

AFTERNOON SESSION. Mr. Lamb appeared at the bar of the Se and announced that the House had passed House Joint Resolution No. 44, relating to lately removed by Congress: the adjustment of the public debt with the commissioners appointed for the purpose by the State of Virginia.

The resolution was laid upon the table. The Senate took a recess until half-past seven o'clock this evening.

EVENING SESSION. Mr. Koonce moved to take from the table House Joint Resolution No. 44, relative to appointing commissioners to confer with the commissioners of Virginia in regard to the debt of that State. Carried.

Mr. Koonce offered as a substitute a resolution directing the Governor to appoint three 40,800,000. This is an increase since 1860 on both sides now, and a war of extermination has set in.—New York World.

adjustment of the State debt of Virginia, lic Church to a moast unrestrained examination when the suit of Virginia against West Virginia.

bem to report their action to the Gov

Messrs. Boremap, Cather of Gilmer, Grane, Davis, Gold, Harmen, Humphreys, Koonce, Jeonard, Werninger and Mr. President Farns-

Those voting in the negative were Messrs. Applegate, Cather of Taylor, Cook, Dayton, Patrick, Phelps, Ramsdell and Wilson—8.
So the substitute was adopted. HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

THE CAPITAL QUESTION. Senate Bill No. 60, repealing the act lo-ating the seat of government at Charleston, ame up as unfinished business. The Speaker announced the question to be upon Mr. Summers' motion to reject the bill Mr. Lamb demanded the previous question,

and the main question was ordered to be put.

The House refused to reject the bill—yeas 26, nays 28. AFTERNOON SESSION.

Mr. Cracraft moved that Senate Bill No 60 be now read the second time. On this the previous question was demanded. The main question was ordered by a vote of 28 to Mr. Cracraft's motion to have the bill read

second time was then lost by a tie vote. Upon the first calling of the roll Mr. Beltzhoover voted aye, but before the announcement changed his vote, thus defeating the second reading. Thus ended the movement to repeal the act making Charleston the permanent seat of

government.

#### THURSDAY, March 3, 1870.

SENATE: Mr. Lamb appeared at the bar of the Senate and announced that the House of Delegates had disagreed to Senate substitute for House Joint Resolution No. 44, providing for the appointment of commissioners to confer with commissioners of the State of Virginia in relation to the public debt of that State, and

had appointed a committee of conference. Senate Bill No. 97, to amend chapter 10 of the acts of 1867, so as to extend the time for the erection of a bridge by the Maryland and Virginia Bridge Company over the Potomac river at Shepherdstown was passed under a suspension of the rules.

The President signed the enrolled bills. The Senate adjourned sine die. HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

THE FIFTEENTH AMENDMENT. Mr. Howard called up the joint resolution revoking the assent of West Virginia to the Fifteenth Amendment. On this the year and

navs were demanded. Voting in the affirmative were 19, in the

So the resolution was taken up. The previous question being ordered, Mr. Pierpoint called on all Republicans to leave the House. The Republican members, with one or two exceptions, then withdrew to the lobby, from which they denounced the calling up of the resolution as an act of bad faith on the part of the Democrats, and a mean advan-tage taken of the Republican party. The same members returned to vote on a motion to table, and again retired when the Chair was about to put the main question. This alternate movement from one side to the other of the bar was repeated several times, creating considerable merriment. A call of the House showing that no quorum was present, Mr. Welch, on behalf of the Republicans, appealed to Mr. Howard to allow his resolution to go to the table, so that the business of the House might proceed. To this Mr. Howard finally consented, and the Republican members resumed their seats and calmed their agitation. After some little minor business, the House adjourned sine die.

## The Amendment Passed

The joint resolution proposing to amend the State Constitution so as to enlarge the suffrage by recognizing the right of the negro, and by restoring the right of the ex-Confederate; to the exercise of the elective franchise, was vesterday adopted by the Senate, by the decided vote of 18 to 4. Only three Republicans voted against it. It was adopted by the House last Thursday, by a vote of 36 to 18. This completes the adoption of the measure by the present Legislature. It now goes down to the people for their consideration pending the election of the next Legislature, before whom it will come for concurrence or rejection.

As it will be a subject of interest and discussion, we reproduce it here, for present information and future reference. The provision of the constitution by which suffrage is now regulated is section 1, of Article III, as fol-

"The white male citizens of the State shall be entitled to vote at all elections held within the election districts in which they respectively reside; but no person who is a minor, or of unsound mind, or a pauper, or who is under conviction of treason, felony, or bribery in an election, or who has not been a resident of the State for one year, and of the county in which he offers to vote for thirty days, next preceding such offer, shall be permitted to vote while such disability continues. No person who, since the first day of June, 1861, has given, or shall give, voluntary aid or assistance to the rebellion against the United States, shall be a citizen of this State, or be allowed to vote at any election therein, unless he has volunteered into the military or naval service of the United States, and has been, or shall be, honorably discharged therefrom."

The concluding sentence of the foregoing, which we have placed in italics, was added to the original section by the amendment which took effect May 24, 1866.

This measure proposés in lieu of the section as it now stands in the constitution (and above printed), to substitute the original section before it was amended only dropping from it the word "white." The effect is to strike out 'white" and the clause added, for the disfranchisement of Confederates, in 1866. The parts to be stricken out by the amendment now proposed are printed in italics, in the section as above quoted : so that its operation is seen at a glance .- Wheeling Intelligencer.

DISABILITIES REMOVED .- The following are the names of the Virginians in the adjacent portion of the State whose disabilities were

Frederick .: Joseph S. Carson, Joseph H. Sherrard, John F. Wall, C. A. B. Coffroth, George W. Ward, Henry M. Brent, Jr., Wm. L. Bent, Abraham Nulton, Joseph L. Pitman and Robert B. Holliday. Clarke: John L. Morgan, Lewis F. Glass, Israel Green, Israel Gresham and Joseph F.

Warren: Ewell Baker, Giles Cook, Joseph Flournoy, M. T. Fristow, L. Leach, William Scroggins and Green B. Samuels.

- A Radical member of the Pennsylvania Legislature has introduced a bill, the object commissioners on the part of this suit, who of which is to subject all Nunneries and hundred prisoners. The black flag is flying | shall proceed to consider the matter of the Convents under the supervision of the Catho-

ast, about 1k o'clock, a negro rode up to the nouse of a gentleman living some two or three niles from Millwood, and pretended to deliver a message, that his daughtem living in Millwood, had become suddenly ill, and rene to her; this the sister proceeded imme-

come to her; this the sister proceeded immediately to put in execution, only accompanied by a little brother. Fortringtely a gentleman in the house thou at it by to accompany her, which probable prevents a terrible catastrophe, as the cidden sixtness was a mere pretence, and wile the party were on their way to Millwood the negro rode a little ahead and tying his horse, which had been taken from the stable of Mr. Estep, availed himself of the darkness to escape. It was found on arriving at Millwood that no such message had been sent, and we be left to conjecture had been sent, and we be left to conjecture the vile intent of the fi set messenger.

Only a short time age a respectable colored woman at the Post had been taken off on a

#### MARRIED.

aution - Clarke Courier

similar message, but, suspecting foul play, effected her escape in the dark. We have

thought it best to make this public as a pre-

In Shepherdstown, on Thur day last, by Rev. H. Wissler, Mr. MICHAEL, WE, SH to Miss MOLLIE HOWARD—both of Jefferson louaty.

On the 2d inst., in Shept dstown, by Rev. H. Wissler, Mr. JOHN POLL to Miss REBECCA JENKINS—all of this county. On the lst inst., in Miliwid I, by Rev. J. R. Jones, THEODORE BROWN. Est.) of Louisville, Kv., to Miss SUSAN PALE MEAUL, daughter of Philip N. Mende, Eaq. . Clarke co nty. In Darkesville, in the 24 h bit. by Rev. W. G. Cross, Mr. JAMP DILLO , of Baltimore, to Miss SALLIE M. SW. LEY, of Barkeley county.

### DIED.

On Saturday last, at her residence near Charlestown, Mrs. MARY S. HURST, consort of the late William Hurst, in the 74th year of her age.

On the 22d ult, at the residence of his parents near Staunton, WALTER MEWS OPIE, infant son of John N and Isabella Opie At the residence of Mr. Milleary, near Summit Point, on the 23d ult., of Consumption, Mrs. CAR-RINE MORRISON, wife of J.B. Morrison, Eq. At the residence of her son in Lafayette county, Missourl, on the 15th ult., of Pulnionary Consumption, Mrs. HARRIET MOSS O'BANNON, relict of the late Bryant O'Bannon and daughter of the late Win. Hurst, of this county, aged 65 years. In Martineburg, on the 25th ult., of Consumption. Miss EMMA McCOWN, aged 17 years. In Martinsburg, on the 26th ult., MARY JIZZIE MOXLEY, eldest daughter of Samuel and Margaret Moxley, aged 6 years.

#### At Begington, Berkeley county, on the 26th ult. JOHN, son of Hamilton Light, aged 16 years. -SPECIAL NOTICES

The Serson and its Dangers. The human bod is chiefly composed of tissues and fibres as sens ye to every change in the condition of the atme there as the most delicate elec-Tonstunach, the skin, the nerves, the lungs, and the exceed by these friations, and the best defence against their Jisa has tendency is to keep the digestive machiner; which fellis and nourishes the
whole system, in hod works yorder.

If the samach haveak or disordered, neither the
blood nor the biledan be in a healthy state, and
upon the fitness of these two inportant fluids for the
offices assigned to them by in ture, and the regularity of their flow, health in a great measure depends.

When the air is figavily laden with chilling vapors, as it often is at this season of the year, the digration should be an object of negutiar care. It is

gestion should be an object of peculiar care. If it is weak and languid, the whole physical structure will be enervated. If it is vigorous, the entire organiza-tion will be strong to resist the untoward and deressing influence of a damp and vitiated atmos-A pure and pow ful tonic is therefore especially needed as a safer and against the discases mocommon in the spi g. and Hostetter's Stomach Bitters oeing the mos wholesome and potent medicine of the classat pres it known, a course of it is par-ticularly advisable t this period of the year. The stomach will the ray be toned and strengthened. the liver and bowe regulated, the nervous system braced up, and native defence against the it, some which superinduces internittent and remitte t levers, rheumatisms, nervous debility, headache a ypochondria, and other com-plaints which are an to assail the untoned and unortified organizations. The body is strengthened without exciting the brain, and consequently no un-ple sant reaction lo waits reviving and renovating March 1, 1870.

#### CARD. A Clergyman, with residuig in South America as

missionary, discousted a sale and simple remedy for the Cure of Nersons 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. Proinpted by a desire to benefit the afflicted and unfortunate. I will send the recipe for preparing and using this medicine, in a sealed envelope, to any one who needs it. Free of Charge. Address JOSEPH T INMAN. Station D. Bible House, New York City. October 5, 1869-6n. TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The Advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks, by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several year with a severe lung affection, and that dread diseas. Consumption - is anxious to make known to his ellow-sufferers the means of To all who desire he will send a copy of the

prescription used, (1 to of charge.) with the directions for preparing a dusing the same, which they will find a sume Cumeron Consumerton. Asthma, Brenchitts, etc. The object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable; and he hoofs every sufferer will try his sending to the sum of the sufferer will try his sending to the sum of the sum remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may Parties wishing the prescrivion, will please ad-ress Rev. EDWARD A. WILSON,

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

A Gentleman who suffered for years from Nerous Debility, Premiture Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send ree to all who need it, the ceipt and directions or making the simple remains by which he was cut at Sufferers wishing to profit y the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing, with perfect con dence, FIGHN B. OGDEN. Nov. 30, 1869-1y No 4 Cedarst., New York. NEWADVERTSEMENTS

# 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, March 8, 1870-tf.

#### NOTICE. MEETING of the Stockbollers 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.

full attendance if desired . S. V. YENTIS, President. ISAAC FOURE, Sectory. EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. AVING qualified as Executor of the late Martha

S. Lake, all parties indebied to her are hereby notified to come forward and self-leat once. Parties having claims against said estate will present them. perly authenticated, for set lement. F. W. DEEW. Executor F. W. DEEW. Executor, With the will annexed of Martha S. Lake. March 8, 1870-3t, F. P.

A LARGE and complete stock of Cook Stoves of the most approved kinds, fitted up with furni-ture of our own manufacture, de sale by March 8. Md URDY & DUKE. TINWARE of all kinds of hand and manufac-tured to order, for merchands and others. Roofing, Spouting and Repairing of Smptly done.

March 8. MGC PRDY & DUKE. 100 KEGS Nails, 50 kegs frome-Shoes, and an additional supply of Hardware, just received and for sale by McCURDY & DUKE. ,500 FEET Window Glass of good quality, March S. AISQUITH & WASHINGTON. KOSKOO, the great Blood Cleanser, for sale by AISQUITH & WASHINGTON. CEA Moss Farine for making Blanc Mange, Puddings, Pies, &c.. just received March 8. AISQUITH & WASHINGTON.

GROUND Plaster, for sale by LAW. HOOFF. NORWAY, Nova Scotis and Black Oats, for sale KEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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March 8, 1870. JAS. LAW. HOOFF.

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WILL sell at my residence near the "Old Fur-MONDAY, 28th day of MARCH, 1870,

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#### One TOP BUGGY AND HARNESS llousehold & Aitchen Furniture.

and a variety of other articles. TERMS OF SALE .- Six Months credit, the purchaser giving bond with appreved security, for all uns of \$10 and over; under that amount Cash .--No property to be removed until terms of sale are OS-Sale to begin at 10 o'clock, A. M.

March 8, 1870. DESIRABLE COUNTRY RESIDENCE FOR SALE.

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## COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

BY virtue of a decree of the C'reuit Court of Jef-D ferson 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 in Charlestown, on

SATURDAY. 19th day of MARCH, 1870, at 12 o'clcck, M., the Dwelling-House, occupied by the said defendant, and ONE ACRE OF GROUND attached thereto. The said House is situated about two miles from

Lectown, and is new and in good condition. TERMS OF SALE-CASH. WM. H TRAVERS, March 8, 1870- 2t. AMERICAN SEWING MACHINE CO.,

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March 8, 1870-tf.

J. W. TRIPLETF

ing the Blacksmith Shop of Mr. Hiram O'Ban-

non, in Charlestown, is prepared to Make and Re-

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THIS is a very simple little arrangement to at-

tach to Coffee 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 tore of McCURDY & DUKE. T/OSKQO-Another wonderfu! enre for all dis-A eases of the Liver, Kidneys, or Nervous Affections. just received and for sale by W. S. MASON.

the Hair-manufactured by Mesara. Faulkner & Craighill, of Lynchburg, just received and for sale 2,000 FEET prime Window Glass, cheap for W. S. MASON'S. PAINTS. - I have just ret-lenished 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.
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SHOE Findings, for sale by JAS. LAW. HOOFF. CHURNS, for sale by JAS. LAW. HOOFF. WAGON, Carriage and Riding Whips. for sale JAS. LAW. HOOFF. W'ASHING Machines and Wringers, for sale by March S. JAS. LAW. HOOFF:

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March 8. JAS. LAW. HOOFF. ULLUM Ploughs, for sale by March 8. JAS. LAW. HOOFF.

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February 8, 1570.

LOCAL MISCELLANY.

REMOVAL -Being desirous of getting larger and more convenient place for our ofice, we have rented the fine room in Maj. Hooff's new building, adjoining "Lee Hall," and will move there this week. We regret by this change to lose our estimable neighbors. W. S. Mason and Henry Dumm, but feel assured that with Maj. Hooff and Dr. Cordell in such close proxemity, we will get a fair

Our patrons then, will find us hereafter at the new building opposite the Carter House

BAPTIST FAIR .- The Baptist Fair in Martinsburg closed Tuesday night. Its proceeds will not near a thousand dollars. The following is the result of the contest for articles voted off during the Fair, in which parties from our county were either successful or received very flattering votes :-Riding Horse

Dr. J. McSherry, Dr. Mason, of Charlestown, Bay Filly.

Miss Millie Mong, Miss Moore, of Charlestown, · Silk Quilt.

Mrs. Files, of Jefferson, Mrs. Dr. Wilson,

1.308.

1,015.

Votes.

180.

TROTTER'S STAGE LINE .- Those industrious and energetic stagers in the Valley of Virginia, Messrs. Trotter, have increased and quickened their traveling facilities between Harrisonburg and Staunton. Passengers can now start in the morning at 4 o,clock from either Harrisburg or Staupton, and take the cars of the Chesapeake & Ohio R. R. at Stautton, or those of the O., A. & M. R. R. at Harrisonburg. This will obviate the necessity of passengers remaining over night at either place. The old mail arrangements still continue, the stages leaving both places in the afternoon after the arrival of the cars.

PERSONAL .- We observe from the Stannton papers that Thos. D. Ranson, Esq., formerly of this place has been appointed a Notary Public for Augusta county. Mr. R. is a young lawyer of fine intellect and ability, andfrom private sources, we understand, is rising rapidly in his profession—the bar of Augusta | away with the whirl and magic of the step. being one of the first in the State of Virginia. Mr. R. isa law partner with Hon. A. H. H.

BURKE'S WEEKLY FOR BOYS AND GIRLS. This elegant juvenile is the best of its kind, and is peculiarly adapted to the wants of Southern children. It deserves a hearty support, and parents could not do better than secure it for their little ones. The engravings are very beautiful, while the paper is as elegantly printed as any similar publication in this country. It is deservedly popular among the young, and we wonder that all the boys and girls in the South are not subscribers to it. Price \$2 a tance, for all had greatly participated in the vear. Published by J. W. BURKE & Co., Macon , Georgia.

TAYLOR'S PATENT MOUSTACHE GUARD. We have been presented by the patentee, Mr. F. H. Taylor, of this county, with one of these neat and convenient articles. They are a nice little contrivance, and can be had at the store of McCardy & Duke for a nominal price --See advertisement,

PROPERTY SALES .- 101 neres of land of the late Nicholas Shault's home place, without improvements, was sold at public sale on the 28th ultimo; purchaser Rev. Hiram Shanll. Also a house and one acre of ground of the same estate, for \$305; purchaser Jas , ticulars not yet having been unide known to

The brick property of Rentch & Stoneker, in Shepherdstown, was re-sold on Saturday week, by G. D. McGincey, Auctioneer, for Thomas Van Swearingen, Special Commissioner, for the sum of \$5,750. · Purchaser, Geo. R. Staley:

EASTER. - Easter Sunday occurs this year the 18th day of April, and Shrove Tuesday. or pancacke day, fell this year on Tuesday, the 1st of March. Here is a rule by which to tell when Easter Sunday comes. It always falls on the first Sunday after the first full moon after the 21st day of March.

THE WORLD ALMANAC, for 1870, is one of the best publications of the kind we have seen for some time. As a political manual it has no equal. Single copies can be had for 20 cents, or seven copies for \$1.00. Orders must be addressed to The World, 35 Park Row, N. Y.

CONFERENCE,-The Baltimore Conference of the M E. Church South, assembled in Baltimore on Wednesday last, Bishop Me-Tyre presiding and are having a harmonious

REGENT APPOINTED -The Governor on Thursday appointed Geo. M. Belizhoover, of Shepherdstowm, to be a Regent of the West Virginia University vice J. T. Hoke, resigned.

The March term of the Circuit Court for Morgan county commences on Tuesday, 15th instant, and for Berkeley on Tuesday,

DENTAL NOTICE .- Dr. McCormick will visit Charlestown professionally on Monday next, 14th instant.

LAND SALE .- John H. Campbell, Esq., of Charlestown, W. Va., purchased last week Moore, Jr., the track of land in this county, known as the "Jones farm," belonging to Edmund Thomas, Esq., of Maryland, containing 240 acres. Price \$37 per, acre. [ Clarke Courier.

Rev. H. Wissler, who has been pasor of the German Reformed Church of this place, during the past six years delivered is last sermon on Sunday morning last. We are informed that Mr. W. will become astor of the German Reformed congregation Lovettsville, Loudoun county, Va., in a w days .- Shepherdstown Register.

BALTIMORE M. E. CONFERENCE.-This body is now in session in Frederick City, Md., and on Thursday last a paper presented by Dr. N. J. B. Morgan was unanimously adopt-

ed, as follows :-Whereas, The bishops of the M. E. Church, in the spirit of charity and in accordance with the action of the late General Conference, made certain overtures to the bishops of the M. E. Church South, looking to the union of the two great bodies of Methodism, of which they were respectively the official representatives; and

Whereas, The union of the two bodies would be highly promotive of the interests of Christianity in general, and of Methodism in particular, throughout our entire country;

Resolved by the Baltimore Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in Conference assembled, That we do hereby express our hearty approval of said action of our bishops; and furthermore, we do declare our readiness to co-operate in any consistent and honorable measures that may tend to promote the harmony and union of the two bodies, in our organization of Christian labor, enterprise

and government. Resolved, That in view of the former intimate relations existing between ourselves and the brethren composing the Baltimore Conference of the M. E. Church South, the Bishop be and hereby is requested to appoint as fraternal visitors two of our brethren, to convey to them our assurances of Christian fellowship and good will.

TERPSICOREAN .- The following communication was furnished us for publication in our last paper, but was entirely too late for that issue :-

[For the Spirit of Jefferson.] Messrs. Editors :- I cannot refrain from noting how old Charlestown was enlivened on Friday evening by merry peals of laughter and the hum of happy voices, all bent on "having a gay time" in that favorite resort "Lee Hall," where the young ladies and gentlemen of the town and vicinity bad gathered for what is called in our day a "Hop."

Matronized by five of your most esteemed ladics, and conducted by a number of your most fascinating beaux, it could not be other than it was, a most delightfully pleasant even-

At about half past seven the band of music which had been employed for the occasion struck up, and in a few minutes nearly every one was engaged in dancing a charming waltz, the beauty of which was much enhanced by the grace and ease with which all performed their part, and the fair ladies resplendant in all their youthful beauty added much to increase its loveliness and grace which should | by a selection of gentlemen as co-committeecharacterize this favorite dance, while the that the most disapproving eye was carried

A quadrille next followed and every one was seen with pleasure flushed faces. During the evening the round dances generally alternated with the quadrilles.

At eleven o'clock our eyes were feasted by seeing a bountifully set table supplied with every thing nice; the efficient waiters played their part to perfection, while the 'Little Confectioner" filled our soucers to their utmost capacity, with delicious cream and water ice. The whirl soon commenced again, and every one declared they were "just getting in a humor for dancing," when it was determined by the matronizing party, that it was time to break up," and surrender to

"Natures sweet restorer, balmy sleep." The summons was obeyed, but with reluc- John H. Zittle. gaity that seemed to shower on us.

"But the charms of youth at once are seen and past, And nature says they are too sweet to last." Never have I spent a more pleasant evenng Messrs Editors in your burg; and I say with all due sincerity that the beautiful beings which tread your streets are by far the brightest jewels of your town, and the energy which was displayed by the young gentlemen in getting up such an extensive "Hop" was worthy of older heads than theirs. . .

DITTO. RAILWAY ACCIDENT .- We learn with regret that Mr. Robert Raum, formerly of this town and son of the late Dr. W. R. Raum, has been injured by a railway accident at Bardstown Junction, Ky. The extent of his injuries we are unable to state-the parus. Upon the receipt of a telegram merely announcing an accident, his estimable mother immediately went to him. We trust that the fears entertained by his friends as to his

critical condition may not be realized.

| Free Press. 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, that speaks in high terms of its curative properties, 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. Lawrence, its compounder, and also puts

"Koskoo" in the VAN of all other medicines of the present day.

Norfolk Daily Journal Dec. 11 1869. AT Hawk, Hawk, Spit, Spit, Blow, Blow, and disgust everybody with the offensive odor from your Catarrh, just because some old fogy doctor who has not discoverd and will not believe that the world moves, tells you that it cannot be cured.

The proprietor of Dr Sage's Catarrh Remedy will pay \$500 reward for a case of Catarrh which he cannot cure. Sold by druggist, or send sixty cents to R. V. Pierc, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y., for it. Dr. Piere's Alt. Ext. or Golden Medical

Discovery is the great Auti-Billious Remedy - Judge Chapline has been holding Court in Hamdshire county during the past week.

He has remanded the Middlekauff case back to Jefferson Court, and it will probably be tried at the April term .- Shepherdstown Register.

BALTIMORE MARKETS. REPORTED WEEKLY BY Hough & Langdon, GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS

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SATURDAY, Marc	h 5, 1870.
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FLOUR-SuperS	4.75a 5.00
" Extra	5.25a 5.75
" Family	
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Public Meeting.

HARPER'S FERRY, W. VA. Friday, February 25, 1870.

A meeting of the citizens of Harper's Ferry and vicinity was called and held, on the suggestion that the corporators of the Harper's Ferry Water Power and Manufacturing Company, in company with Senator Sprague of Rhode Island, Gen. Banks of Massachusetts, Hon. Lot Morrill, of Maine, and other gen tlemen interested in the enterprise, would in a few days make an excursion both of business and pleasure to our ancient town, and speak to the people, of the future financial prospects of Virginia and West Virginia, and particular-ly as to the probable contingency of a large increase in the material prosperity of Harper's Ferry and neighborhood, on the organization

of this Company.
SOLOMON V. YANTIS, was appointed Chairman, and A. M. KITZMILLER, Secretary The Chairman explained the object of the meeting to be as above stated, and to make the needful arrangements to give a cordial welcome to the visitors; on their arrival here, and to assure them that their enterprise, irrespective of Geographical limits and divisions, was bailed by the people, as an entering wedge in sundering those divisions, which unhappily render powerless the wealth, resources and energy of the whole people.

A hearty response was made to these senti-ments, and on motion a committee of citizens, was nominated and appointed to make the necessary arrangements to carry out the view and wishes of the meeting. The committee consisted of Thomas H. Percival, John Koonce, Daniel Ames, John A. McCreight, S. V. Yantis, N. C. Bracket, Edward Tearney, Edmund H. Chambers, E. W. Wilson, Charles Davies, M. Walsh and A. M. Kitzmiller, Secretary of this meeting.

The meeting then adjourned, to be notified by their committee of the arrival of the ex-

pected Guests. The sub-committee, learning by proper information, that the excursion of the gentlemen was unavoidably postponed on account of the most pressing duties and responsibilities, to a later day, than that at first intended, met at the office of Charles Davies, Esq., on the 1st of March, instant, S. V. Yantis, as Chairman and A. M. Kitzmiller, as Secretary, proceeded after an interchange of views and purposes it was

Resolved, That E. H. Chambers, Daniel Ames and Thos. H. Percival be appointed a committee to arrange for a place of reception of the Guests, on the part of the people. On motion it was Resolved, That S. V. Yantis, be appointed

to make the reception speech. On motion it Resolved, That this committee be enlarged men from the adjoining counties, in Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia, which have their common point of union Harper's Ferry, and hence all deeply interested in the development of the great Water Power of the location, by actual use of the same, which has been so permanently improved heretofore by the United States Government, E. W. Wilson. John Koonce and Edward Tearney, were chosen as a committee to make the selection

turned the names of the following gentlemen, for the enlargement of the committee : Jefferson County, W. Va .- Thos. H. Willis, G. W. Eichelberger, John H. Allstadt, Wm. H. Travers, Jus. Law. Hooff, H. B. Davenport, John W. Grantham, John E. Schley, Judge Jos. A. Chapline, Col. Robt. Lucas, Robt. N. Duke, James Logie, Andrew Hunter, H. N. Gallaher, J. W. Dalgarn and

Loudoun County, Va.- Joseph Conrad, John Price, Wm. Grubb, James C. Janney Wm. Hough, Wm. C. Clendenning, Thos. W Edwards, Mathew Harrison, Samuel George

and Wm. Smallwood. Berkeley County, W. Va.—Hon. C. J. Faulkner, J. Q. A. Nadenbousch, B. M. Kitchen, James Haldeman, John Mathews, D. M. Schaeffer, Judge E. B. Hall, Benj. Cushwa, Hon. Samuel Gold, Robert Lamon and J. N. Wisner.

Washington County, Md - John C. Unseld. Jno. S. Ahl, Thos. N. Heskitt, James Elgin, E. K. Syester, Judge Wm. Motter, Ilon. Wm. T. Hamilton, Col. Miller, F. Blackford, Samuel Culbertson and Dr. A. A. Biggs. The sub-committee undertake to give general public notice, in time for the people to assemble to hear the expositions of the situation, when they have the necessary information of the excursion.

SOLOMON V. YANTIS, Chm'n.

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ELECTION NOTICE.

A T a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Jef-A lerson County, in Shepherdatown, West Virginia, held at the Court-House on the 23d day o February, 1570, the following order was passed: Ordered, That the question of a subscription to the capital stock of the Shenandoah Valley Railroad Company, to the amount of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, be submitted at a special election

Thursday, 31st of March, 1870. to a vote of all the male tax payers of Jefferson County who are not minors, nor of unsound mind, nor paupers or who are not under conviction of treason or felony, or bribery in an 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 Surervisors in pursuance o said election, to be expended on such portion of the said railrord as shall be located within the limits of as the places for holding the said election, and that

In Bolivar Township-At Bolivar and Harper's IN GRANT TOWNSHIP-At Charlestown and Kable-IN AVERILL TOWNSHIP—At Smithfield.
IN CHAPLINE TOWNSHIP—At Shepherdstown.
IN SHEPHESD TOWNSHIP—At Shepherdstown.

a poll be opened in each of the said places on the said 31st day of March, 1870.

By Order of the Board.

C. H. TRAYNOR,

March 1, 1870. Clerk of Board of Supervisors. ROBERT Y. & HOLMES CONRAD,

Attorneys at Law WINCHESTER, VA., VILL hereafter practice in all the Courts of Jefferson and Berkeley Counties. March 1, 1870-1m. DOWDER, Shot, Bar Lead, Caps and Pistol Car tridges, for sale by McCURDY & DUKE. MPROVED Delaware Corn Shellers, for sale by Feb. 1. McCURDY & DUKE. FORKS, Shovels, Hoes, Spades, for sale by March 8. JAS, LAW. HOOFF.

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"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 discases, and like many popular opinions this of bad blood is founded in truth.

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October 19, 1869-1y.

PUBLIC SALES. PUBLIC SALE.

H AVING concluded to change my occupation, I will offer at Public Sale, on the farm of John M. Coyle, (better known as the McKinney farm,) situated on the Charlestown and Leetown road, four miles from Charlestown and two miles from Lee-WEDNESDAY, 16th of MARCH, 1870

The following Property:-One MARE. Two MILCH COWS. Four YOUNG HEIFERS, Two BROOD SOWS -one with Eight Pige; Eighteen head of SHOATS One Three horse Wagon and 9 bbl. Bed-new; One Spring Wagon for one or two horses; One set of Gears for Four Horses—new;

One set of Double Harness, One set of Single do., Four sets of Plough Gears, Collars, Bridles and Halters, One Three-horse Plough, Two Single and Two Double-Shovel do., One Corn Coverer, Two Harrows, Thrible, Double and Single Trees; One Wheat Drill, with Guano Attachment; Forks, Shoyels, Hoes, Rakes, Mattocks. &c., Two Grain Cradles, Mowing Scythes,

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BROWN & HENDERSON. N. B. - All persons knowing themselves indebted to Jacob B Brown, Agent, or Brown & Henderson are hereby notified (and for the Last Time) to come forward and settle the same by the lat of March, or their accounts will be placed in the hands of officer for collection, without respect to persons.

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January 4, 1870.

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August 3, 1869. Mas. A. M. FORREST. August 3, 1869. REAL ESTATE.

TRUSTEES' SALE. BY virtue of a Deed of Trust executed on the 8th day of January, 1866, by William Grantham and others, Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Charlestown, the undersigned, Trustees in said Deed, for the purpose of satisfying the debts secured therein, will offer at Public Sale, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 12th, 1870, In front of the Court-House in said town, the METHODIST EPISCOPAL Church Lot, with all the buildings thereon. This lot is situated on the alley bounding said town on the North, and running back from said alley to the line of the Win chester and Potomac Railroad, and contains one

acre of land, more or less. TERMS .- Cash on day of sale JOHN W. KENNEDY. N. S. WHITE, Trustees. February 15, 1870. FARM FOR SALE.

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December 21. 18:9-3m.

LEATHER ... SOLE AND UPPER, OF all descriptions from Martinsburg. Shep-herdstown, Frederick City and Baltimore; also. FREN. H CALF SKINS, to be had by the single pound or whole piece, wholesale or retail. Also, all kinds of Shoe Findings used in the manufacture of a Boot or Shoe. "All the year round." at J. M. DECAULNE'S. December 21, 1869-3m.

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December 21, 1869—3m.

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at the present time, fire-wood.

DURING this year we shall discontinue our Monthly Credit, and therefore will require CASH OR COUNTRY PRODUCE in exchange for merchandise. Thankful for the kind patronage bestowed upon us, we ask a continuance. We shall endeavor to purchase the best goods in the market, and furnish them at the lowest prices.

January 4, 1870.

A LL unsettled accounts due to Benj. F. Beall, either for Job Work, Subscription or Advertising, previous to January ist, 1870, having been assigned to the undersigned as Trustee, notice is hereby given to all parties knowing themselves so indebted, that immediate settlement must be made, and the business closed up by the let of February.

January 4, 1870. January 18, 1870.

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ALONZO LORING, Vice President.
November 9, 1869—15.

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

OFFICERS. Cot. ROBERT W. BAYLOR - President. Cot. GEO A. PORTERFIELD - Sec'y and Treas'r. Wu. N. CRAIGHILL - Assistant Secretary. DIRECTORS.

John W. Grantham, Joseph Trapnell, Meredith Helm, las. Law. Hooff, James Logie, M. W. Buri, and Robert W. Eaylor. 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 companies. 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 tion 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

MG-Applications for Insurance may be made to E. M. AISQUITH,
Agent for Charlestown and vicinity.
November 50, 1869.

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Men who came here two or three years ago and took up a farm are to-day independent. up a farm are to-day independent.
TO YOUNG MEN.

This country is being crossed with numerous railroads, reaching from every direction to Sioux City. lowa. Six railroads will be completed to this city necting us with Chichgo and the U. P. railroad, and wo 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 Columbus, Nebraska on the U. P. railroad .-The Missouri river gives access to mountain trade.
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offers such unprecedented advantages for business,
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p pulated, and towns and cities are being built, and fortunes made almost beyond belief. and fortunes made almost beyond belief. Every man who takes a homestead now, will have railroad market at his own door. And any enterprising young man with a small capital, can establish himself in a permanent and paying business if he selects the right location and right branch oftrade. Eighteen 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 all the branches of flusiness, and the best locations in this country. For one dollar remitted to me, I will give truthful and definite answers to all quastions 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,

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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

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very best Paper Collars only 10c per box, Enveloper 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 30 to 90c—worth 80 to 1.50 per yd. This is the place for Real Bargains—more Goods for One Doltar than you you can buy for Three at the so-called Cheap Stores. Grand Sales in Carpets, Shoes, Boots, Hats, Mattings, Cassimeres and all kinds of Notions, at one-third their real value. Now is the time-save your money !-Call at the BROAD WAY HOUSE, Corner of Liberty and Lawrence streets, Charlestewn, and BUY, You will go off rejoicing over your BARGAINS—AUCTION every Saturday Night, unless otherwise ordered.

HEDGES, Agent.

TAX NOTICE.

I 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-

February 22, 18:0.

GEORGE KOONCE, D. S. November 23, 1869-1f. TAX NOTICE.

THE Tax-Pavers of Averill Township and Bolivar, are portified 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 then myself o be 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. 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.

January 18, 1970-1f. Deputy Sheriff. NOTICE.

THE undersigned have obtained letters of admin I istration on the estate of the late George Back-house. Those indebted to the estate will please make payment at once, and those having claims against it will present them to the undersigned JOHN W WALRAVEN, G. H. C. BACKHOUSE,

LESSONS IN DANCING.

PROF. OSBURN proposes to teach another Quar-ter—beginning March 4sh. His present pupils will be received at Half Charges. He invites addi-tional scholars, to whom terms will be made known on application to bim at the Sappington Hotel. February 22, 1870—3t. NOTICE. A GENERAL Meeting of the Stockholders of the 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. FOR SALE OR TRADE.

A GOOD FARM HORSE.—He works wagon or barshear plough. The owner will either sell him or trade for a good riding horse.—Enquire at the SPIRIT OFFICE. Enquire at the March 1, 1,70-tf.

CABBAGE, Tomato and other Seeds, for the Het Bed, just received and for sale by Feb. 1. McCURDY & DUKE.

Give me the home where kindness seeks
To make that sweet which seemed small;
Where every lip in fondness speaks,
And every mind has cared for all;

Whose inmates live in glad exchange
Of pleasures, free from all expense;
Whose thoughts beyond their means ne'er range,
Nor wise denials give offence:

Who in a neighbor's fortune find,
No wish—no impulse—to complain
Who feel not—never felt—the mind
To envy another's gain;

Who dream not of the mocking tide
Ambition's foiled endeavor meets—
The bitter pangs of wounded pride,
Nor fallen power that shuns the streets.

Though fate deny its glittering store,
Love's wealth is still the wealth to choose;
For all that man can purchase more re sands it is no loss to lose.

Some beings, whereso'er they go,
Find naught to please or to exalt—
They could not study but to show
Perpetual modes of finding fault: While others in their careless round Of daily wants and daily care, Can yet cull flowers from common ground. And twice enjoy the joy they share.

Oh! happy they who happy make—
Who, blessing, still themselves are blest!
Who sometimes spare for others' sake,
And strive in all things for the best!

# MISCELLANEOUS.

A Nod as good as a Wink.

Smith, the auctioneer, is a popular man, a wit and a gentleman. No person is offended at what he says, and many a hearty laugh has been provoked by his sayings. He was recently engaged in the sale of venerable house-hold furniture and fixings. He had just got to "going, going, and a half going," when he saw a smiling countenance, on agricultural shoulders, wink at him.

A wink is as good as a nod to a blind horse or a sharp-sighted auctioneer, so Smith winked and the man winked, and Smith kept "going, going," with a lot of stove pipes, glassware, carpets, pots, and perfumery, and finally this lot was knocked down. "To whom?" said Smith, gazing at the

smiling stranger. "Who? Golly !" said the stranger, "I don't

"Why you, sir," said Smith. "Who, me ?"

"Yes; you bid on the lot," said Smith. "Me? Hang me if I did!" insisted the

"Why, did you not wink, and keep winking at me?" said Smith.

"Winking! Well I did, and so did you at me, I thought you was winking as much as to say, keep dark; I'll stick somebody in this let of stuff, and I winked as much as to say, "I'll be hanged if you don't mister."

Good Rules for Old Men.

The following resolutions were drawn up by Swift, to be observed "when I-grow old:" Not to marry a young woman.

Not to keep young company, unless they Not to be peevish, morose or suspicious.

Not to tell the same story over twice to the same people. Not to be coverous-the hardest of all to

be kept. Not to neglect decency and cleanliness for fear of falling into nastiness. Not to be over-severe with young people. but to make allowances for their youthful

follies and weaknesses Not to be too free of advice, nor trouble any but those that desire it.

Not to talk much, nor of myself-very hard Not to hearken to flatterers, nor conceive

I can be loved by a young woman. Not to be too positive or opinionative. Nor to set up for observing all these rules, for fear I should observe fonc.

A GOOD JUDGE OF DISTANCE.-It would be well if all passengers could keep themselves as firmly aloof from excitment in a steamboat race as a venerable Friend of Rhode Island (now descended full of years and full of honors, to his grave), did wn the occasion of a. race betwen two contending steamers on one occasion in Long Island Sounds. The boats had been running with no visible advantage on either side, for a great distance, and groups of excited persons were on deck discussing their several chances of triumph, and finally appealed to the Friend in question :

"Don't you think we've gained on her in coming the last forty miles?" "Yes," replied the Quaker, with imperturable gravity, "I should say, from present appearances, that we had?"

"Do you? Well, Mr. Brown, low much should you think we had gained upon her?" "I may be mistaken," replied our Friend, for I have small gift at correctly calculating difference; but I should think in the last fifty miles we have gained about an inch."

He was too close an observer to be bothered with any further questions from the excited bystanders.

- A lady was recently reading to her child, a boy of seven years, a story of a little fellow whose father had taken sick and died, whereupon the youngster set himself diligently at work to assist in supporting himself and his mother. When she had finished the story the following dialogue ensued :

Mother-'Now Frank, my man, if papa was to die , wouldu't you work to help your Boy-(not relishing the idea of work)-"Why, ma? If I was bigger enough I

- "My competitor," exclaimed a political orator, "has told you of the service he has rendered his country in the late war. Let me tell you that I, too, acted an humble part in that memorable contest. When the toesin of war summoned the loyal masses to the defence of the national flag, I fellow-citizens, animated by the patriotic spirit which grows in every American bosom, hired a substitute, and the bones of that man now lie bleaching on the banks of the Rappahannock."

good action by stealth and have it found out by accident.-[Lamb.

I never knew how it was, but I always seemed to have the most come in when I done. We have for sale gave the most away .- [Baxter.

- Chewing gum is made of certain parts of gum-arabic gum-tragacanth, a small quantity of resin, and fat. The fat used is expressed from the bodies of hogs, cats, dogs, and other animals found dead in the streets of cities. Nice, isn't it?

GUM SHOES .- We have just received every size of Ladies Shoes and Sandals, also Men's Shoes, fresh from the manufactory, at low prices.

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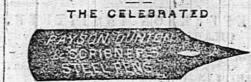
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tomers, and the public generally, that we are ecciving a variety of . NEW FALL & WINTER GOODS to the examination of which we respectfully solicit a call from the many who have heretolore got GOOD BARGAINS, and all others who wish to get Good Bargains, at the CLARKE COUNTY CLOTHING STORE. Where will be found Clothing and Gents' Furnishing appds,

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Agent for Jefferson County. January 11, 1870-3m.

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which are cheap, seasonable, and cannot be dispensed with at this period. Call soon 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 Cash, and where indulgence is given, 30 days is the limit. These having bills due are expected premptly to comply, otherwise farther indulgence cannot and must not be expected, as most assuredly none will be given .-Take heed, therefore, one and all, and govern your December 14, 1869

FOR THE CASH.

W E 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 Wehope none will take offence, but under no circumstances will the above be deviated from.
January 18, 1870. MILLER & SMITH.

SUDDEN DEPARTURE.

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MILIER & SMITH DEALERS IN STOVES. TIN & SHEET-IRON WARE.

· CHARLESTOWN, W. VA. WE have just received, and are now offering for sales on the most reasonable terms, one of the largest and best selected assortments of STOVES.

ever before presented to the people of the county.— The stock embraces all the latest and most improved styles, among which may be found— Illuminating Gas Burner," for heating one or more rooms; the "INDEPENDENT," a self-teeding Base-Burning Coal Stove, for dwellings, halls or offices: the ORIENTAL, just now so much public favor; Parlor or Dining Room, Cook, for wood or coal; the "Rink Egg Stove, a superior article; all other Parlor, Air-Tight, and Ten plate Stoves; the improved CONSTITUTION COOK, for wood or coal; the Scutinel, with extension top, for wood or coal; the Olive Branch and Wyona, both of which are very superior cook.

In short, their assortment is so complete, that all they ask is an inspection from those in want, confident to please both as to price and style. Also on

hand, a large and general assortment of TIN AND SHEET-IRON WARE. plain and fancy, and of the latest patterns. Those wishing to procure a very superior Iron Force Pump, can inspect the same at the Shop, or residence of Mr. Ed. Williams fra Terms Case in all cases, unless special agreement to the contrary. ROOFING, SPOUTING, &c.,

manner. Thankful to the public for the liberal encooragement in the past, a continuance is respect fully solicited. MILLER & SMITH. MILLER & SMITH. October 19, 1869. THE SOUTHERN METROPOLIS.

done as neval at the shortest notice and in the hest

. THE GREAT SOUTHERN WEEKLY. EAD the opinions of the leading Southern men: "I remard it as one of the ablest and truest of Southern journals, just such a paper, in short, as should find its way into every Southern house "You have managed to enlist for it the services of unusually clever writers, whose labors, with your own, have given great and interesting variety to its columns. "- S. Teakle Wallace. "It comes mearer filling the place of the London Saturday Review than any journal in this country, North or South." - Alexander H. Stephens. "I 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 rem der 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 Southern Metropolis is conducted."- K 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 se-

lections from foreign journals."- M. J. Spalding, (Archbishop) "No Southern gentleman can fail to recognize ita intrinsic excellence as a literary and political guide."-Rev. J. R. Graham, (P.esbyterian.) The opinion of the press is no less high, as evinced by the testimony of the following, among other journals: London Tablet. N. Y. Herald, N. Y. Round Table, Hagerstown Mail, New Orleans Picayone, Baltimore Gazette, Notice Virginian, Peters burg Express, and a hundred others. Terms of subscription, \$2.50 per annum; six co-

pies \$1210; and larger clubs at same rates. 85- Send for bircutar and epecimen paner. JAMES FAIRFAY MCLAUGHLIN. 31 Lexington street, Baltimore. January 25 1570-tt.

GREAT BEGAINS! REAT BARGAINS can be had by calling at the I 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. Ladica Dure \$5-worth \$7; Siberian Squir-rel \$6 50-worth \$10; Children's \$3.50-worth \$5, &c. Bubble 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 50 cents per yard-worth 75c., and all other goods in proportion. 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 Coats from \$6 50 to \$20. Over and Under Shirts, Hats and Caps, Trunks and Values, and a great many other goods -such as Notions and Fancy Goods too numerous to mention! Call and sec. No trouble to show J GOLDSMITH. Jan. 11, 1870. Opposite Gustav Brown's.

To the Public.

H AVING purchased avaluble 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, Studding, Plastering Lath, Chestnut Palings, Oak Fencing Plank, &c.

Hooff's Lumber yard at Charlestown.

Persons contemplating building will promote their interests by calling upon the subscriber in person, or Jas. Law. Hooff, before going elsewhere. GEO. W. EICHELBERGER. August 11, 1868-1y. MAKE A NOTE OF THIS!

With the beginning of the new year, 1870, in order to carry on our business, necessity compels us to adopt new rules. We shall hereafter do work for regular and prompt customers payable 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 one. WEIRICK & WELLER. January 4, 1870.

DRIED Peaches, Dried Apples. Dried Cherries, Dried Blackberries, Peach Butter and Apple Butter, for said by Jan. 18, 1810 KEARSLEY & SHEERER. MANURE Forks, Shovels, Shovel and Fork Handles, for sale by McCURDY & DUKE. BEST Heavy Kip Work Collars, Heavy Hames, McCURDY & DUKE.

· PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

E. WILLIS WILSON, ATTORNEY AT LAW. HARPER'S FERRY, JEPFERSON CO. WEST VIRGINIA. ice in the Courts of this and the ad-Will practice in the Co joining Counties. Aug. 17, 1869-1y.

N. S. WHITE.] [JOSEPH TEAPNELL. WHITE & TRAPNELL. Attorneys at Law, W ILL Practice in the Courts of Jefferson and ad-joining Counties of Virginia and West Vir-ginia. Prompt attention given to all business en-trusted to them.

January 12, 1869-17. THOS. C. GEREN. [DAN'L, B. LUCAS.

GREEN & LUCAS, Attorneys at Law. HAVING associated ourselves as partners, W 175-Offices at Charlestown, Shepherdstown and eesburg.' September 22, 1868—tf.

ISAAC FOEKE. Attorney at Law, Charlestown, Jefferson County, DRACTICES in the Courts of Jefferson, Berkele 1 and Morgan Counties, W. Virgioia, and in those of Loudoun, Frederick and Clark Counties, Virginia; also in the United States District Court in cases in Bankruptcy.

Office in Hunter's Law Row, next door to the

July 30, 1867-17. WM. H. TRAVERS. ATTORNEY AT LAW, Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia, VILL practice in the District Courts of the United States for the District of West V. rginia .-Particular attention paid to cases in Bankruptcy. July 30, 1867. G. M. BELTZHOOVER,

ATTORNEY AT LAW

SHEPHERDSTOWN, W. VA. 30 Particular attention given to collection of Claims in Jefferson and adjoining counties, and all March 30, 1869-tf. Dental Motice. DR. J. F. HARTGROVE, Mechanical and Operative Bentist, ATE of North Carolina, offers his Protessional

Services in J fferson and sa rounding counties, and will be pleased to share the public patronage.

(15- Persons wishing it, can be served at their reepective residences, and farther information obtained by addressing me at my office, at Harper's Ferry, W. Va June 15, 1869-ly. DENTAL NOTICE, DR. McCORMICK will visit Charlestown Professionally, the Second-Monday of April, (12th.) May 10th, June 10th, July

12th, August 9th, September 13th, October 11th, November 8th, and remain a week each time. CHARGES MODERATE. Office at the Sappington Hotel. April 6, 1869. DR. C. T. RICHARDSON. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON, CHARLESTOWN.

35 Mesenges left at his residence, or at the Drug

Store of Aisquith & Bro., will receive prompt at-

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

professionally engaged.

April 6, 1869-1f.

HOTELS. SHENANDOAH HOUSE,

MARTINSBURG, W. VA. JOHN FELLER, PROPRIETOR. THE Proprietor of this excellent Hotel, not having succeeded in seiling his preperty, will, as heretofore, continue to keep the House, but is still disposed to sell, if an acceptable offer be made him.
The Shenandsah House is one of the most conveniently arranged and comfortable hotels in Martinsburg, and the Proprietor will spare no trouble or expense to render the stay of his guests pleasant and comfortable. The fine stock of Liquors, Wines, &c., with which his Bar is supplied, will be kept up, and persons who may paironize him in this department, can rely

North Queen Street, near the Railroad. August 10, 1869. Spirit of Jefferson copy. - New Era. Virginia Hotel. STAUNTON, VA. FRAZIER & SALE (Late of Rockbridge Alam Springs,) PROPRIETORS.

upon getting the very best article.

THIS Hotel is located in the business part of the city. Twenty-five Thousand Dollars have been expended in remodeling and turnshing it with entirely new Furniture and Beds. Bathing Rooms. fine Bar, Billiard Saloon, and Livery Stables at October 12, 1869-1y. JOHN M. LOCKE. . Mas. Mary C. Lupton.

American Hotel, HARRISON BURG, VA. THIS well-known Hotel has been entirely reno vated, and the new Proprietors promise that Guests shall receive every comfort which wellstocked Larders, clean Beds, and attentive Servants afford.

TERMS, \$2.50 PER DAY.

November 17, 1868-3m. .

Swanzon Pounds,

November 2, 1869.

ENTLER HOTEL. SHEPHERDSTOWN, WEST VIRG'IA J. P. A. ENTLER, Proprietor. July 17, 1866- tf. BUY WHERE YOU GET CHEAPEST T is always important to study economy, but I more so at the present time, when everybody is trying to get the best article and the largest amount 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: Marshall Brand, Pride of Kirginia, (best in market.) . . .

Frangipania, (Gold Leaf Fig.) 3 plugs for Bright, (very best,) Dark . (very beat,) 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 that has ever been brought to this town. A large stock of Stationery, Writing Paper, Envelopes, Pene, Ink and Lead Pencils. 33 Always on hand all the leading Daily, Tri-Weekly and Weekly Papers. Lady's Books, Mag-Lumber will be kept constantly on hand at the azines and Novels, and any Book or Magazine not Mill, 11 miles above Kearsley & Sheerer's Planing on hand will be ordered in two days' notice, and

WANTED TO EXCHANGE,

MY STORE HOUSE, STOCK OF GOODS, and the Business which has been successfully conducted for years, in Boonsboro', Washington county, Maryland, for a small FARM, well improved, in the Valley of Virginia. Persons wishing to make in the Valley of Virginia. Female immediate ap-such an exchange, will please make immediate ap-plication to me. J. HORINE WEAST. Bonsboro, September 28, 1869. FOR THE CASH!

FTER a year at the credit business I have de-

W.S. MASON.

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

January 4, 1870. DISTOLS, Pistol Cartridges, Sporting and Blasting Powder, for saie by McCURDY & DUKE. Feb. 8. VASHTI, Miss Evans' last Novel, just published, for sale by W. S. MASON.

TO TRAVELLERS. WINCHESTER AND POTOMAC R. E.

TIME TABLE. TRAINS GOING WRIT.

Harper's Ferry at 700, 8 IB A M, 1 36 P.M.
Shenandoah at 704, 8 39 A M and 1 M.P.M.
Keyes' Switch at 717, 847 A M and 1 42 P.M.
Halltown at 726, 8 53 A M and 1 45 P.M.
Charlestown at 744, 904 A M and 1 59 P.M.
Cameron's at 802, 915 A M and 210 P.M.

Trains Going East.

Leave Winchester at 10 50 A M and 3 35 P M.
Leave Stephenson's at 11 01 A M and 3 35 P M.
Leave Opequon Bridge at 11 12 A M and 4 12 P M
Leave Wadcaville at 11 15 A M and 4 16 P M.
Leave Summit Point 11 29 A M and 4 35 P M.
Leave Cameron at 11 40 A M and 4 56 P M.
Leave Charlestown at 11 51 A M and 5 14 P. M.
Leave Halltown at 12 02 P M and 5 32 P M.
Leave Kevee' Switch at 12 05 P M and 5 41 P M. Keyee' Switch at 12 05 P M and 5 41 P M. Shenandonh at 12 16 P M and 5 55 P M. rive at Harper's Ferry 12 20 P M and 6 00 P M. The last Passenger Train East, due at Charles-town at 5 14, will run in accounce of time; 15 min-utes, so as to connect with the Cincinnati Express East, which leaves Harper's Ferry at 5 49 daily.

WINCHESTER ACCOUNDDATION. 5 25

Stephenson's Wade's Summit Point Cameron's Charlestown Halltown Harper's Ferry Arriving in Baltimore at Leave Camden Station at 10 40 A. BI Arrive Harper's Farry Charlestown Charlestown -Summit Point Stephenson's Winchester

Stopping at intermediate stations on Main Stem.

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

JOHN L WILSON,

Dec. 7, 1869.

Master of Transportation. BALTIMORE & O. R. R. COMPANY. SCHEBULE of Passenger Trainvarriving and de parting at the Harger's Ferry Station:

TRAINS BOUND EAST. Mail Train, 1 12 P. M. 8 29 A. M. Fast Line, Express Train, 5 48 P. M. TRAINS BOUND WEST. ARRIVES. DEPARTS. 12'48 P. M. 1254 P. M. 8 09 P. M. 8 10 P. M. 1 33 A. M. 1 34 A. M. Mail Frain, Express Train, Office open at all hours for trains. Through Tick-eta sold to all the principal cities of the Union. For further Information inquire at the Uffice.

Harpers Ferry, Dec. 7, 1869. WOOD, AGEST. 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 WOOLLEN GOODS.

SUCH AS LINSEYS, FULLED ANDLPAID. CLOTES, CASSIMERES AND TWEEDS, and with his improved and superior factlities, is satisfied that he will be able to offer to the public an article of GOODS, that cannot be surpassed, if equalled, by say other ustablishment. He solicits orders. JAS. M. JOHNSTON.

March 19, 1858-tf

MANUFACTURED OR REPAIRED. At Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia. 1 HE under signed respectfully a nounce cato the citizens of Charlestown and vicinity, that he is constantly making and repairing Carriage, Grg, Buggy, Coach and Wagon HARNESS, SADDLES, BRIDLES, HALTERS, ec., in the most durable manner, and the most modern style of work manship, and at short notice and upon "living" terms. My work commence itself. All lask is a share of the public patrunage.

15 Call upon me at my establishment on Mar-

HARNESS, SADDLES AND ERIDLES.

ket-House Square. HENRY D. MIDDLEKAUFF. November 7, 1866-19 FRESH GARDEN, FLOWER, FRUIT.

Herb, Tree, Shrub and Evergreen Seeds, with directions for culture, prepaid by mail. The most complete and judicious assortment in the country. Agents wunted 25 SORTS of either for \$1.00; prepaid by mail. Potatoes, Ac., prepaid by mail. 4 lbs. Early Rose Potato, prepaid, for \$1,00. Conover's Colesses As-The Shepandoah House is pleasantly situated on parague, 93 per 107; \$25 per 1000, prepaid. New hardy fragrant ever blooming Japan Heneysuckle, 50 cis each, prepaid. True Cape Cod Cranberry, for upland or lowland culture, \$1.00 per 100, prepaid, with directions. Priced Catalogue to any address, gratis; also trade list. Seedson Commission.

B. M. WATSON, Old Colony Nurseries and Seed

Warehouse, Piymouth, Mass. Established in 1842. December 21, 1869-4m.

NOTICE. THE time has arrived for us to purchase our Pall and Winter Stock of Goods, and we must have the money now due us; and we give this notice to us, to call and settle their accounts, on or before the first day of October next. Any one failing to this we will certainly refuse any longer credit, and will insist upon immediate settlement of their ac-To those of our customers who have poid us regu-

larly, we tender our thanks for their patronage, and it will give us pleasure to continue business with

37- We intend to carry out the conditions of this notice fully, and those who do not settle by the specified will be prepared for a refusal of furner credit. HILLEARY, WILLSON & JOHNSON. Summit Point, September 14, 1869. AVIS' LIQUOR STORE,

THE BAR of this count lishment is kept constanthad, 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

The proprietor would positively notify those

Spirit Building, Charlestown, W. Va.

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. W. Our New Ploughs. WE are manufacturing a large lot of them, and

just as represented.

we guarantee satisfaction in every case or no WEIRICK & WELLER. January 4, 1870. NOTICE. HAVING resumed the practice of LAND SUR-VEYING, ENGINEERING AND CONVEY-ANCING, and having associated my son, J. M. D. Brown, with me in the business, we offer our services to my old patrons of Jefferson, Clarke, Prederick, Berkeley and Loudoun, and all others. I will also teach Phonography wherever a chast can be formed, or to individuals, on reasonable terms.

July 20, 1869—tl. JAMES M. BROWN.

Free Press, Shepherdstown Register, and Clarke Courier, insert 3 times and send bill to advertiser.

HUSBAND, WIFE, SON & DAUGHTER

For mending broken Gliss, China, Marble, Porclain, Bone, Wood, Leather, Meerschaum, Ivos Earthen Ware, Picture Frames, or in fact anythi

that is broken, for sale by January 11, 1850: W. S. MAS COAL Hods for Morning Glory and Orien Stoves, Lard Cans, French Muttin Pans, G vanized Iron—a new article, cheap and durab Water Buckets, for sale by McCURDY & BUKE

JUST received a large stock of Sweking to Chewing Tobacco. Also a fine lot of Segar Jan. 18. AlsQUITH & WASHINGTON