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SEVEN GOLD MEDALS
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CHARLESTOWN, VA.
Tuesday Evening, November 23, 1870.
FRANCE AND PRUSSIA.
From the condensed news columns of the Baltimore Gazette, we make up the following summary:
TUESDAY'S NEWS.
A report from Brussels is to the effect that General Moltke, anticipating an extensive movement by Trochu, and doubting the ability of his armies to successfully resist a sortie in heavy force, has abandoned his plans of expeditions to the west and south west of France, and has concentrated his army in the immediate neighborhood of Paris. These movements will increase the army invading that city to three hundred and seventy thousand men. The Armies of the Loire, East and North, will thus be left without any formidable foe in front.

POLITICAL
A Thrilling Incident.
A clever and genial writer in the Michigan Freeman gives the following graphic sketch of an incident occurring during a Masonic excursion on the Mississippi, which ended and characterized Knight Templarship alone saved from proving fatally disastrous. The Carlisle (Pa.) Volunteer, endorsing this account, says: "We (the Senior editor of the Volunteer) can testify to the truthfulness of the account, for we were a passenger on the snagged vessel, the 'Belle of Alton,' and stepped from her deck to that of the 'Lady Gay,' only a couple of minutes before the former was buried in the waters of the Mississippi."
The narrator says:—
It was a magnificent sight to see our immense boat, accompanied by the Lady Gay and the Belle of Alton, their decks crowded with fair ladies and Knights Templar, bands of music, distinguished citizens, and invited guests, as they steamed up the Mississippi, then down to Jefferson Barracks, where we all went ashore to spend a pleasant hour; after which we again went on board, and steamed merrily up the river.

MISCELLANEOUS.
A Strange Visitor.
The doctor took his grape-juice and began:
In 1848 I had been in business a year, or so, and was beginning to pick up stray cases. One night in the small hours the night-bell rang faintly over my head. I wanted work; so I jumped up, and putting on my wrapper, opened the window and called aloud to know who wanted me. Hearing no answer, and the night being utterly dark, I slipped on my clothes and went down to the door. To my surprise there was no one visible, and the street was black and silent. Annoyed at the impatience of my visitor, I went slowly back to bed. The next night, at the same hour of two o'clock, the bell rang again, and as before, faintly like the ring of a chime. The night was cloudless and the moon brilliant, but no one was on the steps or near them. Instantly I was possessed with a strange impression of terror as I closed the window and stood a moment thoughtful before going back to bed. I had scarcely fallen asleep when the bell rang once more. On this occasion I dressed instantly and went down to the door. As before, there was no one in sight. Still in doubt, I went out and explored in vain the dark side of the street and the nearer sidewalk. You may laugh, Colonel, but the thing was not pleasant. The next night I resolved to sit up and catch the disturber. Providing myself therefore, with a good stick, I left the street door unlocked, so as to be easily opened, and then lit a cigar and settled to read in my office. Precisely as the clock struck the door bell rang. In a moment I had opened it, exclaiming, "So I've got you at last!" Then I passed in my wrath. On the step stood a wee little figure of a child about nine years old, as I judged, barefooted, although the night was cold and muffled up in something like the torn half of a ragged coverlet.

The Recent Elections—An Analysis of the Vote.
We give below a table of the results of the recent election throughout the country, showing that the democrats are in a majority in sixteen of the States and the republicans in fourteen, being a clear gain to the democracy of ten States since the election for President in 1868. The only States in the list which have not voted directly are Georgia, which gave 575 thousand for Seymour, and New Hampshire, which gave 200 thousand for Grant. There is hardly any chance that another presidential election will show any different result in these States.

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Manufacturers of
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Piano Fortes.
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165 AND 167 WEST BALTIMORE STREET, BALTIMORE, MD.
LARGE AND PRESTIGIOUS STOCK OF
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SPECIALTY IN CHILDREN'S CLOTHING.
We have the largest assortment of Boys' and Children's Clothing in Baltimore, and are prepared to make to order, in the most stylish and fashionable manner, all kinds of Boys' and Children's Clothing, from the most reliable materials, and at the lowest prices. A JOB LOT OF 2000 PAIRS OF BOYS' CLOTHING, \$10.00 PER DOZEN.
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GEO. C. STURGIS,
Secretary Board of Regents.
Morgantown, W. Va., August 16, 1870-ly.

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THIS well known hotel has been entirely renovated and refitted, and is now open for the reception of guests. It is situated on the main road, and is well supplied with every comfort which well-to-do travelers can desire. Clean beds, and attentive servants attend to the wants of the public.
September 20, 1870-ly.

POPULATION OF THE UNITED STATES.
The Cincinnati Enquirer has obtained from the Census Bureau at Washington, returns so nearly full and official from twenty-nine States that they may be stated as follows with almost entire accuracy:
States. 1870. 1860.
Alabama. 1,002,000 664,201
Arkansas. 496,100 435,450
California. 1,215,000 708,000
Florida. 123,000 112,216
Georgia. 189,995 140,424
Illinois. 1,185,000 1,057,286
Indiana. 2,540,216 1,711,951
Iowa. 1,068,109 1,350,428
Kansas. 1,177,515 674,918
Kentucky. 353,182 407,206
Louisiana. 1,323,284 1,155,584
Maryland. 716,394 708,000
Michigan. 80,000 687,049
Minnesota. 1,184,158 749,118
Mississippi. 460,037 172,023
Missouri. 834,190 791,305
Nebraska. 170,309 118,202
Nevada. 105,000 28,841
New York. 4,400,000 3,400,000
North Carolina. 1,072,000 992,622
Ohio. 2,675,468 2,890,511
Oregon. 110,000 52,465
South Carolina. 785,000 738,705
Tennessee. 1,258,326 1,109,801
Texas. 850,000 604,215
Virginia. 1,209,607 1,590,318
West Virginia. 447,943
Wisconsin. 1,052,266 775,881

REMOVAL.
THE undersigned, proprietor of the MARBLE HOTEL in Darksville, has taken charge of THE FARNSWORTH HOUSE, MIDDLEWAY, JEFFERSON CO., W. VA. His TABLE and BAR will be kept up with the best of everything in the market and he hopes to merit and receive a share of the public patronage.
April 8, 1870-ly.

The Good Old Times.
The days when women whirled the spinning-wheel and plied the loom in this country are not quite forgotten yet. When these lands were new, before pianos and organs were common in the parlor, there was a music of winter evenings, when the wood fire roared and the spindle hummed, and the happy mothers, spinning, sung their children into the paradise of dreams. This is an ancestral home that many dainty dandies and befeathered maidens now would fain dismiss! Indeed, there are here and there American society persons who were nothing but imported dandies and fanciful fixtures every day, who more in the rustle of silk and satin gowns, whose school day garments were spun and woven, cut and stitched by a skillful mother's fingers. The times have changed. But after this, there never shall be painted a more beautiful picture than that of the bygone days, when the field-slaves, tattered under by heavy forest green, waved in purple bloom, and wreaths of flowers bleached white as snow upon the meadow grass! The whirl of the fiers and the pool when the downy flax from the distaff and the velvety rolls of wool from the yielding hand were drawn out in threads and wound away, and the beat of the busy loom, made as charming sound to the souls of our fathers and mothers as the tones of piano and guitar to their fastidious children and dandies' children now. Yes, the times have changed; but whether toward or from the Eden joys, let him who considers and discovers tell! Still, the health and bliss of honest work are very sure.—Alexander Clark.

TO FARMERS,
DAIRMEN & COUNTRY MERCHANTS.
ALL WHO HAVE FOR SALE
Flour, Grain, Potatoes, Flaxseed, Cotton, Tobacco, Lumber, Staves, Tan Bark, Sheep, Poultry, Eggs, Lard, Bacon, Butter, Wood, Rags, Fur Skins, Dried Fruits, &c.
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The highest charge made is Five per cent—Goods of every description, if purchased and forwarded with dispatch, which either cash or trade accompanies the order.
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Thomas K. Lee, Esq., Director in Nat'l Bank.
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B. C. Speck, Rodgersville, W. Va.
October 11, 1870-ly.

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WILL CHARLTONS,
No. 63 CHARLES ST.
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ENTLER HOTEL,
SHEPHERDSTOWN, WEST VIRGINIA.
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July 17, 1866-ly.

MANUFACTURE AND REPAIR
all kinds of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, &c., at the shortest notice, and upon terms as moderate as the same class of work can be done for anywhere.
Call and be convinced.
November 1, 1870-ly.

HEAVY BOOTS AND SHOES.
I hope the Ladies and Gentlemen will give me a call, and find their money well spent.
J. W. THOMAS,
No. 101 Main Street.
Sept. 27, 1870-ly.

THE STRANGE PRAYER.
The worst man in the village was Jack Ranney. He had a comfortable home, but it was not a happy one. As soon as the big gate opened, his two sons, Billy and Bob, ran into the house exclaiming, "Father is coming," and into a corner they crouched, and there they stood until they were ordered to bed. There was no clapping of hands, no ruddy lips turned up to receive father's evening kiss in Jack's house. No, his children stood in terror of him; for often, after his wife was gone, over him he would drink, and then he was cross, and would strike the first one who came in his way.

THE TWO-HEADED AND FOUR-LEGGED WOMAN.—There is now on exhibition at the Fair Grounds in Columbus, Ga., the most wonderful freak of nature ever presented to the world. It consists of a negro girl, or as some would say, a pair of girls, aged 18 years. The person or persons has two perfectly developed heads and bodies down to the waist, where the two spines and bodies become blended into one solid body. On each body are two perfect arms and hands, of which each has full and natural use. She has four perfectly formed and well developed legs and feet, on which she moves actively. She can walk and dance a quadrille. She was born a slave, the property of Mrs. Smith, in Columbus, Robeson county, North Carolina, who tenderly cared for and raised and educated her. She is intelligent, and can do hard work with two persons at the same time. She is cheerful, and said to be most devotedly attached to Mrs. Smith. What is singular, though she appears from the color of skin to be of pure negro blood, she has straight black hair.
Columbus, Ga.

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August 9, 1870-6m.

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October 25, 1870.

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THE subscriber has at all times for sale, throughout the State, the purest Oldenburg and Kentucky Pedigree. He has now on hand and for sale, Six or Eight ranging from six months to two years old, of fine quality and appearance. His Cattle may all be found recorded in the American Short Horn Herd Book.
Charlestown, Jefferson county, W. Va.
August 24, 1870-3m.

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THE undersigned desires to inform the citizens in the vicinity of "HOPEWELL MILLS," otherwise known as "Bridges Mills," that he has secured the services of a first-class Miller, who is prepared to do all kinds of Grinding at the shortest notice, and in the best manner. Flour and Meal always on hand.
EUGENE BAKER,
August 22, 1870-ly.

WANTED AT SEEMIT DEPOT.
HIDES of all kinds—Beef, Calf, Sheep, &c., for which the highest market price will be paid in trade. Old Iron—either cast or wrought—in exchange for hides.
HILARY, WILSON & JOHNSON.
Summit Point, Oct. 18, 1870.

THE TWO-HEADED AND FOUR-LEGGED WOMAN.—There is now on exhibition at the Fair Grounds in Columbus, Ga., the most wonderful freak of nature ever presented to the world. It consists of a negro girl, or as some would say, a pair of girls, aged 18 years. The person or persons has two perfectly developed heads and bodies down to the waist, where the two spines and bodies become blended into one solid body. On each body are two perfect arms and hands, of which each has full and natural use. She has four perfectly formed and well developed legs and feet, on which she moves actively. She can walk and dance a quadrille. She was born a slave, the property of Mrs. Smith, in Columbus, Robeson county, North Carolina, who tenderly cared for and raised and educated her. She is intelligent, and can do hard work with two persons at the same time. She is cheerful, and said to be most devotedly attached to Mrs. Smith. What is singular, though she appears from the color of skin to be of pure negro blood, she has straight black hair.
Columbus, Ga.

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