BY JAMES W. BELLER.

BALTIMORE LOCK HOSPITAL; RE may be obtained the most speedy remedy weakness, Loss of Organic Powers, Pain in s, Disease of the Kidneys, Affections of the great, Nose and Skin; Constitutional Debility, hose horrid affections arising from a Certain abit of Youth, which blight their most brilliant anticipations, rendering Marriage, etc., im-

Young Man especially, who have become the vicms of Solitary Vice, that dreadful and destructive
abit which annually sweeps to an untimely grave
housands of young men of the most exalted talents
and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have enanced listening Schates with the thunders of elomence, or waked to ecstacy the living lyre, may call
ith full confidence.

rried persons, or those contemplating marriage, aware of physical weakness, should immediately alt Dr. J., and be restored to perfect health. ace No. 7, South Frederick street, Baltimore, Md. left hand side, going from Baltimore street, 'rom the corner. Be particular in observing the r, or you will mistake the place. Dr. Johnston.

Dr. Johnston,
Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London,
Graduate from one of the most eminent Colleges of the
United States, and the greater part of whose life has
been spent in the Hospitals of London, Paris, Philadelphia and elsewhere, has effected some of the most astonishing cures that were ever known. Many troubled
with a ringing in the cars and head when asleep, great
nervousness, being alarmed at sudden sounds, and
bashfulness, with frequent blushing, attended sometimes with derangement of mind, were cared immedi-

Take Particular Notice. Dr. J. addresses all those who have injured themselves by private and improper indulgences, that secret and solitary habit, which ruin both body and mind, unfiting them for either business or society.

duced by early liabits of youth, viz: Weakness of the Back and limbs, Pains in the Head, Dimness of Sight, Loss of Muscular Power, Palpitation of the Heart, Dis-pepsia, Nervous Irritability, Derangement of the Diges-cive Functions, General Debility, Symptoms of Con-

MENTALLY.—The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded; loss of memory, confusion of ideas, depression of spirits, evil forebodings, aversion to society, self distrust, love of solitude, timidity, &c., Nervous Debility.

Weakness of the system, nervous debility and premature decay, generally arising from the destructive habit of youth, that solitary practice so fatal to the healthful existence of man, and it is the young who are most apt to become its victims from an ignorance of the dangers to which they subject themselves. Parents and guardians are often misled with respect to the cause or source of disease in their sons and wards. Alas! how often do they ascribe to other causes the wasting of the frame, Palpitation of the heart, dyspepsia, indigestion, derangement of the nervous system, cough, and symptoms of consumption, also those serious mental effects, such as loss of memory, depression of spirits or peculiar fits of melancholy, when the truth is they have been indulging in peracious but alluring practices, destructive to both body and mind. Thus are swept from existence, thousands who might have been of use to their country, a pleasure to their friends, and ornaments to gociety.

Dr. Johnston's Invigerating Remedy for Organic Weakness. This grand and important Remedy has th and vigor to thou individuals, many who had lost all hopes, and been abandoned to die. By its complete invigoration of the nervous system, the whole faculties become restored to their proper power and functions, and the fallen fabric of life is raised up to beauty, consistency and duration, upon the ruins of an amaciated and premature decline, to sound and pristine health. Oh, how happy have hundreds of misguided youths been made, who have been suddenly restored to health from the devastations of those terrific maladies which result from indiscretion.

Marriage, should reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote commubial happiness. Indeed, without this, the journey through life becomes a weary pilgrimage; the prospect hourly darkens to the view; the mind becomes shadowed with despair, and filled with the melancholy reflection that the happiness of another becomes blighted with our own.— Let us false delicacy prevent you, but apply immedi-

He who places himself under the care of Dr. Johnston may religiously confide in his honor as a Gentleman, and confidently rely upon his skill as a Physician. To Strangers.

The many thousands cured at this institution withinthe last ten years, and the numerous important Surgical Operations performed by Dr. Johnston, witnessed by the reporters of the papers and many other persons notices of which have appeared again and again before the public, is a sufficient guarantee that the afflicted will find a skillful and honorable physician. N. B. There are so many ignorant and worthless Quacks advertising themselves as physicians, ruining the health of the already Afflicted, that Dr. Johnston deems it necessary to say to those acquainted with his reputation that his credentials or diplomas always

Weakness of the Organs immediately cured, and full vigor restored.

ALL LETTERS-POST-PAID—REMEDIES SENT BY MAIL.

HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY, HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT.

Incorporated 1810.--Charter Perpetual. Capital \$150,000, with power of increasing it to \$250,000. DUBLIC Buildings, Manufactories, Mills, Machine ry, Dwelling Houses, Stores, Merchandise, Household Furniture, Vessels on the stocks or while in port, &c., will be insured at rates as low as the risk will

Applications for Insurance may be made of

In the absence of the Agent from Charlestown, to J. P. Brown, Esq., who will affend to them promptly Persons at a distance address through the mail.

N. B. On all Church Buildings and Clergymen's personal property the Agent will present his commissions in reducing the amount of premiums on the risks thus arising. July 13, 1852—1y

AGENCY. THE undersigned, Agent for INSURANCE COM-PANY OF THE VALLEY OF VIRGINIA, at Winchester, and HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, of Hartford, Connecticut, will receive applications and regulate Premiums on all risks in the former Company, and Insure Property and deliver Policy on the property insured as soon as premiums are paid in the latter company.

SUBSCRIPTIONS received for the following Newspapers and Periodicals: Daily, tri-weekly and weekly National Intelligence

Do. 6o. do. Baltimo Weekly Episcopal Recorder. Do. Littells' Living Age. Monthly Boys' and Girls' Magazine. Do. Youths' Cabinet and Mentor. Baltimore American

B. W. HERBERT.

SAMUEL J. C. MOORE. GEORGE H. BECKWITH. TO THE CITIZENS OF JEFFERSON & CLARKE.

THE undersigned beg leave to announce that they are engaged in the Mercantile Business, in the Store House at Summit Point, formerly occupied by Seevers & Bro.

They have just received, and now offer a full and

complete assortment of Spring and Summer Goods, of the very latest and the most approved styles. They would call the attention of the Ladies to their Dress Goods, consisting of Silks, Tissues, Grenadines, Be-rage de Laines, Lawns, &c., which, in beauty and cheapness, will favorably compare with any that can be found. They have also an excellent stock of Cloths, Cas-meres, Summer Cloths, and other goods for gentle-

men's wear.

Their stock of Grocriees and Domestics is large and well selected; in short, they have on hand, and intend to keep constantly, all such Goods as are usually found at a Country Store.

PRODUCE of all sorts taken in exchange for goods,

t the highest market prices.
They solicit a call MOORE & BECKWITH. P. S. Having leased the Depot and Warehouse, we shall give close attention to the Forwarding and Receiving Business. We have reduced the commissions upon goods received, and they are now as low as at any Depot on the road.

M. & B.

Summit Point, May 10, 1853.—tf.

CASH FOR NEGROES. THOSE persons having Negroes for sale, can get the highest price by calling on the subscriber at Charlestown. Application in person or by letter will be promptly attended to.

C. G. BRAGG.
July 15, 1851.

MEAT-EATERS, ATTENTION. HE undersigned have been compelled heretofore to do business under many disadvantages, having any cash for all stock purchased, and sell the same in a credit of at least twelve months. The Trustees harlestown, however, having established a Markich has thus far been most liberally patronized, essity upon the part of ourselves, no less than what conceive to be the interest of our customers, come to give notice, that hereafter we shall keep the latter regularly supplied with the best

which money or labor can procure, and to be sold at the LOWEST PRICES, which our purchases will afford, for CASH ONLY. As this rule will operate not may to our own advantage, but subserve the increast of our customers, we hope to be able greatly to ularge our business during the year, and furnish such ticles of Meat as have never before been seen in the harlestown market, and at prices of which none can implain.

ose indebted on "old scores," are requested in immediately, as all our capital, no less than it, are distributed among the community at WILITAM JOHNSON.

SAML. C. YOUNG. n, January 4, 1853—tf Sortment of Oil Lamps, of different sizes and L. M. SMITH

CHARLESTOWN, VIRGINIA, TUESDAY, AUGUST 23, 1853.

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Poetry.

PICTURES OF MEMORY.

Among the beautiful pictures
That hang on memory's wall,
Is one of a dim old forest,
That seemeth the best of all; Not for the gnarled oaks olden, Dark with the mistletoe, Not for the violets golden, That sprinkle the vale below.

Not for the milk-white lilies That lean from the fragrant hedge, Coquetting all day with the sun-beam And stealing their golden edge; Not for the vines in the upland, Where the bright red berries rest, Nor the pinks, nor the pale sweet cowslip, It seemeth to me the best.

I once had a little brother, With eyes that were dark and deep; In the lap of that dim old forest, He lieth in peace asleep;
Light as the down of the thistle,
Free as the winds that blow,
We roved there the beautiful summers,
The summers of long ago;
But his feet on the hills grew weary,

And one of the autumn eves, I made for my little brother, A bed of the yellow leaves.

Sweetly his pale arms folded My neck in a meek embrace, As light of Immortal Beauty Silently covered his face; And when the arrows of sun-set Lodged in the tree-tops bright, He fell, in his saint like beauty,

Asleep by the Gates of Light Therefore, of all the pictures That hang on Memory's wall, The one of the dim old forest

Miscellaneous.

CANT PHRASES.

There is no greater mark of ill-breeding and vulgarity than the use of slang phrases .-These forms of speech have heretofore been regarded as the distinctive characteristics of bar-room loafers, sporting rowdies, thieves and

Of late, however, the unseemly habit of interlarding the discourse with cant phrases has extended among young men-and woarticle denouncing the practice, very justly remarks that the human speech should be noble and dignified, and worthy to express the thoughts of immortal beings. Low ideas are always attached to cant phrases, which must inevitably exercise a degrading influence upon the mind. Low conceptions are as detrimental to improvement as wet and heavy plumage to a bird that would take a

To show the extent to which the habit o using cant phrases is sometimes carried, the following conversation which transpired in the Stout family, is reported:-

"I declare to goodness! I really think Mr Rustle is making up to our Josephine!" said Mrs. Stout, after the gentleman referred to had passed the previous evening at their house, staying to a later hour than usual. "You'd better believe it," rejoined the young

lady, playfully. "You may bet high on that," added Napo leon, who was in the act of lighting a real Havana.

"How do you like the cut of his jib, Timo thy?" resumed Mrs. Stout, turning to her hus-"I don't greatly like his 'rig,' but Josephine

thinks he's 'some,'" was the reply. "Whether you like him or not, it's my opinion he'll make a 'tip-top husband,'" continue the mother.

"'Put her through,' mother," said Josephine

"Go in, lemons!" suggested Napoleon, smok ing through his nose; a remark, by the way so ambiguous, that it certainly must have puzzled other parties to guess at his meaning; but, in the present case, it seemed to be invested with perfect lucidity. "Napoleon, I advise you to 'shut your hop-

per !' " elegantly retorted the young lady. Mr. Stout proceeded to enquire if Mr. Rustle was a man of property, and was assured by his better half that he had a "pocket full of rocks." The husband and father then remarked to the effect that he had been more favorably impressed with Mr. Goodwin, a young farmer in the neighborhood, than with the gentleman under consideration. Miss Stout manifested a different opinion on the subject, emphatically declaring that "he couldn't come in."

"He's over that way," said her brother making a gesture over his shoulder with his

The above, we are inclined to believe, is not fancy sketch. It shows the extent to which the practice of using cant phrases, when once acquired, may be carried. Like the dramdrinker's appetite for intoxicating drinks, the habit grows upon a person almost insensibly. and it is almost as difficult to eradicate. It should be avoided by the young, and the acquaintance of those who are addicted to the nabit should be shunned.

RETIRING FROM BUSINESS.

Scarcely a man can now-a-days be met with who did not start in life with the resolve that when a certain sum has been accumulated, to retire from the cares of business, and enjoy the balance of his days "otium cum dignitate." Visions of sunny farms and rural retreats are ever before him, but, unfortunately, few men have the courage, when the required sum has been obtained, to be content and retire.

In the course of years, new tastes have been acquired; and new wants added to the humble catalogue with which he commenced life. The rural retreat has become a su-&c., and a few thousand more have become necessary. So he goes toiling on, his ambition widening and extending as he pushes and urges his way on to competence and fortune.— During all this time he forgets that he is growing older—that his capacity for enjoyment is getting more contracted every day—that his tastes and habits are becoming confirmed in business life, so that when he does muster up the firmness to yield his place in the business world to younger men, he is about as unhappy a mortal as one could meet on a summer's day It is related of a tallow chandler of London, who had accumulated a fortune and retired to his villa, that time hung so heavy upon his hands that he used to have a melting day once a week, and make his own candles for amusement. He had probably neglected to lay in a store of knowledge, to cultivate a taste for reading, or otherwise prepare his mind as well as his pocket for the purpose of a life of leisure.— His great object had been to make enough to

That man alone can hope to enjoy a pleasant leisure in the evening of his days, who has intellectual means of enjoyment always at command. He must, or should be, satisfied with mand. He must, or should be, satisfied with comfortable independence, and leave the cares of business in the meridian of life—if he can—before he comes so thoroughly habituated to a certain routine, to deviate from which, or to leave, instead of comfort and happiness, would only make him miserable and discontented.

DES, AT COST. -- A large lot of Miss's and the accidental discharge of her duty, is slowly recovering.

There's the secret. A saving woman at the head of a family is the very best Savings' Bank yet established—one that receives deposites daily and hourly, with no costly machinery to manage it. The idea of saving is a pleasant one, and if "the women" would imbibe it once, they would cultivate and adhere to it; and thus many, when they were not aware of it, would be laying the foundation of a competence, security in a stormy time, and a shelter in a rainy day. The woman who sees to her own house has a large field to save in, and the best way to make her comprehend it is for her to keep an account current for expenses. Probably not one wife in ten has an idea how much are the expenditures of herself or family. Where from one to two thousand dollars are expended annually, there is a chance to save something if the at-tempt is only made. Let the housewife take the idea—act upon it—and strive over it—and she will save many dollars—perhaps hundreds where before she thought it impossible. This is a duty-not a prompting of avaricea moral obligation that rests upon all—upon "the women" as well as the men; but it is a duty, we are sorry to say, that is cultivated very little, even among those who preach the most and regard themselves as examples in most matters. "Teach the women to save" is a good enough maxim to be inserted in the next edition of "Poor Richard's Almanac."

TEACH THE WOMEN TO SAVE.

A WORD TO BOYS.

We find the following "words to boys" in one of our exchanges, and recommend its perusal to our young readers. Get it by heart, lads:—"Who is respected? It is the boy who conducts himself well, who is honest, diligent, and obedient to all things. It is the boy who is making an effort continually to respect his father, and to obey him in whatever he may direct to be done. It is the boy who is kind to other little boys, who respects age, and who never gets into difficulties and quarrels with his companions. It is the boy who leaves no effort untried to improve himself in knowledge and wisdom every day-who is busy and active in endeavoring to do good acts towards others. Show me a boy who obeys his parents, who is diligent, who has respect men, too, of respectability and good standing | for age, who always has a friendly disposition, in the community, and has become a crying and who applies himself diligently to get wisevil. The Drawing Room Companion, in an dom, and to do good towards others, and if he is not respected and beloved by every body, then there is no such thing as truth in the world. Remember this, little boys, and you will be respected by others, and you will grow up and become useful men."

THE SOCIETY OF LADIES. The following pertinent remarks occur at the

close of an article on the danger of "College Life," from the pen of a New York clergyman, which appeared in the New York Times :-"The society of ladies has done much for me all my life long; and it was the salutary, softening influence of such associations, that with God's blessing, restrained me from many an excess into which I might otherwise have been led while receiving my education. It is a bad sign when a young man has no relish for such company. Whatever be a man's station in life, whether higher or lower, public or private, he will become a better man, and escape many a disaster, if he will listen, in due season, to the voice of the intelligent and the refined among the other sex. Not only do they generally excel us in their nice perception of the proprieties of life, and in their tender sense of duty to both God and man, but they are equally before us, in their instinctive facilitiy of foreseeing evil before it is upon us, and of wisely discerning the character and

"It was not all a dream which made the wife of Julius Cæsar so anxious that he should not go to the Senate Chamber on the fatal Ides of March; and, had he complied with her intreaties, he might have escaped the danger of Brutus. Disaster followed disaster in the career of Napoleon, from the time that he ceased to feel the balancewheel of Josephine's influence on his impetuous spirit, Our own Washington, when important questions were submitted to him, often has said that he should like to carry the subject to his bed chamber before he had formed his decision; and those who knew the clear judgment and elevated purposes of Mrs. Washington, thought all the better of him for wishing to make her a confidential counsellor. Indeed, the great majority of men who have acquired for themselves good and great name, were not only married men, but happily married "both paired and

Oliver Cromwell's speech to the parliament, when he turned it neck and heels out of doors, is worth reprinting as a specimen of the vigorous eloquence of that strong-headed and strong-armed

"It is high time for me to put an end to your sitting in this place, which ye have dishonored by your contempt of all virtue, and defiled by the practice of every vice. Ye are a factious crew, and enemies to all good government.-Ye are a pack of mercenary wretches, and would, like Esau, sell your country for a mess of pottage, and like Judas, betray your God for a few pieces of silver. Is there a single virtue now remaining among you? Is there one vice you do not possess? You have no more religion than my horse. Gold is your God. Which of you have not bartered away

your conscience for bribes? "Is there a man among you that has the least care for the good of the commonwealth! You sordid prostitutes ! have you not defiled the sacred place, and turned the Lord's temple into a den of thieves? By your immoral principles and wicked practices ye have grown intolerable odious to a whole nation. You who were deputed here by the people to get their greviances regressed, are vo come the greatest greviances. Your country, therefore, calls upon me to cleanse this augean stable, by putting a final period to your inquitious proceedings in this house, and which by God's help and the strength He has given me, I now intend to do. I command you, therefore, upon the beril of your lives, to depart immediately out of this place. Go! Get you out! Make haste! Ye venal slaves begone! Take away that shining bauble there,

the speaker's mace, and lock up the doors!" A party of thirteen have arrived overland from Hangtown, California. They report no sickness on the plains and no deaths, with the exception of three persons killed by lightning, who were from Illinois. The emigrants say that their teams and stock are in better order than when they crossed the Missouri river. The season is unprecedented for the health of the emigrants and the fine order of their stock, not an animal having been lost, with the exception of some few by carelessness A large number of Californians are returning to the States this season by overland. They think the number will reach 1,200.

.... "First class in sacred music stand up. How many kinds of metre are there ?" "Three sir-long metre, short metre, and meet her by moon-light alone!"

... It is a glorious occupation, vivifying and self sustaining in its nature, to struggle with ignorance and discover to the inquiring minds of the masse the clear heculean blue of heavenly truth. ... As frost to the bud, and blight to the blossom, even such is self-interest to friendship; for confidence cannot dwell where selfishness is porter at the gets. A LOVE SWINDLE.

sheep's eyes" at others, who like the hero of the following romantic adventure, may be made the "victims of misplaced confidence."

On the—th of April last—not." the first," or it might have been mistaken for a hoax, any one opening the New York Sun might have found among its numerous advertisements, which present such a map of busy life in that city, a notice from some young bachelor of a "partner wanted"—not to retail dry goods, or wholesale groceries, nor yet to engage in any one of the various manufactures usually advertised in the newspapers, but for "a partner" of his joys and sorrows—in one word, a wife, young, handsome, accomplished.

Stray copies of that paper reached our city, and early in May, when birds are said to seek their mates, a letter was posted here, to the address of the advertiser, neatly written on perfumed paper, stating that the writer answered in every respect, the requisition—further, that ahe was the daughter of a wealthy—, of this city.—Having doubtless heard of the beauty of our girls, and finding none other that suited, the advertiser replied, and a correspondence was kept up, which resulted in the request that he should fly on the wings of the locomotive to meet his love.

Leaving his husiness, early in the dull month of Leaving his husiness, early in the dull month of Leaving his husiness, early in the dull month of Leaving his husiness, early in the dull month of Leaving his husiness, early in the dull month of Leaving his husiness, early in the dull month of Leaving his husiness, early in the dull month of Leaving his husiness, early in the dull month of Leaving his husiness, early in the dull month of Leaving his husiness, early in the dull month of Leaving his husiness, early in the dull month of Leaving his husiness, early in the dull month of Leaving his husiness.

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Leaving his business, early in the dull month of June, he sped to our smoky city, where—pursuant to arrangement—the parties met one Sunday at Trinity Church, exchanged cards and a hurried word, in which an invitation was given and accepted to call next day at No—, on a street which shall be for the present nameless.—In due time our auxious hero presents himself, is introduced to the parents as an old acquaintance whom she has found in Connecticut, some year or two previous, when at school—and received quite warmly, encouraging him to hope that he had not visited the West in vain.

Soon an opportunity occurred for private conversation, vows were exchanged, all went on happily—"the day" was almost fixed, when the lady suggested patience, and it was concluded that the lover should return to New York and in due time demand her hand from the parents. A month elapsed, his courteous letter to her parents was answered promptly, but with a decided refusal of his offer.

offer.

Disappointed, the young man betook himself to business, trusting that his cares might reconcile him to the failure of his efforts to procure a wife in a business-like way, and without tying himself to a girl's apron string for a twelvemonth—when among his letters one morning again appeared a note addressed in a handwriting he had not forgotten. Hastening to break the seal he read that the young lady had been so pleased with the happy hours spent in his company, that

"Tho' father an' mither an' a' should go mad,"
—she would fly to meet him, should he return to Pittsburgh. She advised him to be here by the middle of July, and fixed the twenty-eighth for the sacrifice at Hymen's altar. Love first, business afterward, seemed her motto; and the last letter he received suggested that her father, opposing the match, would not furnish the necessary funds (oh! that Almighty Dollar!) to prepare for so interesting an event, and requesting a supply, which his wife would no doubt repay with interest.

Anxious that nothing should prevent the consummation of their ardent desires, he promptly forwarded her, by return mail, the sum of four hundred dollars, with which to procure jewelry, dresses, silks, satins and laces "Tho' father an' mither an' a' should go mad," —and all she should deem necessary for so important a change as that fixed for the 28th of July.

He came to our city, indeed is still here, but ever since he parted with his money, his letters have been unanswered; the parents will have nothing to say to him; the lady will not see him, he has lost his money,

him; the lady will not see him; he has lost his money, and has no wife; as the young lady refuses to carry out her part of the contract, or to return the funds:

The question arises, whether the disappointed suitor shall bring a suit for breach of promise, prosecute the fair offender for obtaining money under false pretences, or remunerate himself by publishing the whole corresponderce in pamphlet form, for sale—a dime a copy!—

We would advise him to take council of another New Yorker, who was victimised in a somewhat similar man-Yorker, who was victimised in a somewhat similar manner, by a Yankee girl, in the city of Boston, recently; by "clubbing," they may save lawyer's fees.

[Pittsburg Dispatch.

A CANINE CRITIC. An amusing story is told of a young Parisian artist, who lately painted a portrait of a duckess, with which her friends were not satisfied, declaring that it was toher friends were not satisfied, declaring that it was totally unlike. The painter, however, was convinced that
he had succeeded admirably, and proposed that the question of resemblance or no resemblance should be left to a
little dog belonging to the duchess, which was agreed to.
Accordingly the picture was sent to the hotel of the lady
the next day, and a large party assembled to witness the
test. The dog was called in, and no sooner did he see
the portrait than he sprang upon it, licked it all over, and
showed every demonstration of the greatest joy. The
triumph of the painter was complete, and all present insisted that the picture had been retouched during the
night, which was actually so, the artist having rubbed it
over with a thin coating of lard! The dog's nose was
sharper than the critics' eyes. sharper than the critics' eyes.

GIRL KILLED BY AN ALLIGATOR.

The Galveston (Texas) News learns from Mr. C. C. The Galveston (Texas) News learns from Mr. C. C. Burch, from Sabine Pass, that about three weeks ago, a small girl, ten years old, daughter (he thinks) of Solomon Sparks, living at the mouth of Old River, Orange county, was caught by an alligator as she was wading out to gather auts out of the pond lily, and most horribly mutilated. Both her arms and both her legs were bitten off by pieces, and swallowed by the alligator, until her body was left limbless, and of course lifeless.—This occurred near the residence of Mr. Sparks. As soon as the alarm was given the alligator was shot an his body opened, when there was found not only the limbs of the unfortunate little victim, but also a pair of pantaloons, with a pocket-book in the pocket containing some money. The pantaloons were supposed to belong to a man who had not long since been drowned in the

More Negroes Burned at the Stake -We noiced last week the recent horrible tragedy near Carthage. At that time the negro belonging to Scott had not been taken. He was caught in the prairie about fifteen miles from Carthage, taken the town and tried, and was pronounced guilty. although he refused to make any cofession. The negro belonging to Dale had previously confessed the whole matter. They decoyed Dr. Fisk from home, by pretending that Mr. Dale's child wai sick, and they had been sent for him. He had gone but a little way when one of the negroes knocked him on the head with an axe and killed him. They both went to the house—one of them knocked Mrs. Fisk down with his fist, and after brutally accompished their desires on her, killed her with the same xe that killed her husband, choked the child to eath, set fire to the house in two places, and lett, The citizens of the surrounding country determin ed to give a warning to all future transgressors of the kind, took the negroes out of the hands of the officers, and burned them on Saturday last, about ten o'clock. They both made confessions after being chained to the stake, but the Scott negro afterwards denied any knowledge of it. They died in about two minutes.—Springfield (IU.) Advertiser

EXECUTION IN VIRGINIA .- Goens, the man convicted of the murder of his own daughter, was executed Charlottesville, Va., on Friday last, in the presence Charlottesville, Va., on Friday last, in the presence of a great throng of spectators. He acknowledged before his execution that he recollected whipping his daughter severely on the day upon which she died; but did not recollect having struck her with a pine knot which caused her death. He stated that he was drunk at the time of the murder, and had but an indistinct recollection of what he did; though he declared it was never his intention to have killed his daughter. He professed to be prepared to die. He met his fate firmly, bade his family farewell, warning them with his last breath against the use of ardent spirits, which had brought him to the vallows.

The Richmon d Enquirer says, by authority, that "the Board of Public Works have not experienced, and do not apprehend any difficulty in promptly meeting all demands against the State for the works of internal improvement in which she has so liberally and judiciously embarked. The payments of the State's subscription to all sthe rail road companies, save two, are required, by law, to be made, dari passu with the payments of private subscriptions, and the Board of Public Works have eate subscriptions, and the Board of Public Works have since their contract with Selden, Withers & Co., in 1851, invariably been prepared to honor the drafts of the various railroad companies, for the State's proportion, upon presentation. The money expended upon the construction of the Blue Ridge and the Covington and Ohio Rail Roads, is limited by law, and the contractors never experience delay or embarrassment in receiving their money the moment the estimates and drafts of the Engineer are presented."

Ho! FOR THE RAILEGADS!—The corps of Engineers of the Manassas' Gap Railroad Company passed through this place, a few days since, to commence surveying the route at the western terminus of the road,—having made their experimental lines from the east as far as this place. Two corps of Engineers of the Alexandria, Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad have arrived here and are now in the field,—one corps surveying west, and the other east of this place.—Romney Intelligencer.

other east of this place.—Romany Interspencer.

Of A Convention composed of delegates from Virginia,
North Carolina, Tennessee, Ohio and Kentucky, was
held at Madison, (Ky.,) week before last, the object
being to connect the valley of the Ohio with the South
Atlantic Seaboard, by the construction of a railroad from
Lexington to Cumberland Gap. Mr. William Ballard
Preston made an address on the occasion, and resolutions
were adopted to request the Kentucky Legislature to
incorporate the company, and urging the Legislatures of
Virginia and Tennessee to pass such other acts as may
be necessary.

EXTENSIVE FORGERIES—CINCINNATI, AUGUST 10.—
The paper of all the Ohio Stock Banks has been refused by the banks here in consequence of the genuine notes of a number of the banks having been stolen from the Auditor's office. There is some mystery connected with the affair, which renders it possible that the notes of all the bills detected were signed by the Register, but the names of the President and Cashier were larged.

A Man or Negve. - Mr. Cary H. Boatright was tried last Sunday to Mrs. Lucinda Ward, both is city.

is is only the tenth time that Mr. B. has taken b. He is decidedly a man of countried taste ded to the joys of domestic life, rather than the countries wide werhood. He is actual afraid to slap a child in the street for fear it is his own. No wonder the population of Indianapolis is increasing so rapidly.—Indianapolis Journal. General Entelligence.

Now for the first time in active operation unbers among its leading members the most ninent practical farmers in the State.

With a view to prompt and extensive organiation, measures have been taken for canvass ing the State, and although the number is not yet within 10,000 of what it is reasonably expected to be, the Society may be considered as established upon an enduring foundation, and as already in a condition to commence an annual series of cattle shows and fairs. It calls upon the farmers everywhere to be just to themselves, in giving each one his aid to this great enterprise, fraught as it is believed with so much good to the substantial prosperity and independence of the State.

The terms of membership are so low that there are few, if any, without the means of uniting with it; and it must be a narrow minded and short-sighted farmer, who will not spare the pittance which will make and keep him a

The first Great Cattle Show, (there is every reason to hope that it will be a great show.) will come off at Richmond, the first week in November, and occupy most of the week .-The Common Council, with wise and commendable liberality, have appropriated a square and \$6,000 to fit it up for the Society, and the work is rapidly going on under the direction of Mr. T. T. Giles, a gentleman of fine taste

and animated with great zeal in the cause. The lines of transportation will pass members of the Society and their families stock and all articles for the fair, to and from, gratis. In addition, the City has given the Society the use of Lafayette Hall, where, during every evening of the week of exhibition, appropriate addresses and lectures upon practical agriculture will be delivered by distinguished gentlemen of this and other States. Among others, the Society has invited Mr. P. A. Brown of Philadelphi who, it will be remembered, was here, not many months past, with specimens of all the different wools used in manufacture, and delivered some very interesting lectures upon that and sheep husbandry, which is now all important to a great number of our land holders.

But the views and aims of the Society extend far beyond the annual cattle show: to the improvement and elevation of the agricultural and industrial interests of the State-to the development of her vast and varied resources, and the enhancement of wealth and population, as connected with these interests. Its progress in the brief period of its actual existence has been almost unexampled, so that already a portion of its first volume of transactions has been printed, with a prospect of completion, within the first twelve months .-Its organization is effective, and it is able to bestow \$5,000 in premiums at its first cattle

May not the State, much less the Society, expect every Virginia farmer to do his duty: and may we not hope that every one of them will feel that he has an important and patriotic duty unperformed, until he has enrolled his

name among its members?

GEN. RICHARDSON'S TOUR. We find in the Richmond Despatch a long etter from Gen. RICHARDSON, agent of the State Agricultural Society, descriptive of his late trip to the Valley, &c. It comes too late for us to publish more than a condensed extract: "Since my return from Lexington, I attended the courts of Fauquier and Frederick passing rapidly through Fairfax, Prince Wiliam, Clarke and Jefferson counties. Of the truly magnificent country along the eastern base of the Blue Ridge, no description of mine could convey a just conception. Along the railroads, however, there is plenty of poor. out-lying land, a large portion of which is manifestly susceptible of profitable improve-ment, and to a Virginia farmer seems almost begging for it. Crops of oats universally sean-ty; of wheat good every where; and east of the mountains very fine crops of corn. In the Valley, the corn is not so good.

At Winchester I visited the grounds of Messrs Allen and steel, two worthy and intelligent Scotchmen, each of which has his garden and nursery, and maintains with his countryman and neighbor the kindest intercourse. Here, among other objects of interest, are some beautiful hedges of the Osage orange, and Mr. Steel's grounds are well worthy a journey of 200 miles to see. There under glass are several varieties of foreign grapes, in ranges of clusters beautiful to the eye, uniform in size and altogether exhibiting a perfection in this branch of horticulture seldom to be found.— Mr. Steel has also a large plantation of the Scotch larch, which he remarked to me might be made to cover the barren hills of Virginia and supply in 30 years, sills for all the rail-roads in the United States, which by that time he thinks can scarcely be supplied from the forest. I hope to obtain from him, for the Society, some very sensible suggestions derived from his conversation on the subject, with directions for propagating and disseminating the tree. There are manufactories of superior ploughs and wheat fans at Winchester, and the family flour of millers has uniformly I believe, taken premiums at Baltimore. Specimens of all these may be expected at the Fair."

SOUTHERN ENTERPRISE.

The most interesting of all the evidences of enterprise which have characterized the recent rapid improvements in the City of Alexan dria, is the new and extensive shop now suc-cessfully engaged in the construction of locomo-tives and steam engines generally. Their operations are extensive, giving employment and support to a large number of the population of that city; the character of their work is of the best quality, as is conclusively shown by the fact that they have entered into successful npetition with the best shops of New England and the middle States. One would sup pose from the railroads now in operation in Virginia, and the Southern States, our own factories would be constantly engaged in meet-ing the demands of those roads; but we are surprised, and no little mortified, to learn that until a very recent period this summer, the Alexandria manufactory has relied for its patronage upon northern railroads; that up to that time only one of the many locomotives made in their shops had been made for a South-ern road. There was on the stocks, whilst we were in Alexandria, a very large and beautiful engine for the Hudson river railroad, which was warranted to run sixty miles per hour. As long as Virginia passes by such workshops as the Alexandria, and Anderson & Souther's of Richmond, to seek northen workmanship, we need not complain of a want of southern enterprise and southern labor in the higher branches of mechanics. [Charlottesville Advocate.

THINGS AT THE CLYSTAL DALACE. The Pizamont Whig, speaking of the New York Crystal Palace, thus describes, what seems to us,

One that attracts much attention is Atkin's AUTOMATON RAKER, said to be one of the simplest at the same time that it is one of the most effective pieces of machinery ever invented. It can be attached to any of the eaping machines now in use. The same mechanism which moves the Reaper moves the arms of this machine, which spread themselves out and gather up the grain cut by the reaper, precisely like the arms of a human being. It then turns aside, opens its fingers, and lavs down its load ready for the binder, moves back to the Reaper, grasps another load, and so on as long as the motion lasts. The inventor is a bed ridden cripple, a resident of Chicago, who has not been in a harvest field for many years, and who has never been able to witess the operation of his own machine. The N. Y. Tribune says that if there was not another article in the Exhibition of interest to the farmer, this alone would be worth coming a thousand miles to see. It is also of almost equal interest to the mechinist, as a complicated movement produced by the most simple and ingenious piece of mechanism in the whole

By the side of this Rake stands an odd looking machine, unlike anything else in the Palace and perhaps unlike any thing else on earth. This is Gibb's ROTARY SPADE. The description we have seen does not convey a very clear idea of the thing, but we under stand it to consist of a series of narrow spades, something like the teeth of the old fashioned cultivator, which are set in a wheel and made to revolve and dig up the earth one after another, the whole being drawn by two oxen.

Two of these wheels are worked at once, and contain eight spades each, which shovel to a space about two feet wide to the depth of nine readily be increased by enlarging the machine.

The inventor comes from Washington city.

Pratt's Direct Discous operates upon a similar principle. It has twelve blades arranged round an iron circle. They enter the ground

as the circle revolves, each takes up a load of earth and carries it to the top of the machine, where it is discharged upon conductors which carry it off upon each side. It requires one where the ground is favorable it will cut 150 rods a day, no less than two feet. In hard and stony ground it will cut from 50 to 100 rods, by using an extra hand in a ditch, with a pick. Such at least is the statement of the inventor, who hails from Canaudaigua, N. Y. A PATENT PIG-PEN is one of the curiosities of the Exhibition. It is a model of an improved plan for feeding swine. Instead of a feeding trough, there are a series of cast iron basins set in a bench about a foot high, over each of which is an iron frame to keep every pig to his own dish. Over these basins there is a roof, and the side of the pen in front of them is hung upon pivots, so that it can be pushed back at the bottom, shutting the pigs in and the trough out. When it is filled the bolt is withdrawn, and the force of hunger pushes it back into its original position. It is a very

A PATENT BROOM is represented as worthy of notice. It is the first corn broom ever patented, and, as we understand it is rather a machine for making brooms than a mere broom itself. Any one who has broom corn can make his or her own brooms, and be independent of the store-keeper. There is no wine, no wire and no stitching about the thing. There is a flat steel spring, six inches long with a Thread inserted in the handle; and over that is a hinged socket, which being opened, the broom corn is laid upon the spring, with the butts in the sockets, which as well as the cross head of the spring is covered with teeth, which hold the corn. To keep it in its place, now shut down the hinge of the socket. and slip a ring down over the corn about the point where the twine is generally stitched through-and your broom is complete. One of these handles, which does not cost a great deal-will last for years, and the broom thus made has a decided advantage over the common one in this, that the handle does not project down into it, but the steel spring gives it a pleasant elasticity until it is completely worn

TRIAL OF REAPERS, &C.

The "Second Annual Exhibition of Reapers and Mowers," under the patronage of the State of Ohio, came off at Wooster, week before last. who live upon executive favor. We may, at There was present a board of examiners appointed by the State. Of the last day's trial in very heavy wheat, we give the following brief abstract, from the full report of the Cleave-

land True Democrat: The first acre-rolling ground-was cut in 31 minutes by Seymour & Morgan's, N. Y., Reaper. To work it well it requires two horses, a driver and raker. The work was uncommonly neat and clean. This machine is convertible into a mower. Price \$130.

Manny's Reaper, which is also a mower, cut

the second acre, in good style, in 37 minutes

It had previously cut an acre of tall rank

timothy, and cut it well, in 49 minutes. Price Palmer & Williams' Self-Raker cut the next well in 38 minutes, leaving the "gavels' straight at the side of the machine. Price

Hussey's Machine is strong, durable simple, and did its work well, with two exceptions—the labor of the raker is hard, and the gavels are laid in the rear of the machine, so that the binders must move them before

the next round. Price \$125. Atkins' Automaton Reaper cut the last acre admirably in 30 minutes. The arms of its Raker are described as moving apparently as if guided by as much intelligence as the human arm, and the whole thing is a wonderfu piece of machinery. Price not mentioned.

After a full and fair trial, the gold medal
was awarded to Seymour & Morgan's New

York Reaper, by a unanimous vote. APPALLING STATISTICS.

The New York papers are publishing the statistics of Railroad accidents during the present year, together with the numbers of the killed and wounded. They sum up as follows, presenting an aggregate which it is appalling

to contemplate: Months, No. Accidents, Killed, Wounded 25 Total to Aug. 12....65

by, suddenly sunk, as it were, last week, and ren ed dry for some days, when the water again retur The water on coming back, we learn, gushed for at first clear and copious, then receded and retur somewhat turbid though not diminished in on ty. The receding and returning, or ebb and for continued for some time after which the water be

PACIFIC RATLBOAD.

The treasury for years to come, would grounder his horse-leech cries, and a field wou be opened up for fraud and corruption, whi by increasing the patronage of the Executive would make fearful invasion upon the establish ed policy of the Demi

the jurisdiction and sovereignty of the States.

Many years since, when Mr. Whitney presented his plan for a Railroad to the Pacific, every same man regarded him as a fanatic and spurned his folly. But more recently several of our western cities have conceived that "manifest destiny" has decreed the construction of a railroad to the Pacific, and they have each set to work to secure, if possible, the Eastern terminus, hoping thereby to monopolize the East India trade. In the profusion of their selfish zeal they are endeavoring to persuade the entire country to believe that the "common defence and general walfare" require that the Federal Government should immediately em-Federal Government should immediately em-bark in the most extravagant enterprise ever

suggested to the American people.

Upon the announcement of so wild a proposition, the question at once presents itself, by what authority do the friends of this road propose that Congress shall undertake the work?

It will be remembered that the Federal Government is one of limited powers. The conventions of a number of States having at the time of their adopting the Constitution, expressed a desire, in order to prevent misconstruction or abuse of its powers, that further declaratory and restrictive clauses should be added, ten additional articles were adopted, the last of which declares that "the powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people." Then we must look to the Con-stitution, where we see the powers of Con-gress specifically enumerated, none of which, by any fair and reasonable interpretation, authorize Congress to engage in such a sch On the other hand, it is a matter of his the power to "establish post and milita roads;" to provide for the appointment of a "Secretary of Domestic Affairs," and make it his duty, with other things, "to attend to the opening of roads and navigation and the facilitating communication through the United States"—to invest Congress with the power to "provide for the cutting of canals when deemed necessary;" all of which propositions were rejected. Congress was only empowered "to establish post-offices and post-roads."

But the friends of the road base the power upon that clause of the Constitution which reads, "Congress shall have power to lay and collect taxes, duties, imposts and excises; to pay the debts and provide for the common defence and general welfare of the United States: or rather on the latter part-"common defence and general welfare." And this they construe as if it were a separate and indepen dent grant, applicable to any thing that may be imagined to contribute to the "common defence and general welfare." So that the constitution instead of being a fixed, known law, would be dependent upon the ever varying opinions of Congress, as to what will promote the 'common defence and general welfare.'— This would be a deplorable state of things i deed. The absurdity of such a construction is too palpable to make it necessary to recit instances that it may appear more glaringly The framers of the constitution never conter plated such a construction, for if they ha why be guilty of the folly of attempting to enumerate the powers of Congress, when by one fell swoop they had granted all power to Congress and made it omnipotent. The au-thority of Congress is clearly defined by specific grants of power, and beyond them it cannot go. Congress can only provide for the "common defence and general welfare" pursuant to the powers enumerated in and inci-dent thereto, and not by the exercise of any independent substantive authority. But we do not intend to go into an extended dissertation on the constitutional question. To our mind, the scheme is without favor or counte-nance from the Constitution, and is only a grand attempt to twist the Constitution to sub-

another time, examine the practicability and expediency of this scheme.—Staunton Vind'r.

The New Orleans Delta soliloquizes thus over that

serve the interests of particular localities, and

create a support fund for the hordes of men

now deserted and dreary metropolis: "The ships are all gone, and a solitary steam er whose straggling passengers seems almost afraid to land, finds an ample berth at the de serted wharf. No cabmen there to importun you for a fare, for their calls are now to the grave. The very horses have a melancholy look as they follow the dreary hearse on its way to some city of the dead. In the streets but a short time ago so bright and gay, no silks and satins sparkle in the "garish sun" mourning has taken their place, and the sparse promenaders move along as though afraid of the echoes of their own footsteps. Catch is you can the whispering words of the passer by sick—dying—dead! These are the words or every lip. Opera, music, dance, seem sacril

A JOURNEY ROUND THE WORLD.

The English papers tells us that a Sweedish frigate arrived at Plymouth, England, a few weeks since, from a voyage round the world. She sailed from Sweeden in October 1851, and having touched at Rio Janerio and La Plata, passed through the Straits of Magellan in Feb ruary, 1852. Sailing circuitously through the Pacific, she visited Gallipagos, Panama, the Sandwich Islands, Otaheite, San Francisco, the Friendly Islands, and Sydney. She was then steered towards the Indian Ocean. Leaving Australia, she directed her course to the Carolinns, the Ladrones, Canton, Manilla, Singaporte, Batavia, and the Mauritius. On the 20th April, 1853, she reached the Cape of Good Hope. Having sailed thence, she stretched away to St. Helena. On the 4th of May she took her departure from that Island, and reached Plymouth on the 8th of June.

AN UNLUCKY CALIFORNIAN.—A letter from California relates many peculiar sights and incidents, one of which is about a rich young man having to turn washerwoman. "I have met a young man who at home moved in the best circles of society, and is a gentleman every inch of him, failing to make anythmen." in the mines went into a certain town, tually took in washing, and cleansed, bread, the filthy garments of home, he would not acknowled ances. It was rather an a him at the wash tub, so the dirty linen of his nic at his folly and upbraidi



CHARLESTOWN TUESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 23, 1853.

ARMORY INVESTIGATON.

The Commission at Springfield are still pursuing the labors of the investigation which have been assigned them, and seem willing and disposed to have a thorough exhibit of all the facts bearing upon the matters at issue. The Springfield papers report the daily proceedings at length, and some of our good friends at that place are kind enough to furnish us regularly with all the papers of the city. It is impossible, however, as our issue is only weekly, to give, as we greatly desire, the voluminous proceedings. The Commission will hardly arrive at Harpers-Ferry before the 15th, and on the part of the friends of the Civil System, we take great pleasure in saying that the services of the Hon. WM. Lucas have en secured as Council. He is entirely conversant with the details of the Armory, and will no doubt probe any just matters of complaint, as against eithex system, to its core.

BLATE FAIR.

General Richardson, as one of the Executive Committee of the State Agricultural Fair, to be held in Richmond on the 1st day of November, spent the last week in our County, and we hope his labors were productive of good. He visited the different parts of our County, and made a personal examination of some of the finest estates within its borders He expressed himself highly gratified at the courtesy ations which he had received, no less than the support which had been given to the immediate object of his mission. Jefferson should furnish at ast one hundred members to the State Society, as the subscription is only two dollars, which will be returned seven fold, in the benefits resulting. We publish on our first page; an interesting summary as to the purposes of the Society, and hope our farmers and mechanics every where; may be disposed to extend a belping hand. The County Fairs will no doubt receive a new and fresh impulse from the success of the State Fair, and a spirit of improvement infused in our Agricultural and Manufacturing interests which will be incalculable. We shall publish in our next, the appeal of its President, to the people of the State generally, for their aid and encourage-

BALLOON ASCENSION.

inary arrangements have been comleted, and there is now no doubt of Mr. Wiss, the great seronaut, making an ascension from Shannondale on or about the 1st of September. To effect this, will require a heavy outlay and great risque on the part of the Proprietor of Shannondale, and we are sure the citizens of our own and the neighboring counties will be disposed to be not only just but generous, in assisting in getting up so novel and curious exhibition in this part of the Valley. Mr. Wise having visited Shannondale, is now in Baltimore procuring the necessary material for the inflation of his mammoth balloon. and one or more are expected to accompany him on his ærial tour.

CHANGE OF TRAIN.

The cars on the Winchester Rail-Road now pass our town at 61 A. M., and 71 P. M., which requires the morning mail to be closed the night before. We shall therefore be under the necessity of putting our paper to press on Monday evening, after the arrival of the Eastern mail, instead of Tuesday morning as heretofore. Advertisers and others, will please therefore send in their communications at the earliest hour

The arrangement on the Baltimore Road is not altogether understood as yet, but we have no doubt will subserve better than ever, the convenience of the

HON. TRUMAN SMITH.

Among other visiters of distinction at Shannondale, is the Hon. Truman Smith, of Connecticut, with his wife and daughter. Though we have at times said some pretty hard things about this gennan, we yet welcome him with great pleasure to our beautiful Valley, and know that he will receive from all that hospitality and courtesy which his great abilities and untiring energies, give just claim to expect.

In connection with a recent trip which Mr. Smith has made to the "Copper Region," the local correspondent of the Washington Republic says-The Hon. Truman Smith, who returned to the city a day or two since from the Lake Superior copper region, exhibits a splendid array of specimens of the precious metal, some of the ores oielding as high as nety-five per cent. He represents these copper ines as productive beyond all former expectations. is questionable, indeed, whether the gold mines of California are really as valuable to the country as these copper veins in the heart of our country.

CIRCUS AND MENAGERIE.

The quarters and half dollars must be in readiness, for the Circus and Menagerie of TURNER & Co., will be in town on Thursday. The collection of animals is said to be a very rare selection, whilst the Circus embraces a beautiful stud of horses, and some of the finest performers of the country.

NEW OBLEANS.

The progress of the epidemic in this ill-fated City is truly appalling. . The deaths for the week ending on Wednesday had reached the enormous aggregate of 1,532, of which 1,361 were by the fever. So great had the mortality become that it was impossible to inter the victims, and resort has been had to burning the bodies. The affrighted inhabitants were rapidly leaving the city and business was almost entirely suspended. This is truly a frightful state of affairs, and one that calls for the most active exercise of all the sympathies of our nature in behalf of the unfortunate sufferers.

ENION PIC NIC.

A union pic nic is to come off on Thursday next, 25th inst. at Mill Creek, at Lemons's Spring. The Martinsburg Cecilian Band has been engaged for the occasion. A general invitation is extended to old and roung, and ample preparations are making for the acmmodation of all who may be present.

05 Copenhagan, the point to which our former County-man, Mr. BEDINGER, as Charge to Denmark, is destined, is now suffering with a terrible epidemic The Cholera is carrying off hundreds daily, and the City almost depopulated. He will no doubt seek out some more desirable location, until the condition of things has improved at his diplomatic quarters.

Bor Rev. R. S. Killin, died at the residence of Mr. offman, near Leesburg, on the 10th instant. He was for several years pastor of the Protestant Episco-pal Church of the Ascension, west Lexington street, timore. He died with Bilious Disentery, after a

sinful illiness. 83-Mr. JOHN M. DANIEL, long and favorably known se the editor of the Richmond Examiner, charge d'offices to Sardinia under the present Administration, sailed from New York on Saturday last with a view to the immediate assumption of the duties of

63-The Cholera which has been prevailing to a siderable extent in Emmittsburg and vicinity has entirely disappeared, and business is again getting week. The total number of deaths since its first erance is said to be about thirty.

Or-The question of taxing the county of Shen-adoch one hundred thousand dollars, for the purpose of assisting in constructing the Manassas Gap Railroad through that county, is to be submitted to the voters of the county on the first Thursday

in November next. 03-V.R. GEIGER and B. F. WASHINGTON, proprietor of the California State Journal, have put 5,000, the interest of Messrs. Packering and Fitch

the Times and Transcript newspaper. And the Shepherdstown Register,) saw and conrepresentation Bridge, on his way to Califor-

ness letters of the past, places in our po following letters, which will no doubt be read wit

DEAR Sin: Your load of flour per Haygoley and another per Joe is received and stored. I can sell it at 24s. (\$4) upon three months credit, and I think The chest of tools went by Haygeley, it has been n board the vessel that brought it from Philadel-hia ever since last fall. I have sent you the barrel of Herring, and am, sir, onr obt. servant, To Mr. Godwin Swift.

BAUTIMORE, April 21, 1817.

Baltimore, April 21, 1817.

Mr. John Krassey—Sir: Yours per mail, and yours per Mr. A Robinson, were both received, and made every information I could, having advised with six of the principal flour buyers, their opinions were bearing on the same expectation and on the same circumstances. I have acted on the advice as you will perceive by the enclosed account. The small quantity that is shipping and the great quantity that is daily coming in, has completely overrun the cash of the buyers in general, and our banks wiff not discount paper for them, owing to the heavy pressure they labor under—consequently all kinds of business is extremely dull. Flour sold this day at \$13½ country paper, and hangs very heavy at that price; it is try paper, and hangs very heavy at that price; it is the opinion of all the Flour buyers it will be fower, owing to the great and pressing want of cash, and with what is expected down it will not obtain a better price than is now given. It has not been higher than \$14 out of the stores, this month, and that was at 60 days credit, and some parcels has sold at 13

You will, therefore, perceive I have acted in the best manner possible for your interest. Sir, accept my best respects. Yours, &c THO. B. BAKER

P. S. Our Spring vessels have not arrived, although we are in daily expectation of them, which will bring us a full assortment when they arrive. SHANNONDALE.

The Company at these Springs during the whole eason has been a very large one, and that of the past week greater than at any other period. By some nisunderstanding, the Band first obtained, was discharged, and the young folks have greatly complained for the last week or two that Shannondale had no music. This, however, we take pleasure in saying, will not be a matter of complaint for the future, as the Proprietor at very heavy expense and considerable trouble, has secured the services of a portion of the Marine Band of Washington, who will arrive at Shannondale on to-day, having reached Harpers-Ferry on yesterday. They are said to be most excellent Musicians, and will give new life and afford new attractions to this pleasant resort.

MARYLAND STATE CONVENTION.

The Democratic State Convention, which assen bled in the City of Baltimore on the 10th instant, presented as the nominees of the party, the follow-

For Governor, Hon. THOMAS WATKINS LIGON, of Howard County.

For Comptroller of the Treasury, WM. PINKNEY WHYTE, of Baltimore City. For Lottery Commissioner, LEMUEL ROBERTS, of Queen Anne's County.

The Hon, Thos. Watkins Ligon, commands the conidence and respect of all who know him. He is an

excellent speaker, a consistent Democrat, and a kind Wm. Pinkney Whyte is one of the noblest specimens of Baltimore Democracy. He is a talented and effective speaker, kind and amiable in his dist towards his fellow-men, and most devotedly attached to the principles of his party. Lemuel Roberts, although not much known heretofore to the Western portion of the State, has, notwithstanding always been a decided and consistent Dem crat, possessing the affections of his acquaintances and confidence of his party.

The proceedings of the Convention were characterized by the utmost harmony and good feelings; a sure presage of the victory which awaits the party. The nominations are all acceptable to the entire Democracy of the State, and the Convention was extremely fortunate in presenting such good and true men for the support of the Democracy. [Frederick Cilizen.

STATISTICS OF MONEY.

The amount of money in active circulation in the United States, is estimated in the Merchants' Magazine, at \$295,477,257, which reconing the population at 25,000,000, would make \$12 per head. It was \$11 in 1836, when there was an enormous paper currency afloat, and but \$5,50 in 1830. One-third of the present currency is gold.

CHANGE OF TRAINS.

The trains on the Winchester and Potomac Railroad will, on and from Monday 22d, leave Winchester at 5 A. M., instead of 9 A. M. as at present, and 7 P. M. Returning they will leave the Ferry at half past 12 P. M. and half past 9 P. M Passengers may thus spend five hours in Balti-

more and return the same day. CHOLERA AT CUMBERLAND, MD.

CUMBERLAND, August 19.—Great excitement prevails here among the residents, eight or nine deaths having occurred in the last twenty-four hours from the cholera. The disease is confined to the lower part of the town, and no cases have occurred near the Hotels, which are well filled with passengers passing to and from the West, over the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. Many families are, however, leaving the

CUMBERLAND, Aug 20.—The cholera is now consid erably on the decline, the weather being cool and de-lightful. One or two mild cases occurred to-day which readily yielded to proper treatment. The disease pre-vailed chiefly along the banks of a race runing through the town and is attributed to the recent flood and sudden change of temperature. Many cittizens have left the town, but the panic was wholly unnecessary

GREAT FIRE AT RICHMOND, VA.

On Thursday night last the Virginia Woolen Factory, located in Richmond, and one of the very best stablishments of the country, was entirely destroyed by fire. The four large four story buildings were consumed, with all their valuable contents, embrac ing all the machinery and fixtures for manufacturing upon an extensive scale, all descriptions of cloths, heavy stock of wool, and a large quantity of finished and unfinished work. The loss is estimated fully

\$200,000, on which is an insurance of \$77,000. THE BEDFORD VALLEY SNAKE.

A few days since we noticed the fact of the dis covery of the skin shed by a snake in Allegany county, which measured 21 feet and 6 inches in length. The Miners' Journal in reference to his snake-

Mr. John Elder, a most reliable citizen, met the ani mal face to face. Mr. E. encountered him in a lane, across which he was lying, with his tail in one meadow and his head near the second fence. From his dusty brown color, Mr. E. mistook him for the ridge dusty brown color, Mr. E. mistook him for the ridge pole of the fence, until his horse started back with fright, when the serpent reared up to the full height of the rider and darted fire from his eyes. The horse instantly whirled and dashed off in alarm, and by the time he could be brought back to the spot, the snake had disappeared in the high grass. Mr. E. thinks he is between 20 and 30 feet long.

THE DESTRUCTION OF SHIRAZ BY EARTHQUAKE. - A letter from Persia gives some further particulars of the terrible earthquake at Shiraz on the 21st of April last. The shocks continued, up to the 14th of May, at short intervals every day. The first shock lasted five minutes, when the inhabitants were asleep, and laid nearly the whole city in ruins. The writer, speaking of the scene next morning, says:

"On every side the cyc could see nothing but a heap of ruins, streets blocked up with stones, and dead bodies being carried on litters without the walls of the city. It made the heart bleed to see the limbs of the city. It made the heart bleed to see the limbs of persons showing themselves from beneath piles of rubbish, and men, women and children endeavoring to withdraw the mutilated bodies of their friends and relations from beneath the ruins, while, in their despair, they were tearing away with their teeth, their hands, and their nails. Out of several thousand victimal limits and their nails. tims, the lives of only a very small number were saved. Severe shocks occurred for five days, during which it is calculated that twelve thousand persons which it is calculated that twelve thousand persons perished. On the fourth day large bands of brigands made their appearance, and plundered the unfortunate inhabitants, who were without defence and without asylum; of what little they had been able to save from the ruins."

03- The collections in the different cities in aid of the sufferers by the Fever at New Orleans amount

DER at STAUNTON, VA .- Wm. Coleman, an ol id inoffensive citizen of Staunton, Va., who live one, was found murdered in his own house on Sun alone, was found murdered in his own house on Sun-day morning last. It is supposed he was murdered on Thursday night previous, as the house had been fas-tened up from that time until broken open on Sun-day by the neighbors, who suspected something was wrong. A scuffle was heard in the house by some females, on Thursday evening, and a strange man ales, on Thursday evening, and a strange ma seen at the door, but little was thought of it a time. The deceased was a cabinet maker, and

hibition takes place on the island at the 14th, 15th, and 16th of September, ground have been enclosed with a boar

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to its agitation in Congress, it was either sile its references devoid of the slightest important. This fact was observed by some friends of the to System, who then suspected a duplicity which we induce an attempted concealment, or be anwith by manifested, by subsequent circumstances.

In a few days after the question was broug before Congress, the Heuse of Representatives decided in favor of the Civil System, and there appeared in the Free Press an article copied from a Rich most paper, which article was decided in favor of the Civil, and decided against the Military System more to the purpose than any editorial which had appeared in the Free Press. Yet this article was not only, not supported, but was presented with he following appendage:

"The present gentlemently Superintendent was a all favorite,—it was only the system that was not ed, that is all."

Now, let that publication with

Now, let that publication with its appendage be reproduced; let it be remembered, that the stion had not yet passed the Senate; that every tion was making by the Ordinance Officers and exertion was making by the Ordinance Onicers and their friends against the change; that one of thei efforts reflected upon the armorers, alleging that they did not know what they wanted; they require ed a military rule, &c.—and connecting the publication and its appendage with the former silence and tame allusions of the Free Press, every candid man will see that the appendage could serve no practical purpose but to favor the Military against the Civil average. How-why the Free Press circulates at Harpers Ferry, where the armory is situated. It carries to Washington City a corresponding influence, and it SEIZES the occasion to proclaim the Superintendent

a real favorite, whilst not a word is said in behalf of A strange senator might well suppose that all this agitation was not well-founded, when such an assertion comes through a paper circulating at Harpers-Ferry, and placed in obvious opposition to such a publication from a distant point. The grievances of the Armorers were such that party ties yielded to their strength, but the Free Press knew only that these grieved armorers had "a real favorite Superintendent."

At length the bill comes from Congress with a At length the bill comes from Congress with a ryder, and we see nothing in the Free Press to attract attention, until the circumstances attending the reopening of the armory seemed to show the Military to be in the ascendant, when it appears, announcing the Commissioners, triumphantly proclaiming their proclivity, and ending in a gratuitous, ungenerous and unprincipled defamation.

and unprincipled detamation.

It again SEIZES the occasion not to say a word for the Armorers, but to propagate a falsehood N. B. We don't think in our own estimation, that we would make a good Superintendent, but in our esti-mation, it would be manly if the Free Press would point out something strong, which it did say, in behalf

of the Civil system. A. M. ERIAL NAVIGATION.

It will not be denied that Jefferson County, is fairly and justly entitled to the credit of making the first application of sleam, on the waters of the great Potomac River at Shepherdstown, to a Steamboat erected by the late Rumsey.

This powerful engine is now in common use, and is the great department of the great applications are supported by the late Rumsey.

is the grand propelling power upon the high seas thoughout the world, and affords rapid facilities to the Merchant, the Farmer and the Traveller in the transportation of merchandize, produce, &c., &c., from cities to town, and from depots to cities.

In 1783 history informs us that an ascension was made in a Balloon, by the Marquis d'Arlandes and M. Pilatre de Rozier, in France, amidst the clamorous shouts, and enthusiastic applause of thousands of spectators, who had assembled to witness the novel and thrilling spectacle. Various attempts have since been made to intro-

duce to the travelling world Balloon navigation, but eronautical machine, to the Montgolfries as it first proved successful in their hands. Would time and space allow a full description of the ingenuity and ability of Cavallo, especially in his philosophical pursuits, it would be highly gratifying to those vhose intellectual researches are of that nature. Mr. John Wise contemplates a voyage across the Atlantic Ocean in a Balloon, and should his efforts at Shannondale Springs, on the latter part of this month be crowned with success, who can say that he will not receive from the county of Jefferson, the necessary impetus to enable him to triumph over all his former difficulties. He has made 159 ascensions, and we feel very confident his ascension from Shannondale may now be set down at the 160th.

nondale, Aug. 20, 1853. A. VISITER. IMPORTANT FROM MEXICO.

Washington, Aug. 21.—Private advices received here from Mexico, report that much excitement existed in consequence of Santa Anna having re-established a direct tax, and ordered an army of 92,000 men to be raised, on the pretence of waging war with the United States, but in reality to strengthen himself in power. He also proposes to raise a loan of \$17,000,000, at 3 per cent interest, by mortgaging the church property, to be paid back in annual instalments of \$4,000,000. The clergy, it is suppos-

THE PESTILENCE AT NEW ORLEANS. NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 18 .- The total number of deaths during the 48 hours ending this morning, were four hundred and ten, including three hundred and sixty-

six by fever. The weather continues very unfavorable, being hot, cold and rainy, alternately. New ORLEANS, August 19th.-The total number of deaths to-day was 242, 227 from the yellow fever. This shows a large increase over the last return. The distress prevailing among the poorer classes is very great. The Howard Association have

pened four new hospitals, and appeal earnestly for ther assistance. THE DEAD BURNED.

New ORLEANS, August 16 .- The total number of deaths during the last 24 hours have been 213, of which 187 perished by the yellow fever. NEW ORLEANS, August 17 .- The fever continues to rage frightfully, and owing to the unfavorable weather, is rather on the increase than otherwise. It has now become a matter of difficulty to find workmen to dig the graves, and 125 bodies have been burned this week for want of places for interment. This dis-tress exceeds any thing before witnessed, and the af-frighted inhabitants are flying to escape the devouring lence. Business is almost entirely stagnated nd many merchants have closed their stores. The number of deaths for the last 24 hours were 2, of which 206 perished from the fever. The total

for the week sums up 1,532, of which 1,361 were from The Howard Association during the last four weeks we ministered to the wants of 3,000 unfortunates, and they expect soon to have under their care 1,000 at a cost of \$10 each. They earnestly appeal to the citizens of the North, and the friends of humanity

everywhere, for aid. BARN WASHED AWAY .- During the flood on Tuesday night, a barn, about two miles from Cumberland on what is known as the Poor House Farm, was swept away and carried bodily several hundred yards into the field below. It was full of grain and hay.

ALLOTMENT OF CARS.—The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company have notified some of the companies they cannot furnish them with the number of cars ofore supplied. The consequence of this will be ninution in the amount of coal transported to

FLOUR AND CORN AT MILLS AT RICHMOND, Va.-The FLOUR AND CORN AT MILLS AT RICHMOND, Va.—The Dispatch gives a list of the several flour and corn mills in operation and being constructed in Richmond and vicinity, and of their capacities for grinding wheat and corn. At a low estimate last year, it says, 325,000 bushels of corn were furnished by the mills of that city. During the ensuing year, there will be milling power enough to turn out nearly one million of barrels of flour, if necessary, besides 138,000 bush-

THE CRYSTAL PALACE.—The number of visitors admitted on Thursday was 5,293 and the total con-tributions to the Washington Monument now amount to \$1,411 54. The exibition is now nearly in complete order, and begins to look more than usually

.... A sheep girthing nine feet, and covered with wool of the finest texture, 35 inches long, and grow-ing in natural rolls, ready for spinning, of which rolls there are 8,000, has been sent to the world's fair from Erie county, Pa. Also a lamb three years old weighing 300 pounds, and covered with wool 30 inches in length, and growing in the same peculiar way. And if the reader doubts these curiosities, what will be think of a cow only thirty inches high, weighing 229 pounds, and the mother of three calves, one of which was by her side and giving milk, though only 13 months old.—Richmond Enquirer.

....A correspondent of the New York Courier says, that as far as he has been able to carry back his researches, he does not find the record of any weather in August comparing with that of last week for fifty years; that is, not in intensity and duration of heat, and in its extraordinary effects.The town of Lynn, Mass, contains one hun-fred and fifty five shoe factories, which give employ-ment to ten thousand four hundred and eighty-six persons of both sexes, in the manufacture of shoes.

...The Louisville Times mentions the sale in that place, recently, of 18 slaves, for the sum of \$20,000. They were all sold together. ... We shall soon have Oregon knocking at the door of the Union for admission as a State—and we notice that in Nebraska territory, the people are geting ready for a "provisional government" for the

liage, and country.

.... The "Voice of the Fugitive" announces rival in Ganada of fourteen slaves, by the unound railroad. Ten of them belonging to citiz

Four Editors in New Orleans have died, vice the vellow fever—two of the Picayune, one of Delta, and one of the Crescent.
... The late elections have resulted in the return of 78 Democrats and 18 Whige to Congress. Constitution distribution

the State of Virginia has just been prepare the financial public by the bankers of the monwealth, Selden, Withers & Co., of Washin ity. In it (says the Union) the debt, present and contingent, is classified, was very properly made distinct in its objects and securities. The existing debt on the 25th of March last-although nominally nearly sixteen millions dollars—is reduced by a representation of old and valuable, and uni-formly dividend paying bank stocks, to an inter-nal improvement debt of \$10,553,615; and of this sam, \$6,134,645 is, properly, a canal debt, incur-red in the construction of the Great Kanawha and James river canal—leaving of the debt—

James river canal—leaving of the debt—
To productive railroad objects.......\$2,011,668
Miscellaneous and non-productive..........1,387,802
The State, by recent acts of the Legislature, determined to extend and encourage a more general and complete system of railway improvement; and to this end, fixed upon three-fifths, or 60 per cent. of the aggregate cost of each trunk line to which she proposes to extend here aid, as the basis of a direct issue, or continuent lean of gradit and public faith. The aggregate cost of each productive making faith. to extend her sid, as the basis of a direct issue, or contingent loan of credit and public faith. The aggregate cost of the State of this system, in any possible or contingent event, (the whole calculated to be completed in three years, and much of it rendered productive before the expiration of that period,) is \$11,854,737; of which, on the 25th of March, \$3,228,664 was known to be direct and certain, the remainder left to the claims which private or corporate enterprise may hereafter make on the Commonwealth for her three-fifths aid to certain trunk lines of railway contemplated by the acts of the Legislature. In the statement before us, the character and connexions of these lines, and their influence on the development and future growth in population and wealth of Virginia, are ably set forth, and the securities and guarantees for the debt at the same time candidly discussed in all their phases.—Richmond Enquirer.

PACIFIC RAILROAD.

Col. Jeff. Dayis, in his revised speech about the Pacific railroad, grants that Congress cannot make a road through a State, but maintains that the Federal Government has the power to make a road through the territories. We can't possibly comprehend this position (says the Louisville Democrat.) If a road is necessary as a military road, and its construction is justifiable on that ground, it can be made struction is justifiable on that ground, it can be made as well through a State as a territory.

No State can interpose an obstacle to the action of Congress, if the act of that body is Constitutional.

But if Congress cannot make a road through a State; how-can it own and manage one through a State? The whole territory through which this road will pass, will in a few years be under State governments; then who will be sovereign over this road? Who will make the penal laws for trespass upon the road or by the road? Uncle Sam will be a common carrier of goods, wares and merchandise. common carrier of goods, wares and merchandi and will bring him to an account for neglect of duty? He will no doubt be the meanest on earth. He will richly deserve to be hanged in less than six months after he engages in business

Now shall the new State be sovereign over the road and bring parties to account, or shall the Federal nt continue all its authority? If the latter be maintained, could not the Federal Government npon the same ground, assert its authority over any road leading to the lake or Atlantic sea coast?

This position will not do. RUSSIA AND TURKEY.

The following from the London News of the 3d August, presents a resume of the most recent facts

bearing upon the Eastern question: The latest as well as most anthentic intelligence to be obtained respecting the Eastern question is that which will be found in our parliamentary intelligence of this date. In the House of Lords, last Russia had forbidden the sending of tribute money from Moldo-Wallachia to Constantinople, and added that as soon as the Porte should receive official information of this prohibition, it would call on the Hospodars to withdraw and cease their functions. Our Consul at Bucharest thought that it would be highly improper for him to remain in such an event; and Lord Clarendon had communicated to Lord Stratford his entire concurrence in that opinion. A essenger left London last night for St. Petersburgh aking our instructions to Sir Hamilton Seymour esiring him to demand explanation from the Russian overnment as to this proceeding. In the House of Commons, Lord John Russell made a statement describing the efforts which the powers are making to restore friendly relations between Rus-

sia and the Porte. The Hamburg Correspondent, under date of St Petersburgh, 21st ult., says:-"The armaments in the interior of the empire continue without interruption. The battallions of reserve of the 4th corps of infantry are concentrated near Tula. The guard and the corps of grenadiers still occupy the positions in the camp, near Krasnoge Selo and near Badost not far from Gotschino. The manœuvers of the two corps, which form an effective force of 100,000 men, still continue." The Vienna Wanderer has a letter from Constanti nople of the 19th ult. stating that the Egyptian fleet, having 12,000 men on board, had arrived here, and was doing quarantine at Sylvi-Bourou, not far from Constantinople. Letters from Trebsond announced that Abdi-Pacha had organized there a corps of 20,-000 men. The Pacha's fleet consists of three line-of-

battle ships, two large frigates, two corvettes, one brig, and one steam-tender, together with eight transports full of troops and stores. THE HAMPSHIRE RAILROAD.

The preliminary surveys of the Alexandria, Lou oun, and Hampshire Railroad are progressing with a good deal of dilligence. The first party, under charge of Mr. Richard Randolph, have pushed their surveys from Alexandria to Broad Run, in Loudown county. The second party, under Mr. R. G, Bowie, are engaged in surveying the Western slope of the Blue Ridge, from Key's Gap to the Shenan-doah. West of the Shenandoah three parties have been and are organizing, of which two are already in the field for surveys between that river and Pad dytown, under charge of Messrs. Frank Lackland Vashington Blythe, and B. D. Frost, Assistant Engineers. One of these parties will operate in Jefferson county, another in the neighborhood of Romney, and the third will be placed at the Western terminus of the line.—Alexandria Gazette.

THE GRAND DIVISION.

The last quarterly meeting of the Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance in Virginia was held in the town of Union, Monroe county, on the 27th ult. Nearly all the officers and about one 27th ult. Nearly all the officers and about one hundred and twenty-five delegates were present. Several appeals concerning local interests merely, were decided. From the statistical reports, it appears that the Order is still increasing and prospering in the State. The proceedings were harmo-nious, and much zeal was manifested. The energetic members in this quarter need scarcely be reinded that the annual session of the Grand Division will be held in this place, commencing of the fourth Wednesday in October. The Delegate may be sure of a hearty welcome. [Winchester Republican.

A NEW LAND WARRANT.-The New York Evening Post thus explains the origin of a new land warrant, called "Virginia scrip," which is about being

"A new job perpetrated in Congress last winter, has just come to light. Many years ago the State of Virginia set apart some public lands for the benefit of the revolutionary soldiers, for which land warrants were issued. It appears that a large number of these warrants were never located, the lands assigned not proving valuable. The warrants have been sought out and bought out for a trifle by a number of speculators, who contrived last year to get a bill passed through Congress making them available for purchases loads appropriate and that without hases of Congress lands anywhere, and that without the necessity of paying the \$2,50 per acre, which or-dinary land warrants are liable for on being registered. These Virginia land warrants are to be reg-stered free of charge. These new warrants are now ffering for sale in the market."

RAUROAD IRON.—The New York Express estimates hat the amount of rails in use on the 1st of January 1860 will not be less than 4,000,000 tons, on which the yearly deterioration will be 320,000 tons, or more than three times the quantity that our rolling mills

...It has been discovered that a speech delivered in the Massachusetts State Convention by Mr. A. L. in the Massachusetts State Convention by Mr. A. L. Strong, a delegate from the western part of the State, was, by some mistake or other, printed almost verbatim thirty years ago. Some go so far as to charge the gentleman with plagiarism. He meets the charge, however, by saying that he did not steal the speech, but that he inherited it from his father, by whom it was written, spoken, and printed thirty years ago, when he, the present Mr. Strong, was too young to attend to the matter personally.

...On several of the hot days of last week, thirty horses per day dropped dead in the streets of New York. A good many of these were omnibus horses, driven by cruel drivers until they fell dead in the traces, from being over loaded and over worked.

....The Lynchburg and Tennessee Railroad crosses the Blue Ridge at Buford's Gap, at a grade of 68 eet to the mile. This is a wonderful result. The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad crosses the Alleghany Baltimore and Ohio Railroad crosses the Aliegnany at the rate of 117 feet to the mile for seventeen miles. In making the summit cut of about 20 feet at Buford's Gap, the workmen engaged on the excavation, unearthed the bones of a mastodon, and discovered a cave, the dimensions of which remain unknown as it was found necessary to fill in a portion of it, in order to lay the track.

....The Delaware of the 9th instant says:—"For any years it has been the custom in this State of anting to the negroes the Saturday following the st Thursday in August as an universal holiday of their place of assembling has been the bathing neir share of the blows." The blows a server thank

eclograms but his paint occur all reddens off and

The New Orleans papers of the 11th inst, re-

644 deaths for the previous three days. The wife of Dr. Wm. L. Lambeth, of Lynchburg, Va., Mrs. Dr. Chas. Hamilton, of Va., Maria E. Phicherie, of Va., Robert F. Miller, of Ohio, and Wm. H. Nelson, of Allentown, Pa., have all died of the epidemic. The Delta announces the death of Mrs. C. F. The Bulletin of the 11th says:

Up to the present date, the official returns give for the present epidemic season 2039 deaths from yellow fever, and 1747 from other diseases, making a total of 4786 from the 28th of May to the 10th of August.

The daily reporting commenced on the 27th July.— The most fatal day we have yet had, was on the 5th inst, when the total deaths were 238 of which 208 were of yellow fever.

The same paper congratulates itself upon the fact that the fever must soon abate for want of material,

and then adds:

We have been assured, by eminent physicians, that the disease is becoming decidedly more manageable, and that, with faithful nursing and early medical attendance, a fatal result may be almost always avoided. They say, and they ought to know, that the unparalleled mortality is confined almost entirely to those who neglect to send for a physician in time, and who are (most of them) so situated as to render it impossible that they should be properly mursed.

The weather is in the highest degree unfavorable. Intense heat, followed by derenching showers, which are succeeded by winds cold enough for November, diversify and make disagreeable and unhealthy almost every day. Even without an epidemic, no city could be healthy with such unnatural weather. We can only reiterate the advice we have heretofore given only reiterate the advice we have heretofore given— avoid the sun and night air, he regular and prudent in your habits, and when taken with the first symp-toms go immediately to bed and send for a physician

and a nurse.

The Ponchartfain Railroad Company has made a donation of \$500 for the relief of the sufferers, and the Trustees of the Home Mutual Insurance Company have made up a similar amount out of their own pockets, not believing they had the right to donate the funds of the corporation.

The Banking Houses of the city have agreed to close their establishments at 3 P. M., until the epidemic is over, and the Crescent recommends all business places to do the same, as business matters of every kind are declared to be almost at a stand.

The Bank of Louisiana has also made a donation of \$1,000, and the ladies of Mississippi city have

The papers continue to relate many scenes which are truly distressing. The following touching picture is from the Orleanian:

The Howard Association, as a matter of imperious necessity, and for the preservation of the health and lives of the two devoted gentlemen, members of this association, in the third district, must partially, if not wholly relieve them of their unceasing labors and enfeebling and sickening toil, by adding to their numbers. Not a moment are they disengaged. Mr. Vandgriff endeavors to keep the books and records of the infirmary, and they are numerous; to stay the plaints of the needy and register the deaths. For this bury work, the clerk should be employed.— "Charley Whitall," a man kind of heart, is the inspector, is physician, is nurse, is every thing; and never before and we have witnessed him in many a trying ordeal of cholera and fever and death—have we heard him speak despondingly or complain of inability, until last evening. He looked, too, dis-

pirited and broken down.

It was long after midnight on Thursday when we passed the Infirmary, and there watched the good Samaritan. We inquired of him last evening how long he had tarried in the hospital, and he answered, somewhat sadly, "all night but these acenes are beyond endurance!" and then he related to us circum tances thrilling in detail. Twice through the night he had to aid in securing strong men, frantic with burning fever, by tearing the sheets and binding them with strips thereof to their cots. A woman lay stretched on the floor of the ward in the last throes of the death agony, who had been discovered, with her husband, (both stricken) in some remote and out of the way place, where nature had partialy performed its functions in the delivering her of a hild; and she was taken to the Howard Infirmary o complete the operation and die, as we suppose her usband has, ere this!

A little removed from the dying woman, was a German girl, some ten or twelve years of age; the white foam oozing from her closed and blood-clotted lips, and her sunken faatures smeared with the dark-hued gore of the black vomit, in which her hands had dabbled and transferred it to her face. "There is a terrific case," observed our friend, Vandegriffe, as he pointed to the agonized child; and then we remembered having seen her on the evening previous, her glazed eyes wildly gleaming, and she plaintively moaning and repeating unceasingly, "Mein leiber Got," or some such words. Stooping down, we bent over her, and asked if she had father or mother. In a moment, and "Mein moder! mein moder!" thrilled to our heart. Talk of the "Diary of a Physician, and its frightful descriptions! Were its author to witness the scenes passing just now in our severely afflicted district and crowded infirmary, they would furnish incidents for many diaries id est, if they did not wholly unman him with affright! If the epidemic goes on increasing, as it has for some few days past, another hospital, or hospitals, will have to be established—for the Howard Infirmary is now filled beyond its capacity to contain.

The Bulletin has the following statistics in relation to the epidemic in previous years: The first advent of yellow fever in this city was in 1794, continuing with alternate increase and diminution to 1797. There are no records extant of the actual mortality from yellow fever alone during this period. The average population was less than ten thousand; the average mortality one in fifteen. For thousand; the average mortality one in fifteen. For a number of years following, the average mortality was over five per cent. Full and accurate details of the several epidemics that have occurred have been obtained, commencing with 1817. Previous to that period, the most patient investigation and research have not been able to collect any data that can be relied upon as fully authenticated. At the time, 1817 was considered a bad year. The population was about 38,000, and the percent of deaths by yellow fever to the total mortality of the year was low fever to the total mortality of the year, was 33.86. The year 1832 was a very fatal year, and so

Dr. Barton, of New Orleans, in a recent report, Of the ten epidémic yellow fevers with which this city has been visited since the cession to the American Government in 1803, the average loss, (estimated from the best sources accessible to us,) has not been over 800 by yellow fever. The most fatal epidemic was that of 1822-the deaths by this disease that year were 808; the exact mortality from yellow fever of other years cannot be stated, as there has been no record kept of the details.

In 1841, the yellow fever deaths reached 1,325, or 1 in 7812 of the entire population. The Bulletin also gives the following statistics of the epidemic of 1847, when the average population was 90,000.

The first cases of yellow fever reported were for the week ending on the 20th of July, and the number was 5. It continued to increase slowly until the 31st of the same month, when the weekly return was 47. The total of yellow fever for the month of July in that year was 74; of other diseases 647.

The disease was pronounced epidemic on the 5th of August. The deaths on that day of yellow fever

were 17, and from that time daily returns were published, until the 22d October, when the epidemic ceased. In the month of August the yellow fever deaths amounted to 1,057; other diseases to 570. In September the deaths by yellow fever were 986; by other diseases 463. In October up to the 22d inclusive, the yellow fever interments were 135, and of other diseases 144; making a total for the season, from the 5th July to the 22d October, 1847, inclusive, of 2,252

5th July to the 22d October, 1847, inclusive, of 2,252 yellow fever interments, and 1,324 of other disease, making a total of 4,176.

During 1822, the highest number any one day of yellow fever was 60, and of all cases 80. During 1833, the largest mortality any one day was 53—no specification as to disease. During 1841, the highest number from yellow fever was 43, and the greatest mortality 60. In 1847, the highest number from yellow fever was, on the 2d September, 77, and of all diseases 95. During the present year, the yellow fever deaths have, up to the 10th inst, reached 3,639. For the week ending the 6th inst. there were 1,050 deaths. which 881 were from yellow fever; and for the week ending the 13th, the deaths increased to 1,518, and of these, 1277 were from yellow fever—and this, not-

withstanding all who could fled from the city.

INGENIOUS ESCAPE OF A PRISONER.-Jas. Dunn. convict at Sing Sing, N. Y., on Friday last effected his escape from that institution in a very ingeneous his escape from that institution in a very ingeneous manner. Procuring some strips of india rubber, he made an air-tight tube some six feet long, to the end of which he attached a bag of the same material, shaped like a duck. Managing to elude his keepers, he came to the river, where he threw off his hat and secreted his clothing, and with his new life preserver plunged in, and when at the bottom kept one end of the tube in his mouth, the bag meanwhile floating on the surface and supplying him with air. In this way he passed the prison docks, and had proceeded about a half a mile down the stream to Colyer's dock, when, his pipe giving way, he was forced to swim ashore, his pipe giving way, he was forced to swim ashore, where he meta crowd of people, and informed them that some one had stolen his clothes, and left them in pursuit of the thief, which was the last that has been heard of him. He was twenty years of age, had served one term of confinment, and was at the time of escape under sentence for life.

TUNNELING THE OHIO FALLS.—The Louisville pa pers are still discussing the project of forming a rail-road connection between the two banks of the Ohio at the city by a tunnel under the Falls. It is pro-posed to form the tunnel by a" cast iron cylinder, 15 feet in diameter, imbedded on the crest of the Falls." The tunnel would commence at Righth street, Louis-ville, and extend to Jeffersonville, a distance of 1.400 vards. Its cost is estimated at only \$330,500.

The Wheeling Times states that on Monday, just as the train from the East was near the trestlework on section seventy-eix. Mathew Murphy, a laborer, recently married, foolishly swung off the platform, and was suddenly struck on the back by a projecting rock, knocked down and run over. Upon stopping the train it was found that one of his legs was cut off, the other broken, and that he was severely injured in the back was severely injured in the back.

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A correspondent of the New York Trib ith fever, and was in the first stage of the side of her was a woman raving mad, with the vomit, and lashed down to her cot. On the side was the mother who had just died. I conc the poor Tennessee woman would soon die, after nessing such scenes. In another part of the were two sisters. One was doing very well, the

were two sisters. One was doing very well, the other had the black vomit. On another cot were three children, whose parents had already died, and I could not but think that it would be better if the poor children should follow their parents to the spirit In the room below were about forty men in the various stages of the disease. There were some three or four tier of cots in this room. Many of the sufferers had the black vomit, others were raving and lashed down to their cots. Some were groaning, and others cursing, and a few were quiet. How any of the patients can ever get well, surrounded as they are with the dead and dying, and obliged to see every dead body as it is removed, is truly surprising. No doubt many die from fright, and others, no matter how calm they may be, must lose all hope and give up in despair. As soon as life is out of the body, they are put into a rough box made by the prisoners of the workhouse. This box is painted black with lamp black. The corporation cart backs up to the Hospital, the boxes or coffins are taken into them—say three to four at a load—and they are thus taken

say three to four at a load—and they are thus taken through our streets, without even a cover to the cart, or anything covered over the coffin. THE LOUISA MYSTERY EXPLAINED.

The mystery in relation to a young child found a few days ago, on the track of the Central Railroad, near Frederick's Hall, in Louisa county, has been fully explained. It will be remembered that we have already stated that a young lady took the cars in this city, on Saturday morning last, and left them under suspicious circumstances, at Gordonsville, for the avowed purpose of going to Culpeper Court-

There were strong circumstances pointing to this lady, as the person who had dropped the child from the cars; and consequently an officer was despatched from Louisa county in search of her. The officer overtook her, and returned with her to Louisa C. H. on Monday last, when it was ascertained that her name was Angelina Coates. She had passed in the cars under the assumed name of Thompson. Yester-day she was taken before a Justice at Louisa Court-House, for examination, when she made a full confes-

She stated that her home was near Cloverdale, in Madison County, and that she left home for this city, about two months ago, for the purpose of giving birth to an illegitimate child. On Saturday last she

the cars, to lessen the chances of detection, and she tied the handkerchief around the child's neck with care, to avoid strangulation. She dropped it from the steps at the end of the hindmost car, and hoped it would be soon picked up and taken care of.

We are informed that she made her confession in a plain, artless, and feeling manner, creating much smypathy in the breasts of all who heard her recite | Furnace in Hame the particulars of her shame and guilt. She is re- daily among the workmen and their families at the presented to us as a young girl of more than ordinary ersonal beauty, and as being respectably connec After the examination, she was admitted to bail in the sum of one thousand dollars, which she readily gave, and immediately repaired to Frederick's Hall, twelve miles distant from the Court House, and took charge of her child, which is said to be still in a critical condition. critical condition, arising from its exposure to the rays of a hot sun, as it lay on the track of the Raiload two or three hours, naked, after its abandonment. The bail she gave, was, we learn, for her appearance before a regular examining Court, at some day not distant. We hope the child may live, in order that the burdens of punishment may fall as lightly as possible upon the head of the already miserable

young mother.-Richmond Enquirer.

THE HAMPSHIRE RAILROAD. A meeting of the President and Board of Directors of the Alexandria, Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad Company, was held in Leesburg on the 9th inst.— The statements to the Board by the Chief Engineer, with reference to the general prospects of the improvement were of the most flattering character. As far as the surveys have extended, which are being prosecuted with all possible vigilance, the grades are of the most favorable kind, being far better than was anticipated. The Blue Ridge which is the most formidable obstacle to the improvement, can be passed at Key's Gap with a grade a fraction over 52 feet to the mile. With the large force in the field it is expected to have the full reports of the engineers to the Coal Fields by the first of the coming winter. The friends of the two principal roads advocated a Loudonn will be gratified, we learn, by having both routes properly surveyed and their advantages duly reported by the Engineer to the Company. No cause will be given for censure, or reason for the charge of partiality. The main object is to reach the inexhaustible coal fields of Virginia, by the most direct and practicable route-that attained, the intermediate sections of the country, of reasonable contiguity to the improvement, will richly share its advantages. Concession, union and harmony should

control the action of its friends, wherever may be its location.—Leesburg Washingtonian. THE POTATO ROT .- From present indications the otato crop in the Eastern States will be materially curtailed by the rot. In some sections an entire failure is predicted. In may parts of New England it prevails to a fearful extent. The Providence Journal says that accounts of the rot comes from all parts of he State, and that the effluvia from many that vicinity is already offensive. The Hartford Courant and Boston Courier say that the rot is prerailing extensively. In Wetchester and Broome counties, in New York State, it has been particulary noticed. The New Jersey papers also comp ts prevalence throughout parts of that State.

THE DEATH Scenes in China.—It is stated that the carnage which followed the capture of Nanken was put to death two Imperial Governors, several Generals, a large number of Mandarins, with their whole households ralatives and followers, and boast that they slaughtered 25,000 of Tartars without sparing age or sex. They captured at the same time the Imperial chest, containing a large amount of money. THE LARGEST CONTRACT IN THE UNITED STATES.-

We have it in our power to say it, and we do say it, with a feeling of honorable pride, that we have now in our city two of the largest railroad contractors in the United Sfates. These gentlemen are well known citizens of Macon, who have always been noted for their enterprise, energy and public spirit. We have reference to Dr. Robert Collins and Major Elam Alexander, who, as we learn from the recent report o he Directors of the Brunswick and Florida B Company, have taken the contract for building the whole of said road, a distance of 200 miles, for which they are to get over three millions of dollars and finish the work in two years!—Georgia Citizen. LARGE TRAIN .- As a specimen of the imp

iess now being done by the Central Rail Road, we would mention that a freight train arrived in this city, over that road, on Thursday evening, con one hundred and ten cars! The weight of the train alone was 544 tons! The principal items of freight was wheat, of which there was about one million pounds! The train was drawn by but one locomo-tive, the "Rocky Mountain." Another freight train arrived, over the same road, between 5 and 6 o'clock last evening, of still greater length than the one mentioned above—there being one hundred and eighteen cars! We did not ascertain the amount of freight brought in this train, but think we can venture to say, without rendering ourselves liable to a charge of exaggeration, that it must have been considerable. he name of the engine that brought this train is the Salamander."—Detroit Free Press, 13th.

PEACHES IN NEW YORK.-The markets in New York are said to be literally flooded with peaches.—
On Wednesday morning, some 35,000 baskets were brought in from New Jersy and Staten Island alone.
The quality, generally, is very poor, compared with last year's yield. Prices takes a wide range—from 25 ents to a dollar the basket.

DEATH OF MR. STEELE.-Hon. John N. Steele. prominent citizen of Dorchester county, Md, died at Cambridge, on Monday last, aged 56 years. The de-ceased was the whig candidate for Governor of Mary-land at the first election under the amended constitution, giving the choice of that officer to the direct vote of the people, and was defeated by a small majoriy, by Wm. Grason, Esq., the democratic candi-

.... A letter from Fredericksburg in the Richmond Mail announces the death at Hagley, his residence, on the 12th inst., of the venerable John Taliaferro, of King George, one of the relics of that old fashioned race of Virginia gentlemen now becoming so rapidly extinct. Mr. Taliaferro had obtained an age of nearly 90 years. He was for perhaps forty years a Representative of the Northern Neck District in Congress, and was hardly ever defeated. Since his retirement from Congress he has held some public office in Washington, until a few months ago, when he resigned it on account of ill health.

[Alexandria Gazette.]

ing at Culpeper Court-house, on Friday last, for under of Mr. R. Gaines of that county, in May murder of Mr. R. Gaines of that county, in May I. They both had previously confessed their guilt, the same day, Goens was hung at Charlottsville, the murder of his daughter.

... The Williamsport Times sayes that the was has been drawn off the canal on the two levels bel Williamsport, to remove several bars formed by was

paper had deciared in his master of heat morning that the enthusiasms was all shaun; the paid response of a hired house? These were not he words but it is the idea. Now man's what follows."

The following note was shown as last evening up the reply of Madame Lols to the collor. It was brought down by a gentleman well known to our citizens, and is an exact copy, as the letter purposes to bear the signature of the counters:

Sir—The extraordinary article covering which appeared in your paper this morning, requires an extraordioary answer. I use the word extraordinary," for I am astonished that a respectable (?) editor should lie in such a bareface manner, such be so void of gallantry and courtesy as yourself. I am a woman. I do not advocate woman's rights, but at the same time I can right myself by inflicting summary justice upon all jack-an-apes?!! After such a gross insult, you must dun the petticoats. I have some with me which I can lend you for the occasion—you must fight with me. I leave the choice of two kinds of weapons to yourself, for I am very magnanimous. You may choose between my duelling pistols; or take your choice of a pill out of a pill-bor—One shall be poisoned and the other not, and the chances are even. I request that this affair may be arranged by your seconds as soon as possible, as my time is quite as valuable as your own.

MARIA DE LANSFELD HULL,

Lola MONTEZ. Sir-The extraordinary article covers

TOUCHING CASE OF CONJUGAL AFFECTION.—A to coming up the river, when the husband took sick and was supposed to have died. When they arrived at that city, the wife had a coffin purchased, and her husband was deposited in the last home of the dead. Just before the moment of closing the coffin, however, and the final interment of deceased, the bereaved and and the final interment of deceased, the bereaved and agonised wife insisted upon once more looking upon and embracing the cold remains of the decased partner of her bosom. Whether it was her warm embrace or returning consciousness, certain it is that the supposed corps suddenly evinced signs of life, and the proper restoratives being applied, within twenty-four hours the invalid was enable to proceed on his increase with avery present of a speedy recovery journey with every prospect of a speedy recover owing his life to the untiring devotion and love his true and faithful wife.

A CURIOSUTY.—A beautiful geological specimen has been recently deposited in the cabinet of Dr. Foote, at Potomac Seminary, by Dr. Moore, of Frankfort. city, about two months ago, for the purpose of giving birth to an illegitimate child. On Saturday last she was on her return home, when, degressed with a sense of shame, she conceived the design of ridding herself of the evidence of her disgrace. It was not her object, she said, to kill her child.

She deprived it of its clothes before putting it out the cars, to lessen the chances of detection, and she The county of Hampshire is rich in such wonders of nature, and it would be well in this day of "progress" to make a permanent collection of them, lest they pass away along with many other things which are none the worse for being a little old.—Romney Int.

.... The dysentery is said by the Romney Argus to prevail to an alarming extent at the I furnace.

The Markets.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 19, 1853. PROPERTOR THE SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON BY M. DANNER. COMMISSION MERCHANT, HOWARD STREET. CATTLE. -There were offered at the scales on Mon day 700 head of Beeves, 80 of which were driven to the Eastern markets, 60 were left over unsold, and 560 sold to city butchers. Prices ranged from \$3.50 a \$4.12 on the hoof, equal to 7.00 a \$8.00 net, and veraging \$3.75 gross. HOGS.—In active demand. We quote live Hogs at

\$6.75 a \$7.00. COFFEE.—We note sules of about 4500 bags Rio at A 93 cents.
FLOUR.—Howard Street Flour.—The market FLOUR.—Howard Street Flour.—The market through the greater part of the week has been unsettled and rather depressed, the tendency of prices generally being downward. The receipts continue light, and the stock in market small and very closely sold up. The market opened on Saturday with sales of 500 bbls. new at \$5.25. On Monday there were sales of 1,100 bbls. new, select brands, at \$5.25. Ordinary brands could not have been sold at that price. On Tuesday, the news by the steamer Humbolt occasioned a still further decline, and 200 bbls. were sold in the morning at \$5.183, and on 'change 400 bbls. were sold in the sold at \$5.121. On Wednesday the additional European news by the America scenned to still further depress the market. No transactions occurred, buvers not being willing to operate at more than \$5. Yesterday the market scenned a little firmer, and 400 bls. were sold at \$5121. To-day we note sales of 1,500 vere sold at \$5 12'. To-day we note sales of 1,500

bbls. at \$5.12. CITY MILLS FLOUR .- On Monday 1,500 bbls. were sold at \$5.12½, and 1,000 bbls. deliverable on the 1st September, at the same price; also, 300 bbls. at 5.18½. On Tuesday no transactions were reported. On Wednesday there were sales of 500 bbls. at \$5.12½. Yesterday sales of 750 bbls. were made at \$5.12½. To day the market was more active, and sales of 1,500 bbls. occurred at \$5.12\frac{1}{2}.

CORN MEAL.—Sales of Baltimore bbls. at \$3.37\frac{1}{2}.

The inspections of Flour for the week are: 21,049 barrels and 920 half barrels. Also, 623 bbls. Corn

barrels and 920 half barrels. Also, 623 bbls. Corn Meal.

WHEAT.—A considerable quantity of Wheat has reached the market this week, and prices have been pretty steady, although below the lowest rates of last week. We would remark that a large portion of the Wheat that has been offered this week has been in bad condition, and sold at prices considerably below our quotations, which it should be borne in mind are for good dry wheats. On Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, the offerings were about 42,000 bushels, and sales were made of fair to prime reds at 105 a 103 cts., and 109 a 113 cts. for fair to prime whites. Some parcels very prime whites for Family Flour sold on Tuesday at 116 cts. On Wednesday only about 8000 bushels were offered. Sales of fair to prime reds at 105 a 105 cts., and fair to prime whites at 109 a 113 cts. The market was dull at those rates, and had there been a larger quantity at market prices would probably have declined. Yesterday, the receipts continuing limited and the weather appearing unfavorable, a slight improvement took place. About 10,000 bushels were offered and sold at 106 a 110 cts. for fair to prime reds, and 110 a 114 cts. for fair to prime whites. This morning the market was very brisk, and a decided advance in whites took place. The sales were about 18,000 bushels at 105 a 110 cts. for good to prime reds, and 112 a 118 cts. for good to prime reds, and 112 a 118 cts. for good to prime whites. The parcels at 118 cts. are suitable for Family Flour.

CORN.—To-day we quote at 60 a 62 cts. for white, and 64 a 65 cts. for yellow.

OATS.—We quote Virginia and Maryland Oats at 36 a 39 cents.

CLOVERSEED.—Sales this week at \$5.75 a 6.00

36 a 39 cents. CLOVERSEED.—Sales this week at \$5.75 a 6.00 GUANO .- There is no Peruvian Guano in market at present, the late importations having been com-pletely exhausted. Sales are making of Patagonian at \$34 per short ton, and of Lobos Island at \$35, by MOLASSES .- We quote New Orleans 20 a 29 cts.; MOLASSES.—We quote New Orleans 20 a 29 cts.; Cuba 18 a 21 cents, and Porto Rico 22 a 28 cents.

BACON.—We quote Sides at 7½ a 7½ cents, Shoulders at 7½ a 7½ cents, and Hams at 11½ a 12 cents.

PLASTER.—Sales at \$2.75 a \$3 per ton.

LARD.—We note sales of 100 tierces at 10½ cts.

WHISKEY.—We quote bbls. at 26½ cents, and hhds. WOOL.—Tubwashed 36 a 38 cents, pulled 33 a 37 ents, unwashed 25 a 28 cents.

GEORGETOWN MARKET. FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 19, 1853 FLOUR, per barrel. \$5 06 a 5 25 CORN, per bushel. 0 60 a 0 66 WHEAT, white, per bushel. 1 05 a 1 16 Do. red, do. 1 03 a 1 06 ALEXANDRIA MARKET. FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 19, 1853. WHEAT, (red) per b Do. (white) RYE, per bushel.....

TIMOTHY SEED WINCHESTER MARKET. FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 18, 1

BACON, new, per lb.....

For ourselves, we hope that the foreign powers and our own government will not afford any support to the tattered frame-work of the Chinese system. It is time, that the immense domain should be opened to the world, and to civilization. It has remained a sealed book for near one thousand years, except for the enterprise and inquiry of Matco Palo and Duhalde. We should assist the children of the soil, if they ild unfold it wholly to our eyes.

Marringes. In this town, on Tuesday morning last, by Rev. W. B. Derron, WILLIAM H. TRAVERS, Esq., of Baltimore city, and Miss ELIZABETH P. HUNTER, of On the 16th of August, by Rev. L. MARDERS, Mr. GEORGE W. GANT, of Saline county, Missouri, and Miss ALICE E., youngest daughter of Mr. Sanrond Rogers, of Loudoun county.

Near Harpers-Ferry, on Tuesday last, by Rev. Wm. F. SPEAKE, Mr. GEORGE S. BONHAM and Miss MARY F. BONHAM—both of Clarke county. On the Bridge, at Harpers-Ferry, on the 1st instant, by Rev. D. Wilson, Mr. HENEBURNE J. SHAM-BLIN and Miss ELIZABETH E. KEANFORD—both of Frederick county. At the same place, on the 12th instant, by Rev. David Wilson, Mr. RANDOLPH CASTNER, of Jefferson county, and Miss MARGARET B. ROLAND, of Berkeley county.

On Wednesday morning, 10th instant, by Rev. JNO.

4C. SMITH, JOHN E. LATHAM, Esq., and Miss VIR
4GINIA WITHERS—all of Washington city. On the 11th instant, by Rev. S. GOVER, in Water-ford, Mr. JOHN E. WILLIAMS and Miss SARAH E. HAINS all of Loudoun.

On Thursday, 16th instant, in Leesburg, by Rev. SAMUEL GOVER, Mr. JAMES W. WALKER and Miss HARRIET ANN STEVENSON—all of Loudoun.

Draths. On Wednesday evening, 10th instant, MARY RE-BECCA, daughter of Mr. John Gardner of this county, aged 11 years, 3 months and 10 days. On Thursday, 11th instant, of Typhoid Fever, at White Post, Clarke county, Virginia, Mrs. HAR-RIET, wife of J. W. ZIMMERMAN, of Baltimore. At Burlington, Iowa Territory, on the 3d instant, fire BELLA BRANDEBERRY, in the 45th year of herage, formerly of Shippensburg, Pennsylvania.
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At his residence, near Middleburg, Loudoun county, Virginia, as Monday morning, 15th instant, Mr. MUGH ROY-EME, in the 86th year of his age. The deceased learns a widow, with whom he had lived in unclouded kanneny for three score years—and a family of ten children, fifty grand children, and twenty-right great grand children—all living within a few

Onshe 19th pikino, in Garrardsown, Mr. MOR-CHNSYBOLE, leaving a wife and two small chil-dress, with a large circle of relatives and friends, to mount their irreparable loss. At the residence of Mr. J. W. Fishe, in Warrenton, on Sacurday, Inch of August, ANN REBECCA, infant daughter of Alfaed J. Stefes, Editor of the Culper Observer, aged 1 years, months and 11 days.

OBITUARY. Died, at Kurlock, in Warren-cousty, on the 14th ultime, ROBERT WALKER, the infant son of Bex-DAMIN B. and CECECIA A. MOORE, aged one year, four nonths and six days. This child, robed in all the loveliness and innocenof youth, after an illness of two months, yielded its spirit, the bright image of eternity, to the hands of Him who pave it. How ruthless is death. The young and the old—the bake and the man—are slike usacred into eternity through the silent chambers of death.

Special Potices.

Warrenton Flag please copy.

G-Church Dedication .-- The new Church Get the Contract of the Contract of the Southern Methodist Episcopal Church, in Leesburg, will be dedicated to the worship of God, on Sunday, 3d day of September west. Several distinguished Ministers are expected to be present and to take part in the services consequent upon the occasion. [Aug. 23.

10-Notice.--The Enited protracted meet-ng will commence on Friday, the 19th instant, at the aborty Grove School-House. There will be preach-School-House, and will continue from day to day for a week or two if the prospects are favorable. Should any one wish to put up tents there will be no objections, so that it is not done on the Sabhath day.

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Ag-Notice. -- By Divise permission, a Bush Meeting will be held by the M. E. Church, Shepherdstown Station, in the woods of Mr. Border, near Reinlart's School-House, to commence on Saturday morning, September 3d, and continue four days. Several mainisters are expected to assist at the meeting. Members of other branches of the Christian Church and the sublic generally are most cardially invited to partici-pate in these exercises. JOHN S. DEALE,

August 33. Preacher in Charge.

(13-No huckstering of any kind will be allowed in the vicinity of the meeting.

J. S. D. 65 Camp-Meeting .-- The Protestant Me-hodists will hold a Camp-Meeting on the ground occupied last year, near McCoy's Ferry, to commence on the 1st day of September. [Aug. 23.

65-Baptist Association. The Columbia Baptist Association will be held with the Ebenezer Church, about three miles Southwest of Snickersville, Loudoun county, commencing on Thursday, the 25th ant. The Rev. ALEX. SPILLMAN will preach the [August 16.

fg-Stabler's Anodyne Cherry Expectorant, and DIARRHEA CORDIAL, being recommended so highly by many Physicians, Apothecaries and Pharmaceutists of high standing in the city of Baltimore, there can be doubt of their superior virtues. Those suffering with Colds, Coughs, Hourseness, &c., or with Diarrhea, should give them a trial. See advertisement in another column. [Aug. 2—1m] Ar-Obituary notices, exceeding six lines length, are only inserted as Advertisements.

By-Always on band at Buck's Mammoth Clothing store, sign of large pants, neartheast corner of Union and Second streets, Philadelphia. The citizens of Charlestown and vicinity are particularly invisens of Charlestown and vicinity are particularly invisens of Charlestown and vicinity are particularly invisens of the call at the Mammoth Clothing store, which is noted for cut and elegant fit. The Clothing is made of the best and finest cloth, and will be sold at the very lowest prices. Remember readers the large Check Pants. Be sure and call at L. BUCK'S, theast corner of Union and 2d streets, April 5, 1853-3m Philadelphia.

fg-strange.-- A gentleman was seen yesterday looking for a good and cheap Clothing Store. Being a stranger, he had-never heard of ROCKHILL & WILSON'S at which all the spectators were amazed. He was soon shown the way to it, and was so satisfactorily supplied, that he is going to buy all his clothes there, and send all his friends to the cheap store, No 111 Chesuut street, corner of Franklin Place, Philadelphia. November 16, 1852.

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MUSTANG LINIMENT.

Of-The Ladies will always rejoice at the happy experience of curing eruptions, sore nipples, broken or caked breasts, piles and corns, after a thorough trial of the Mexican Mustang Liniment.

The Mexican Mustang Liniment will give the most undoubted satisfaction to every one giving it a trial for stiff joints, stiff neck or sore throat; it has proved itself efficacious in those complaints in many very stubborn cases.

MEXICAN MUSTANG LINIMENT.—The five Express Companies of New York city, certify that they have entirely abandoned the use of any other Liniment for the cure of sores, galls, sprains and rheunatic pains among their horses or men.

If you have any ugly, painful Corns upon your feet, get a bottle of Mustang Liniment and apply it twice a day for eleven days and the trouble will be gone positively.

Extract from a letter dated Pittsburg, Pennsylva-ia, October 5th, 1852: Another circumstance which I noticed in Ohio a few days ago, I thought spoke highly of the virtues of the Mustang. Being in the office of a Physician of high standing. I noticed as he opened a door of his bookease, several bottles of Mustang, along side of which was an EMFTY Mustang bottle, and a two-ounce vial FHLED WITH MUSTANG LINIMENT, on which was the following directions: "Rub the throat well night and morning with the Liniment, and wrap a woolen cloth around it."

J. P. FLEMING.

The Liminent is put up in three sizes and retails for 5 cts. 50 cts. and \$1—the 50 cts. and \$1 sizes contins three and six times as much as the 25 cts. size, and is much cheaper. and is much cheaper.

A. G. BRAGG & CO., sole proprietors, 304 Broadway, New York, and corner of 3d and Market streets, 5t. Louis, Missouri. For sale by all Druggists.

(17-1. M. SMITH, Charlestown, T. D. HAMMOND and A. M. CRIDLER, Harpers-Ferry, Agents.

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AT THE LADIES' CHEAP STORE.

A FINE assortment of Dress and Needle-worked Goods, bought at auction and sold at a small advance. Calicoes for comforts, fast colors, 18 yards for one dollar.

Charlestown, August 23, 1853. MEN AND GINGHAM COATS, a new supply, prices low, at ISAAC BOSE'S cut 33, 1858, Cheap Store.

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BALLOON ASCENSION,

AT SHANNONDALE SPRINGS. THE Proprietor of Shannondale has the pleasure announce that the great Aeronaut, John Wu will ascend in a Balloon from these Springs On Thursday, 1st of September next,... Mr. Wise has been at Shannohdale for several days and has now gone on to Baltimore to collect the necessary materials for the ascension.

GEO. W. SAPPINGTON,

August 23, 1853. Proprietor EXECUTOR'S SALE. ON Thursday, the 8th day of September next, at HARPERS-FERRY, Virginia, the un-dersigned, as the executor of John A. Gibson, dec'd, will offer for sale, at public auction, a very large and

PERSONAL PROPERTY. consisting in part of seven head of valuable MULES, all sound and young, two of which are matched sorrels and are the most valuable pair of Mules in the Valley of Virginia; several small two-horse Wagons, Carts and Gearing; several first-rate Gondalos intended for the Canal trade; a complete set of Fixtures for a Warehouse; one first-rate Cart Horse; a lot of excellent Cedar Shingles. Also, a lot of very valuable and comparatively new

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE. consisting in part of new Hair Mattrasses, double and single Shuck and Straw ditto; Feather Beds, Bedding and Bedsteads for the same; some fine Carpeting, Woolen and Oilcloth; a new and splendid lot of Li-

and Bedsteads for the same; some fine Carpeting, Wooleh and Oilcloth; a new and splendid lot of Liverpool and China Ware, embracing a complete Dinner and Tea Service, and also every of Furniture ordinarily found in a well-furnished dwelling.

There will also be offered at the same time two new and Splendid CANAL BOATS, known on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal as the Wheatley and Essex.

These Boats have been used but a short time by the deceased and are in excellent order. They are the largest class boats, carrying 120 tons with great convenience. They have just been painted in complete style and present a magnificent appearance. They are now lying at Harpers-Ferry, where they can be seen by any one desiring to examine them. Any one visiting the Ferry with the view of examining them will please call on James W. Keenan, Esq., who will show them. To any one desirous of purchasing any sort of property designed for use in the Canal trade, an opportunity for bargains is now offered, which rarely happens; and to any one desirous of entering into the very profitable Canal trade between Alexandria, Georgetown and Cumberland, an excellent opportunity now presents itself. There is a vacancy in this business, occasioned by the death of Capt. Gibson, which must be filled. Persons desiring information in regard to the property to be sold, can address the undersigned at Berkeley Springs, Virginia, or at Harpers-Ferry.

(3)—All persons indebted to the estate are requested immediately to settle the same, either with the undersigned or with James W. Keenan, Esq., one or the other of whom will always be found at Harpers-Ferry, at the late residence of the deceased; and persons having claims against the estate are requested to present them at as early a day as possible.

Terms—For all sums over \$10 a credit of six months will be given; all sums under, cash. Bond and approved security will be required of each purchaser before the property is removed.

fore the property is removed.

JOSEPH S. DUCKWALL,

Harpers-Ferry, August 23, 1953. Executor. P. S. It is probable that the WAREHOUSE, STA-BLE, and other Buildings, situated on the Chesa-peake and Ohio Canal, near Harpers-Ferry, will be

65-The Miners' Journal at Cumberland; Virginian Winchester; Standard, Alexandria; the Independent Georgetown, copy in weekly and tri-weekly until day of sale and forward bills to this office for collection.

NOTICE. NOTICE.

ON and after Monday, the 22d instant, the Passender Trains will leave the Ticket Office at Winchester at 6 o'clock, A. M., and at 7 o'clock, P. M. Reinrining will leave Harpers-Ferry at 12½ o'clock, P. M., and at 9½ P. M.

Passengers will thus leave Winchester at 5 A. M., arrive in Baltimore at 11½ A. M. Returning leave Baltimore at 4½ P. M. and arrive at Winchester at 11½ P. M.—making the trip to Baltimore and returning same day, and having five hours in Baltimore.—The connexion with the 8 A. M. Train from Baltimore will remain as at present. Passengers, going to Washington will, by this arrangement, arrive there at an early hour in the afternoon.

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J. GEO. HEIST,
Pr. Agent. BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD. New Accommodation Train for Harpers-Ferry, Winchester, &c.

ON and after Monday, August 22d, (daily, except Sundays,) an accommodation train will leave Harpers Ferry at 7½ A. M., for Baltimore, stopping at the Frederick Junction and other intermediate points, and reaching Baltimore at 12 o'clock, noon.—At 4.30 P. M., daily, the same train will leave Baltimore for Frederick and Harpers-Ferry, stopping at the way stations.

By this new arrangement, passengers between

the way stations.

By this new arrangement, passengers between Winchester and Baltimore, and Winchester and Washington will find such facilities as will enable them to make the round trip within twenty-four hours—Winchester trains arriving at and departing from Harpers-Ferry to form the connection.

Fare between Winchester and Baltimore, either way, \$4.50; to or from Harpers-Ferry, Point of Rocks, Frederick, &c., at the rate of three cents per mile.

August 23.

Master of Transportation.

August 23. Master of Transportation. FARMERS LOOK TO YOUR INTEREST. HAVING rented the Brick Warehouse, at Shep-berdstown, and made arrangements I am pre

pared to pay the highest Cash Prices for WHEAT, CORN, &c., upon delivery.

I will also keep constantly on hand PLASTER, FISH, SALT, &c., in exchange for Country Produce, or sell at low cash prices, and I will forward any produce to the District or Alexandria at the usual prices.

August 23, 1853—tf

C. W. LUCAS. PORTE MONNAIES, POCKET BOOKS, AND FANCY GOODS.

THE attention of the Trade, and others, in want of PORTE MONNAIES, POCKET BOOKS, BANKERS' CASES, DRESSING CASES, PORTABLE WRITING DESKS, BACKGAMMON AND CHESS BOARDS, CHESSMEN, PEARL, SHELL, and SIL-VER CARD CASES, WORK BOXES, CABAS, NEE DLE BOOKS, MONEY BELTS, CIGAR CASES PORTFOLIOS, RAZORS AND RAZOR STROPS TRAVELLING FLASKS, AND FINE CUTLERY,

Porte Monnaie and Pocket Book Manufacturer,
205 Arch street, below Sixth, Philadelphia.

CORN FOR SALE. HAVE for sale 125 BBLS. CORN. MEREDITH HELM, Agent. August 23, 1853—3t NEW TINNING ESTABLISHMENT.

THIS establishment, situated on Main street, and formerly managed by E. R. Harbell, "Agent for E. Hunt," has passed into the hands of Joseph R. Evans, whose experience as a workman is generally known in this place and adjoining country. Being associated with E. Hunt, and having purchased a full set of machines, they are now prepared to do all kinds of work, and fatter themselves that they can give entire satisfaction to all who may favor them with their tire satisfaction to all who may favor them with their

ROOFING AND SPOUTING will be done at the shortest notice, and in the best possible manner. A good assortment of TINWARE will be kept constantly on hand, at fair prices.

In short, every thing in their line, can be had at this establishment.

Orders from all in want of work of any description (in the above business,) are respectfully solicited. HUNT & EVANS. Charlestown, August 23, 1853-1y RANAWAY from Peyton Davice, near Snickers-ville, Loudoun county, Virginia, on Saturday, 12th instant, a negro man named WILLIAM GREEN: AGE. He is about 31 years of age, 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, quite stout and very black, with a full suit of hair, which he usually wore platted, but when combed out was at least six inches long. He either

combed out was at least six inches long. He either wore or carried with him a suit of black broadcloth, had eighty or ninety dollars and a silver watch, also a pair of new saddlebags. No marks recollected except an enlargement on the right wrist, occasioned by a sprain, with a small scar on it. It is supposed he has obtained a free pass and will endeavor to get to Canada.

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The above reward will be paid if apprehended out of the State and secured so that I get him again, or \$50 if taken in Virginia.

MARY A. B. HEREFORD.

Upperville, August 23, 1853—3t \$20 REWARD.

RAN AWAY on Saturday night, 20th instant, a negro man named ANDREW HOWARD, about 22 years of age, six feet high, a mulatto in color, with no particular marks recollected. This negro is free, and was raised in Rockbridge county, and sold out by the County Court of Jefferson for a term of years.—The above reward will be paid for his apprehension and safe confinement.

KEYES & COCKRELL. Charlestown, August 23, 1853. Winchester Virginian copy three times.

\$10 REWARD. L OST, on the evening of the 11th instant, on the road between Carter's Hotel and the residence of Mr. John Humphreys, by the way of Mrs. Frame's gate, on the Turnpike, a BLACK MOROCCO PORTMONIAE, containing notes, checks and gold for more than \$100. The above reward will be paid to the finder upon the delivery of same.

August 16, 1853. SAML. C. KEARSLEY.

BEING desirous to settle up my business here as soon as possible, with a view of leaving this county, I would respectfully request all persons knowing themselves indebted to me to come forward and pay their respective indebtedness.

JOHN G. RIDENOUR.

Harpers-Ferry, August 16, 1853—Im [r. r.]

CLOCKS.--Iron, inlaid with Pearl Cases, and Mahogany; a few of the best time-keepers, just received by T. RAWLINS & SON.

F. M. The Coaches meet the cars as follows:

First Train from Winchester.....94 o'clock, A. B.

Second Train from Harpers-Ferry... 2 " P. M.

Third Train from Harpers-Ferry... 5 " P. M.

The new Brick Dwelling being now finished an furnished, there is ample room for a large company.

Respectfully, R. M. & G. N. JORDAN,

August 9, 1863; Proprietors. CIRCUS AND MENAGERIE

TURNER & CO. WOULD respectfully announce to the citizer Charlestown and vicinity that their comb Circus and Menagerie will visit this place
On Thursday, the 25th of August,

FOR ONE DAY ONLY.

The additions to their Equestrian Troupe, together with the fine condition of the animals composing the Menagerie; with the aid of a superior baid of music, is sufficient to ensure an agreeable and interesting entertainment to all who visit them.

Doors open at 2 and 7 o'clock, P. M. Performance to commence at 2½ and 7½ o'clock.

13-Admission to the whole 50 cents, children under 12 years of age, and servants half price:

13-The above Company will Exhibit at Berryville, on Friday, the 26th of August—and at Winchester, on Saturday, the 27th of August.

August 9, 1853.

WASHINGTON SENTINEL.

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T PROPOSE to publish in the city of Washington, in September, a political newspilper, under the name of the Washington Sentinel.

In doing so it is proper I should make known the principles it will maintain and the policy it will advocate.

It will support cordially and earnestly the principles of the Democratic Republican party of the United States. It does not propose to be the organ of any department of the Government, except in so far as an independent maintenance of the doctrines of that party may represent its opinions and express its views.

It will not be ambitious to commend itself to the people by a blind flattery of their rulers. It will seek public support by the bold avowal of the sentiments which are common to the genuine Democracy of the Union, and by the condemnation of all such as may conflict with them, from whatever quarter they may come. It will seek to be (and it will endeavor to deserve the title) the organ of the Democratic party of the United States.

The Sentinel will maintain, as a fundamental truth of that great party, that the States formed the Union between them by the ratification of the Constitution as a compact; by which also they created the Federal Government, and delegated to it, as their common agent, the powers expressly specified in it, with an explicit reservation of all others to the States, or to their separate governments. The exercise of any nowers beyond those thus delegated is therefore an

explicit reservation of all others to the States, or to their separate governments. The exercise of any powers beyond those thus delegated is therefore an usurpation of the reserved authority of the States by the agent of their own creation.

The Sentinel will uphold and defend the Union upon the basis of the rights of the States—under the Constitution—and thus by sedulously guarding the latter it will the more effectually strengthen and perpetuate the former. will the more effectually strengthen and perpetuate the former.

With Regard to the exercise of the powers of the Federal Government, the Sentinet will take as the principles of its action that Congress shall exercise no power which has not been delegated by the Constitution, according to a strict and fair interpretation of its language and spirit; and that it shall not seek to attain indirectly an object through the exercise of constitutional power, for the direct attainment of which it has no delegation of power. In other words, all powers exercised must be clearly granted, and all granted powers must be used for no purpose except such as is clearly intended by the Constitution.

In respect to the internal administration of the Government the Sentinet will sustain the settled policy of the Democratic party. It will labor to inculcate this cardinal doctrine of Democratic internal policy—that this Government will best promote the freedom and prosperity of the people of the States by being less ambitious to exercise power and more anxious to preserve liberty; and by leaving to the individual States the management of all their domestic concerns—while it contents itself with guarding the Confederacy from external violence, and directing the foreign policy of the country to the promotion of the common

icy of the country to the promotion of the common rights and honor of the States composing it. The Sentine will advocate such a progressive foreign

policy as will suit itself to the exigencies and correspond with the expanding interests of the country.—
That policy should be energetic and decided; but should temper firmness with liberality, and make its highest ends consist with the strictest principles of justice. The real interests of the country upon each occasion demanding attention will be its guide in the course the Sentinet will pursue.

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The national policy of the world in this age is essentially aggressive. In the growing sense of weakness of some of the nations of the Old World and the ambitious restlessness of others, a common motive to colonial extension has developed itself. colonial extension has developed itself.

Our settled determination to repel interference from abroad with our own domestic concerns will prompt us to avoid it in the affairs of other countries, unless by their foreign or colonial policy our peace should be threatened, our security endangered, or our interests invaded. For when the selfish interests of other nations prompt a foreign or colonial policy which infringes upon our rights and places in the pathway of our commerce a dangerous and unfriendly rival, such a policy must be resisted by remonstrance, and if need be by war. need be by war.

Our foreign policy should indeed be defensive; but to be properly defensive it must sometimes be apparently aggressive. Our Administration should be vigilant, watchful, and energetic. The world is full of improvemental and political decoly

to be properly defensive it must sometimes be apparently aggressive. Our Administration should be vigilant, watchful, and energetic. The world is full of important movements, commercial and political, deeply concerning American trade and American power.

It is time we had an American foreign policy. We must have it. We cannot avoid it if we would. We have large interests and a greater stake in the world and its destiny than every other people. We occupy the best portion of a continent, with no neighbors but a colony and a worn out an archical despotism. We are the only people whose own land, without colonial dependencies, is washed by the two great oceans of the world. Our agricultural productions are more varied and more essential to civilized life and to human progress—our mineral and manufacturing resources more vast—our facilities and capacity for internal and foreign commerce more extended than those of any other people living under one government. A continent to a great extent unexplored and exhaustless in its yet hidden wealth is at our feet. European trade seeks the great East through avenues which are at our doors, or must be made through our own limits. Europe, Asia, Africa, and the isles of the sea, lying all around us, look to us as the rising power, through the agency of whose example, and everwidening and extending, though peaceful influences, the blessings of liberty, civilization, and religion, are destined to triumph over the barbarism and superstition of the millions of the world. And shall such a people refuse to lay hold upon their destiny and act upon the high mission to which it is called? A mission so full of hope, though so laden with responsibility, which, if properly directed, must make our Confederacy the harbinger of peace to the world as well as the peaceful arbiter of its destiny.

The Sentinel will, therefore, advocate a bold and earnest foreign policy, such as the condition of the country demands, but it will advocate it under the flag of the country—nowhere else. Its foreign pol

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Such, then, is the chart by which we shall be guided. Independent and free, we shall endcavor to be honest and truthful. The true friends of Democratic principles, we shall cordially support and defend. Its enemies in the field or in ambush we shall oppose, and on all proper occasions denounce.

To our future brethren of the press we extend the hand of friendly greeting. The Sentinet is the rival of no press of its own party—the personal enemy of none of the other.

The present Democratic Administration has our best wishes for its success in the establishment of the great principles upon which it came into power; and in its honest labors to attain such an end it will find the Sentinet its friend and coadjutor.

TEAMS: For the daily paper, \$10 a year, in advance. For the Tri-weekly, \$5 a year to single subscribers, and to clubs or persons subscribing for five or more copies, at the rate of \$1 50 a year; in all cases payment to be made in advance.

All communications should be post paid, and ad-

rate of \$1 50 a year, in an inade in advance.

All communications should be post paid, and addressed to Beverley Tucker.

G-Editors throughout the country are requested to copy the above Prospectus, and send us a copy of their paper, who shall receive in return a copy of ours.

BEVERLEY TUCKER.

ours. Washington, August 2, 1853. FACTS CANNOT BE DOUBTED. Let the Afflicted Read and Ponder!

MORE than 500 persons in the City of Richmond,
Va., alone testify to the remarkable cures performed by CARTER'S SPANISH MIXTURE.

The great Spring Medicine and Purifier of the blood The Ya., alone testify to the remarkable cures performed by CARTER'S SPANISH MIXTURE.

The great Spring Medicine and Purifier of the blood is now used by hundreds of grateful patients, who testify daily to the remarkable cures performed by the greatest of all medicines, Carter's Spanish Mixture. Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Scrofula, Eruptions on the Skin, Liver Discase, Fevers, Ulcers; Old Sores, Affections of the Kidneys, Diseases of the Throat, Fennale Complaints; Paines and Aching of the Bones and Joints, are speedily put to flight by using this great and inestimable remedy.

For all diseases of the Blood, nothing has yet been found to compare with it. It cleanses the system of all impurities, acts gently and efficiently on the Liver and Kidneys, strengthens the Digestion, gives tone to the Stomach, makes the Skin clear and healthy, and restores the Constitution, enfectled by disease or broken down by the excesses of youth, to its pristine vigor and strength.

For the Ladies, it is incomparably better than all the cosmetics ever used. A few doses of Carter's Spanish Mixture, will remove all sallowness of complexion, bring the roses mantling to the cheek, give elasticity to the step, and improve the general health in a remarkable degree, beyond all the medicines ever heard of.

A large number of certificates of remarkable cures performed on persons residing in the city of Richmond, Virginia, by the use of Carter's Spanish Mixture, is the best evidence that there is no humbug about it. The press, hotel keepers, magistrates, physicians, and public men, well known to the community, all add their testimony to the effects of this GREATT BLOOD FURIFIER.

Call and see a few hundreds of the certificates around the bottle.

None genuine unless signed Benner & Benne, Daugust S.

Principal Depots at M. Ward, Close & Co., Nd. 83 Maiden Lane, New York. T. W. Dvott & Sons, and Jennins & Harrsmoone, Philadelphia. Hanner of the proper forms of the form of the form of the form of the form of the Medicines every where.

August 16,

VINEGAR. -- If you want pure Cider Vinegar send to HARRIS & RIDENOUR.

50 KEGS NAILS, prices low.

August 16. HARRIS & RIDENOUR.

V send to HARRIS & RII Charlestown, August 16, 1853.

JOHN MOLER, August 3, 1853. THOS. W. KEYES, SAML. RIDENOUR.

GENERAL AGENCY, Washington, D. C.

THE subscriber offers his services to the public in the prosecution of Claims before Congress, or any of the Departments of the Government. Some years experience as disfursing agent of the Indian Department, with a general knowledge of the mode of transacting business in the various offices of the Government, enables him to promise situation to all who may entrust business of this character to his care.

He will also give special attention to the bollection of claims against parties residing in the District of Columbia or its vicinity, negotiating loans as well as he purchase or sale of Stocks, Real Estate, Land Warrants, &c., &c., or furnish information to correspondents residing at a distance in regard to any business which may interest them at the seat of Government. Washington, D. C.

His Office is over the Banking House of Selden. Withers & Co. July 26, 1853. JAMES J. MILLER. AMES M'ERIDE. HENRY M'BRIDE

JAMES & HENRY M'BRIDE, Wholesale Grocers and Commission MERCHANTS. 102 BROAD, CORNER OF PEARL STREET, NEW YORK April 5, 1853 tf

ORKNEY SPRINGS. THE TOURNAMENT AND FANCY BALL, At the Seymour House, Will come off on the 25th August.

August 16, 1853. TURNPIKE NOTICE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Books will be opened on Friday, the 16th day of September next, at the town of Berryville, in Clarke county, under the direction of Jacob Enders, Treadwell Smith, Mann R. Page, Thomas H. Crow or any two of them; and at Summit Point under the direction of James Griggs, Thomas F. Nelson, A. Moore and A. S. Allen or any two of them, for receiving subscription in shares of twenty-five dollars each, for the purpose of constructing a turnpike road from a point of intersection in the Charlestown and Berryville turnpike at the Cross road leading to Summit Point to Summit Point Depot in Jefferson county, on the Winchester and Potomac Railroad.

THE COMMISSIONERS. TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Books will be

August 16, 1853—1m THE COMMISSIONERS. NOTICE. THE undersigned having been elected and qualified as Constable for District No 2, in Clarke county, offers his services to public for the collection of all claims, placed in his hands, according to law or on commission, and assures those who may entrust their business to his care that no efforts on his part will be spared to render satisfaction. All claims will be paid over as soon as collected.

HENRY D. HOOE. Berryville, August 2, 1853. WANTED, IMMEDIATELY. FEW loads of Wood, Oats or Corn, and a few Bacon Hams, in payment of any dues to July 26, 1853. THIS OFFICE.

MR. WELLER has discontinued to be our Agent for the sale of the Patent Right of our Thresher and Cleaner, and we have appointed Mr. LEWIS F.
COPPERSMITH to act in future as our only Agent
for the sale of Rights in the United States and Territories.
G. F. S. ZIMMERMAN & CO. Charlestown, July 26, 1853.

TAX NOTICE. To the Citizens of Charlestown. THE Corporation Tax is now due, and all those that have not paid last years' taxes, will be called on for the two years.

C. G. BRAGG,
July 26, 1853.

Collector.

MULES FOR SALE. HAVE for sale, on reasonable terms and at moderate prices, FOUR VERY SUPERIOR
MULES, now ready for work. They were
gotten by Mr. Willis' Jack.
I wish to purchase a NEGRO BOY, from 16 to 20, who will make a good farm hand. July 26, 1853—tf JAMES Y. HARRIS.

A TEACHER WANTED, IN District No. 13. One well qualified and acceptable to the patrons of the Free School will receive an dditional compensation of \$50 or \$75.

June 7, 1853.

J. J. WILLIAMS, Comm.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY. THE undersigned has just received direct from Philadelphia a small assortment of WATCHES, Breastpins, Cuff Pins, Cuff Buttons, Lockets, Pencils, Rings, Gold Pens, ect. A few flue Fans, all of which he will sell on the most accommodations terms.

CHAS. G. STEWART. Charlestown, May 17, 1853.

AT THE LADIES' CHEAP STORE! JUST received, beautiful large pointed Collars, 75 cts.; second quality, 44 cts.; sweet little Collars, (worth 25 cents,) 9 cts.; heavy silk Parasols, latest style, \$1.50; 1000 cakes of Fancy Soap, three cakes for a fip! Charlestown, May 17, 1853.

FOR RENT. THE two offices adjoining the Free Press Office, one lately in the occupancy of W. L. Baker, deceased, and the other occupied by Mr. Forney. Application may be made to Wm. C. Worthington or H. N. Gallaher. Possession given immediately.

April 12, 1853.

OUR clients and the public are informed that T. T. FAUNTLEROY, JR., is connected with us in business, and has full authority to attend to any of our professional matters. His office is with ours, in Hoff's Row, near the Court-House.

BARTON & WILLIAMS.

Winchester, Va., April 12, 1853-1y PERUVIAN GUANO.

PERSONS who desire to procure Peruvian Guano for the Fall use, will do well to furnish us with their orders immediately. We will supply it if it can be procured, (of which there is a doubt, owing to the great demand,) at an additional charge upon prime cost of \$2 only, for transportation at Harpers-Ferry or "the Old Furnace." As we expect to have large orders we will be able to buy at the lowest price quoted in the advertisement of Messrs. Fowle & Co., which will be \$41.50 cts. per ton of two thousand pounds.

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R. S. BLACKBURN & CO.

July 19, 1853—tf [F. P.] TO THE JEFFERSON FARMERS. THE subscriber is now ready to buy any amount of WHEAT and CORN, and will always give the nighest market rates.

He will buy Wheat and Corn delivered at either of the Depots on the Winchester and Baltimore Roads.

July 19, 1853—3m

E. M. AISQUITH.

JUST RECEIVED --BEST Ivory Table Knives and Forks, Roller Ends and Rack Pulleys for Curtains, Worsted Cord for Curtains, Brass Screw Rings, White Coffin Hinges, Screws and Tacks, Halter Chains, Axle Pulleys, Cork Screws, Waiters, Horse-Nails, Wire Rat Traps, Mule and Horse Hames, Revolving Warfie Irons, Matches without sulphur, &c.

1000 Cloth, Green Cloth, Cashmerett, Pfush, Tweed, Silk and Linen Coats, made in fashionable styles.
1800 Cassimere, Cloth, Doe Skin, Gambroon, Linen and Cotton Pair of Pants, Plain and Fancy colored.
1000 Silk, Satin; Marseille and German Vests, some French Embroidered, very costly.
1500 Silk, Kossuth and Straw Hats. Also Caps, Handkerchiefs, Stocks, Shirts, Drawers and Socks. These Goods will be sold cheaper, and are superior to any ever brought to this county.
April 26, 1853.

WHITE AND BUFF MARSEILLES VESTS, Silk, Gingham and Linen Coats, White Linen Pants, and other seasonable Goods, in the greatest variety, at ISAAC ROSE'S Cheap Store. Charlestown, June 7, 1853. A NOTHER CASE of those Boys Straw Hats.

June 7. SIGAFOOSE & HARLEY. CORN STARCH. -- A new article for making Pudding, Gustard, &c., for sale by June 21. R. H. BROWN. PORTER: **Fresh Porter, just received and for sale by R. H. BROWN.

June 21, 1863.

CALF BOOTS,—2 Cases fine Calfand Kip Boots.

June 7. SIGAFQOSE & HARLEY

WANTED -- Small Bacon Hams and Lard, in exchange for Hardware, Groceries, &c.

July 26. T. RAWLINS & SON. CIDER VINEGAR. Pure and first-rate for Pickling, for sale by July 26. T. RAWLINS & SON. HAMS.--Cincinnati Sugar-Cured Hams, just received by August 2, 1853. H. L. ENY & SON.

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necessary discipline.

Parents and others interested in having their and those committed to their charge, prepared formission into the advanced charge at one of the leges of the United States, or for the useful and pictual affairs of life, are invited to patronize the se Board may be had in the village, or in the country convenient distance, not exceeding one mile at half.

full course of palso, it desired; the richard, near and Italian Languages: Classics taught upon the plan pursued in the "University of Virgillia," and in connection with the languages of the Greeks and Romans, so much as practicable of their History an Literatures

Terms per Session:

For the "Elementary English Branches," including Algebra \$12.00
For the same Branches, including pure Mathematics

CHARLESTOWN FEMALESEMINARY. THE next Session of this Institution will commence on Thursday, the 1st day of September next, and terminate on Friday, June 30th, 1854.

It is earnestly hoped that all the pupils will enter on the first day, so that there may be no loss of time in

Terms per Session of ten months: For English Branches in Primary Department ... \$25
For Higher Branches 30
Hebrew, Greek, Latin, French, Spanish and Italian
each \$20, extra. JOHN K. NOEL,
July 26, 1853—tf Principal.

REFERENCES. Andrew Hunter, Esq.,
N. S. White, Esq.,
Dr. J. J. H. Straith,
Thos. H. Willis, Esq.

WINCHESTER FEMALE ACADEMY. THE Exercises of this School will be resumed the first Monday in September under the superintendence of the Principal, aided by accomplished and experienced Female Assistants. The terms as heretofore. Further particulars may be learned from Catalogue, which will be furnished those wishing to patronise the School.

July 26, 1853—2m

Principal.

VIRGINIA FEMALE INSTITUTE. REV. R. H. PHILLIPS, A. M., PRINCIPAL. REV. J. C. WHEAT, A. M., VICE-PRINCIPAL. REV. J. C. WHEAT, A. M., VICE-PRINCIPAL.

THIS Institution is beautifully situated in a retired part of Staunton, Virginia. In point of salubrity of air and facility of access, no part of the State enjoys a superior advantage. The building was erected in 1846, at an expense of \$16,000, by a company of gentlemen residing in different parts of the State. It is furnished in a very comfortable style, and has an excellent apparatus and library. The course of study is extensive and the instruction thorough. The different departments are under the care of masters of long and successful experience. The Institute will enter upon its eleventh session, under its present organization, on the 1st Wednesday in September.

TERMS.

The charge for Board and Tuition in the English Branches is \$185 per session of ten months. No extras except for Music, the Languages, Drawing and Painting.

Painting.

Refer to the following Patrons:

Hon. A. H. H. Stuart,
Dr. F. T. Stribling,
Dr. T. H. Clagett, Leesburg.

Major Wm. S. Dabney, Charlottesville.
Arthur Goodwin, Esq., Fredericksburg.
J. P. Ingle, Esq., Washington city.
Judge Reavis, Alabama.
Geo. P. Tayloc, Esq., Roanoke county. Va.
S. T. Caperton, Esq., Monroe county, Va.
B. Smith, Esq., Esq., Parkersburg, Va.
Major John Lee, Orange county, Va.
For circulars, &c., address the Principal.
Staunton, July 19, 1853.

Staunton, July 19, 1853. CHARLESTOWN ACADEMY. P. H. POWERS, PRINCIPAL. CHAS. E. FAHNESTOCK, ASSISTANT.

CHAS. E. FAHNESTOCK, ASSISTANT.

THE next Session of this School will commence on Thursday the first of September, 1853.

The course of study taught in the School comprises all the branches necessary to prepare the Students for the collegiate course, or for the practical business of life—including—tatin, Greek, French, German and Mathematics, with particular attention paid to the elementary English branches and English composition. The Principal having secured the services of Mr. Chas. E. Fahnestock, a gentleman of thorough Classical and Mathematical education and high moral character, as Assistant Teacher, feels confidence in offering the Institution to the public as possessing advantages equal to those of any preparatory school in

vantages equal to those of any preparatory school in the State. English Department, per session of 5 months, \$15.00 French, extra. 5.00 Classical and Mathematical. 20.00

FREDERICKSBURG FEMALE ACADEMY. Screws, Waiters, Horse-Nails, Wire Rat Traps, Mule and Horse Hames, Revolving Warfie Irons, Matches without sulphur, &c.

July 19.

T. RAWLINS & SON.

RON, IRON.—Just received Baltimore TireIron, Band Irons, Harrow-Tooth Iron, small round Chain Iron, Hoop Iron of all sizes, Sheet Iron, Hughes' Nail Rods, Horse-Shoe Bars—together with a large stock Prime Plough Irons and Hammered Tires—all of which we offer on the inost favorable terms.

July 26.

T. RAWLINS & SON.

RECEIVED AT THE CHEAP STORE

From Philadelphia,

1000 Cloth, Green Cloth, Cashmerett, Plush, Tweed, Silk and Linen Coats, made in fashionable styles. REV. G. WILSON MCPHAIL, A. M., PRINCIPAL king arrangements to obtain the services of a gen-nan well qualified to give instruction in French Drawing.

and Drawing.
TERMS AS HERETOFORE—\$35 for the scholastic year of ten months, for older pupils; for younger pupils, \$25. Board in the family of the Principal, \$15 per 05-For further particulars see Circular.
G. WILSON McPHAIL.
August 9, 1853—4w

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. A LL persons having claims against the Estate of A Thomas Campbell, dec'd, either by note or otherwise; will please present them to one of the undersigned before the 1st of September next.

JOHN H. CAMPBELL, Adm'rs.

July 26, 1853.—Win. Virginian copy. LUMBER, LUMBER.

WE have on hand and for sale, at the Depot in Charlestown, a LARGE LOT OF PLANK, 14 inch, 1 inch, and 3 of an inch, suitable for weather-boardilig and planking of wagon beds. Also, a large lot of Gondolas:

V. W. MOORE & BRO. Charlestown Depot, July 26; 1853. PICKETS, PICKETS.

August 9, 1853.

H. L. EBY & SON.

CORDAGE.—1, 2, 3, 5, 1, 1, and 11 inch
Ropes, Bed Cordis, Plough Lines, Halters, Clothes
Lines, Sash Cords, bag-string Twine, Chalk Lines,
Mason Lines, &c. Every size from a Fishing Line to
a Machine Rope, just received by
July 26.

T. RAWLINS & SON.

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13 POSTPONEMENT .- The above PRIVATE SALE.

te and others. Of this Tract 55 cellent neighborhood—and convenient to Charlesto the county seat of Jefferson, to the Baltimore Ohio Railroad, &c.

Terths of Sele made known by personal applicat to the undersigned at his residence near Kerneysvi in salid county, or by letter (post-paid) addressed him at said place.

JAMES V. MOORE
July 26, 1853.

JEFFERSON LAND FOR SALE. JEFFERSON LAND FOR SALE.

I WISH to sell two small Farms of good Limestone
Land—one containing 150 Acres, with good
Buildings, Orchard, &c., ddjoining the Lands
of John Lock, Fisher A. Lewis and the heirs of Daniel
McPherson; dec'd—about 40 Acres in Timber.
Theother on the Shenandoan river, containing 123
Acres of first-rate Land, with 30 Acres in Timber.

A DWELLING HOUSE on the same, and adjoining
the lands of George L. Harris and Dr. John H. Lowis
heirs. For terms, &c., which will be made easy, apply to the undersigned at Mycrstown, or by letter (post
paid) to Kabletown, Jefferson county, Va.

Jan. 25, 1853.

BOSEPH MYERS.

FARM FOR SALE, THE undersigned wishes to sell, at privite sale, his FARM, situated in Jefferson county, Virginia, about five miles west of Charlestown, the county seat, and within two had a half miles of Cameron's Depot, on the Winchester and Potomac Räilroad, and about one and a fourth miles from the Turinpike leading from Middleway to Harpers-Ferry, adjoining the lands of Robert V. Shirley, Jno. W. Packett, James Grantham and others; containing about

and others; containing about

224 ACRES;

more or less; of Limestone Land. The improvement consist of a Dwelling-House, Stable, Corn-House, Stable, Corn-House, Stable, Corn-House, with a Young Orchard where near the house, with a Young Orchard choice Fruit, lately planted. Those desiring purchase will do well to call on the subscriber at Hop well Mills, near Lectown, Jefferson county, Virgini or on Mr. NATHAN BARNS, who is now the present o cupant of said farm.

The Terms will be made reasonable, and possessing iven on the first day of April next.

given on the first day of April next.

JOHN CHAMBERLIN. September 7, 1852—if VALUABLE JEFFERSON FARM

For Sale: THE undersigned wishes to sell, at private sale, his SUGAR-HILL FARM, situated in Jefferson county, Virginia, about 4 miles northwest of Charlestown, the county seat, and within two and a half miles of Duffields and Kerneysville Depots, on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, adjoining the lands of James G. Hurst, J. C. Wiltshire, Moses W. Burr, and others containing wheat

more or less, of Limestone Land—40 acres of which is heavily TIMBERED. The Improvements consist of a Dwelling-House, Stable, Corn-House, Smoke-House, &c.—Also, an Orchard of fine Fruit. This Farm is situated in one of the most healthy portions of the county. For terms, &c., which will be made easy, apply to the undersigned, at his residence adjoining the land, or by letter post-paid directed to Charlestown, Jeffer son county, Virginia.

June 23, 1853—tf G. D. MOORE:

THE VALLEY OF VIRGINIA FIRE MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY; Will issue Policies on all kinds of Property, Merchandise, &c., at fair and equitable rates. Capital \$100,000; with power to increase the same to \$200,000. THE attention of the citizens of Virginia is especially invited to this Company as a Home Institution, based upon ample capital, and guaranteed by the best of references; and conducted on the strictest principles of equity, justice, and economy.

HOME OFFICE-WINCHESTER, VA. JOS. S. CARSON, President. C. S. FUNK, Secretary. O. F. BRESEE, Actuary. DIRECTORS. James H. Burgess, Lloyd Logan, John Kerr, James P. Riely, Lloy H. H. M'Guyre, John N. W. Richardson

B. W. HERBERT, Agent for Jefferson county. August 2, 1853-1y Testimonials.

Winchester, May 27, 1853.

We, the undersigned, being solicited to give our opinion as to the character and standing of the Insurance Company of the Valley of Virginia, have no hesitation in saying that we have the utmost confidence in the ability and integrity of the President and Directors of that Company.

The fact that we have insured our own property in the Company, is perhaps the strongest evidence we can give as to our opinion of its merits.

J. H. Sherrard, Cash. Farmer's Bank of Va. Hon. J. M. Mason, U. S. Senator.

Jacob Senseny, Esq., Merchant, Winchester.

T. A. Tidball, Prest. of Bank of Valley of Va.

LOST, ON Sunday last, in Charlestown, A CUFF PIN, set with garnet. The finder will confer a favor, or be rewarded if desired, by returning the same to August 9, 1853. THIS OFFICE.

T. RAWLINS & SON, HAVING just returned from Baltimore; are now opening the largest and most varied assortment of GOODS, WARES, MERCHANDISE, &c., that was ever offered in this place. Every one must call and see for themselves, to have the least idea of the number of articles on hand, new and useful.

May 3, 1853. TO THE LADIES.

THE Dry Goods Faticy Store; (separate from the Clothing Store,) will be opened THIS MORNING AT 8 O'CLOCK. AT 8 O'CLOCK.

Fine Barege de Lanes, 12; cents;
French Calicoes 6; cents; Fine Lawlis 6; cents;
Brass Linen Handkerchiefs 25 cents;
Silk and Lace Visites and Capes from \$1.00 to \$2.50; 8000 more of the celebrated Exhibition Stockings, White, Black, Gray and Slate colored at 12; cents; Falm Leaf Fans, two for a fip; Needle-worked Collars at 5 cents.

May 3, 1853.

INDIA-RUBBER COMBS. A FEW India-Rubber Long Combs for children, devidedly the best article ever invented, just received and for sale by Charlestown, June 7, 1853: H: L: EBY & SON A RE now receiving a large and very general sup-ply of FRESH FAMILY GROCERIES, at the

tore-room of Dr. Raum, two doors cast of the Old itand, and opposite the Post Office. Charlestown, April 12, 1853. CANTON CRAPE SHAWLS.

SWISS; Polka and Embroidered Dress Patterns,
French fast-colored Liwns and Silk Mantillas, at
ISAAC HOSE'S Cheap Store.

Charlestown, June 7, 1853. WHAT NEXT? ISAAC ROSE'S CHEAP CLOTHING STORES, in Charlestown and Berryville, are now filling up with a complete assortment of Fashionable COATS, PANTS, VESTS, SHIRTS,

Hats, Caps, and Jewelry.

Most of these Goods were recently bought in Philadelphia for little or nothing and will be offered on a very small advance. To give a faint idea of the great Bargains that can be had now, a customer can get rigged out in Coat, Pants, Vest, Hat and Standing Collar All for \$2.37! Bankable Money! Now drop in and buy soon, before the Cheap Stores strike "for higher wages."

ISAAC ROSE:
Charlestown, June 28, 1853.

AT THE CHEAP CASH STORE, FOR LADIES!-Just arrived, 60 Black silk Visites, latest style; richly trimmed, only \$2.50 apiece; 60 dozen of the "fast-selling" Stockings, still finer, at 121 cents per pair; 5 bushels of Shirt Buttons, at 121 cents a gross; Needle-worked Goods and Dress Goods, at fluction prices:

Charlestown, May 31, 1853.

OLD WINE AND BRANDY. ...
6 dozen fine Madeira Wine;
3 " do Port do:
2 " do Claret do.
6 " Old Brandy.
A few barrels of the best Old Rye in town.
May 17. HARFIS & RIDENOUR. NAILS, NAILS:--40 kegs Nails, assorted sizes just received by H. L. EBY & SON. July 12, 1853: WE have Nova Scotia Pickets for sale in Charles town. They will make a cheaper garden enclosure, than the price of sawing them in this country out of the common timber. Also—CYPRESS SHIN-GLES of superior quality.

R. S. BLACKBURN & CO.

August 9, 1853—4:

TURNIP SEED.—Another supply just received —Flat Dutch, Red Top Norfolk, White Flat Norfolk, and Swede or Rutabaga Turnip—Aults. TURNIP SEED. -: Another supply just received
T -- Flat Dutch, Red Top Norfolk, White Flat Norfolk, and Swede or Rutabagu Turnip -- Aults.
T. RAWLINS & SON.

PERSONAL PROPERTY,

The Fat Hogs will be sold on a credit of hinety day
the purchaser required to give a flegotiable flots
myable at Valley Bank, well endorsed.

JOHN HENRY ALISTADT.

WILLIAM H. GRIGGS, Auctioneer.

August 9, 1853.

[F. F.]

COMMISSIONERS SALE OF LAND

IN PURSUANCE of two decrees of the Circuit Co of Jefferson county, one pronounced at the Octo term, 1852, the other at the May term, 1863, in above causes, the undersigned, Commissioners On Saturday, 27th day of August, 185

before the Court House in Martinsburg, E county, Virginia, all the right, title, and in John C. Walper, in TWO TRACTS OF LAND; in said bounty of Berkeley, at the eastern base of the Third Hill Mountain, one tract containing a Acres, 2 Roods and 22 Poles—the other tract; a jacent thereto, containing 37 Acres and 14 Pole. The interest of said John C. Walper being an undivided moiety thereof, subject to his mother's dower, to other moiety being owned by Miss Mary H. Walpe who has agreed to unite in the saic of the entire trace.

ALSO—

-ALSO-On Saturday, 3d day of September, 1853 On Saturday, 3d day of September, 1853, before the Hotel of Daniel Entler, in Shepherdstown, Jefferson county, Virginia, all the right, title, and interest but the said John C. Walper, in the LAND which he inherited from his father, John Walper, lying and being in Jefferson county Virginia situated at Walper's Cross-Roads; said interest being one hundred Acres, conveyed to him in the deed of division, executed by John C. Walper, Catharine Walper, and Mary H. Walper on the 22d day of April, 1847. Alto, 31 Acres, his reversionary interest in the land assigned in said deed to his mother for her dower. The crops now on the land will be reserved.

The land (excepting that in Berkeley County) will be sold free from the contingent claim of the wife of John C. Walper to dower, as to which, provision will be made by the Court in its decree disposing of the proceeds of sale.

The terms of sale are one-third cash, the balance in two equal annual payments with interest from the day of sale: The deferred payments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser and a deed of trust on the premises.

RICHARD H. LEE, N. S. WHITE.

mises. RICHARD H. LEE, N. S. WHITE, Commissioners:

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE:

On FRIDAY, THE 26TH OF AUGUST, 1853, I
will sell, for cash, to the highest bidder, at public
sale, in front of Sappington's hotel, Charlestown, Jefferson county, Virginia; A LOT OF GROUND, in
A said town, situated on Congress street, with a
STONE HOUSE thereon, the lot fronting fifty
seven feet and nine inches on said street, running sixty-six feet back, flow occupied by Miss C. M.
Shew, formerly the property of the late Ezekiel Dean
and by his will directed to be sold.

Possession given immediately.

CHARLES G. BRAGG,
August 2, 1853.

Adm'r. de b. n. c. t. a.

TRUSTEE'S SALE. BY virtue of a Deed of Trust executed to the undersigned by Solomon, Heflebower and Wife and John Kable and Wife, on the 14th of March, 1861, the undersigned will offer at public sale, on the premises; On Saturday, 10th of September next, the large BRICK DWELLING HOUSE and OUT-BUILDINGS, with about one acre of land attached, at present occupied by said Heflebower.

The Dwelling is one of the best finished, most convenient and comfortable in the county. The Out-Buildings complete.

Terms of Sale—One-fifth in hand and the residue in twelve, twenty-four and thirty-six months, with interest from the day of sale and secured by a deed of trust on the premises. Possession given at once.

FRANKLIN OSBURN,

July 19, 1853.

[F. P.] Trustee.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE: BY virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Jefferson county, rendered in the chancery cause of Thomas Sexton and others vs. Mary Grace, now Mary Deck, and others, the undersigned, as special commissioner therein appointed, will proceed to sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder, On Saturday, the 17th day of next month, (September,) 1853, the following REAL ESTATE, in Harpers-Ferry, late the property of Martin Grace; dec'de to wit:

in Harpers-Ferry, late the property of Martin Grace; dec'd; to wit:

The LARGE WAREHOUSE and DWELLING; on Shenandoah street, now occupied in the lower of the brick house property, on High street, recently occupied by Mr. Grace as a tavert.

THE LOT; on the west side and adjoining said brick house property, having on it a Wooden Building, occupied in part as a Cabinet Wareroom.

THE LOT on the hill opposite said brick house property, having upon it an old STONE HOUSE occupied by a colored woman. These houses will be sold out and out by an absolute title in fee simple. At the same time, will be sold, the reversion dependant upon the life estate of Mrs. Mary Deck in the above mentioned brick house tavern property situated on High street, and consisting of two separate tenements.

A more particular description of these tenements need not be given as those wishing to purchase will examine for themselves.

The terms of sale will be one-third of the purchase money in cash, and the residue in two equal pryments at six and twelve months, with interest on each from the day of sale. Said deferred payments to be scured by bonds and Decds of Trust on the premises.

Sale to take place about 12; o'clock, P. M., before Carrell's Hotel, Harpers-Ferry.

ANDREW HUNTER,
Special Commissioner. JOHN J. LALEY, Auctioneer:

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE VIRGINIA LAND. THE undersigned, Executor of Anthony Rosenberger, dec'd., will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, in front of the Court-House, Martinsburg, Berkeley county, on Monday, the 10th day of October, (Court-day,) 1853, that desirable TRACT OF LAND, known as the "Rosenberger Farm," containing 360 ACRES and 23 Poles, to be divided into two portions—the former containing 200 Acres, the latter 160 Acres and 23 Poles. Of the former about 46 acres are in heavy TIMBER; the balance highly cultivated, with good fencing and well watered by a never-failing stream running near the Dwellings. There are three Orchards upon the Farm, two Apple and one Peach.

The Improvements consist of a comfortable BRICK DWELLING, KITCHEN, and all Out-Buildings necessary to the convenience of Farming; such as a good Barn and Stabling, two Corn-Houses and Sheds, two good Tenants' Houses, one large Straw House, Stone Dairy of two stories, Carriage House, Poultry House, Meat Houses, &c. Also, a good Cistern, a Well of pure Limestone Water in the yard, with pump attached.

Of the latter tract about 35 acres are heavily timbered—the balance highly cultivated—well fenced and watered by a stream running through the tract near the dwelling. This tract like the former is furnished with a good Dwelling, Kitchen, Barn, Stabling, Corn House, Smoke-house, and a well hever-failing in the yard.

There are also upon the Tract a few scattering fruit ousch, Ino. M. Small, Ino. P. Walters and others. I location and advantages render it one of the best arket Farms in the county: Its richness of spil is tknowledged superior to any in the county, if not in a Valley.

market Farms in the county: Its richness of soil is acknowledged superior to any in the county, if not in the Valley.

Terms of Sale—Five hundred dollars to be paid one the day of sale, on each tract; one-thied inclusive of said \$500 to be paid on the 1st day of April, 1854, at which time possession will be given; the balance in two equals annual payments with interest from the time of possession. Deferred payments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser and a deed of trust on the land. All grain growing upon the land reserved.

Persons desirous of seeing the Farm will call on Mr. Pitzer residing upon the premises, or the undersigned living near Martinsburg.

GEO. H. McCLURE,

Aug 16, 1853—is Executor with will annexed.

NO AID.

THE undersigned desires to make known that Mrs.

George Wissinger, (for whom a county levy has been made,) is a member of his family—that she has never received any aid from the county, and shall not do so as long as he is able to provide for her, which he liopes to be as long as he lives.

JAMES W. LEAKIN.

District No. 7, August 16, 1853—3t

WATCHES, JEWELRY, &c...The sub-

WATCHES, JEWELRY, &c.-The survey of Watches, and Jewelry, consisteng in part of Watches, and Jewelry, consisteng in part of Gold Lever, Lapine and Duplex Watches, of Market all prices, Breastpins Ear-rings, Gold Guards, Vand Fob Chains, Lockets, Bracelets, &c., to which invite the attention of the public. Watches, Respired.

Forget not—regret not: Hope ever should barn The incense of love In her funeral ura, Siedding glory and light

O'er the gems of the past, y time on the altar

Forget not—regret not:

Why should we regret.

While one star remains,

That another has set?

And though all may have faded,

Others brighter by far,

Through the gloom may arise

Than the once worshipped star.

Like the stars that are hung O'er the limitless sea, A guide to our path, Bright links of the chain, To lead us and bind us To virtue again.

A MAIDEN'S PHILOSOPHY.

youth came a wooing, a maiden so fair;
As gentle and true as a dove;
his words of affection she'd always reply

When the hour drew near for this swain to depart, He kissed her and bade her good-night; She kissed in return and thought it no haven, But ma said she'd not acted right. "Then why, dear ma," she exclaimed, "have you said This dectrine is holy and true: To do unto all men, in every respect, As you'd wish them to do unto you?"

But if of my favors too lavish I've been," She said in half petulant sorrow, I'm sure that my love will with pleasure return My kiss back again on to-morrow." You knnw that my bible with profit I've read, As its doctrines I firmly believe, and there it is written in characters plain,

"Tis more blest to give than receive." famma could not answer, papa was struck dumb, While Lucy looked roguishly bright, he kissed them both tenderly as they sat mute, And cheerfully bade them good-night. Paps and mams were both worshippers true, From going to church ne'er abstain'd, But certainly never before had they heard The Scripture so strangely explained.

Hariety.

*EVIL COMPANIONS.

Parents cannot be too careful in selecting ociety for their children, and young men cannot be too choice in their associates. The lage has lost nothing by age, which says " a man is known by the company he keeps." To young men, especially, it is of infinite imporance that they be furnished with companions sing generous hearts and honorable, viriments. Says the distinguished Robert Hall :-

"Society is the atmosphere of souls; and we unnecessarily imbibe from it something which is either infectious or salubrious. The society of virtuous persons is enjoyed beyond their company, while vice carries a sting in solitude. The society or the company you keep is both the indication of your character and the former of it. In company, when the pores of the mind are opened, there requires more guard than usual, because the mind is then passive. Either vicious company will please you, or it will not; if it does not please you, the end of going will be defeated. In such society you will feel your reverence for the dictates of conscience wear off, and that Name, at which angels bow and devils tremble, you will hear contemned and abused. The Bible will supply materials for unmeaning jests and impious buffoonery. The consequence of this will be a practical deviation from virtue. The principles will become sapped, and the fences of conscience broken down; and when debauchery has corrupted the character, a total inversion will take place—they will glory in their shame."

Social Singing .- What is pleasanter than social singing? When friends meet, and the lively word and laughing jest are intermingled with the voice of song, the spirit throws off care and thought, and recreates itself, that it may be better fitted for the hour of toil .-Those who are able to meet at stated times and spend an hour in the practice of music, loose much by neglecting to do so. There is not a hamlet or village, hardly a country-place, where a singing circle may not be formed, and music practiced; and this, too, not as a task, but as a source of deep, heartfelt pleasure.-The desideratum for such circles is simple, home music, such as stirs the heart and causes its depths to well forth in gladness and joy, or to sympathize in pensive gladness. And this music should be new, else we tire by to much repetition; and various in kind and subject, else some chords of the heart are left untouched. What can supply this desideratum but periodicals devoted to the oultivation of the art! And who would forego the advantages of social singing, when by a little exertion he could secure them !

Musical Review. Scene in a Beer Shop .- An enterprising Dutchman who kept a porter house in New York, gave the following account at the police office, of an assault on his premises; speaking of the person who commenced the row, he said:

He comed in, and asked me to sell him ome beer; I told him he had more as would do him goot-he called me a Dutch liar and pegin to proke 2 of my tumblers, ven me and Hans Speigher, and my vife and dorter Petsy, and all de odder men and beeples about my place, pegins to put him out—and presently ne coom pack wid mord shees like him, and says—I will fix dis peer concern and preak him up, and de shentlemens as wants to get trunk may go to shumvers elsh, and not en this dam duch pisen. Den dey kick Hans Speigler be-hind his pack, and kissed my dorter Petsey before her face, except de stone butcher and spilt my vife and me and todder barrels of eer all over de celler. Hans runs out der loors and calls for vatch house, and my vife called for murder like de tefel, but before de vatch house come, der dam rodies proke us all to pieces, me and my vife and dorter Petsey and Hans, and ter tam pottles and tumbers and blates and dishes, all smashed up to-

The happiest man in the world is said to be "a nigger at a dance." In our opinion this rule is too limited. A "nigger" is not only happy at a dance, but in every other position." A darkey may be poor, but he is never low spirited. Whatever he earns he invests in fun and deviltry. Give him a dol-lar, and in less than an hour he will lay seven shillings of it out in yellow neck-ties, or a cracked violin. There is a something in the African that sheds trouble as a duck sheds water. Who ever knew a "cullud puson" to commit suicide? The negro is strongly given to love and jealousy; but he has no taste for arsenic. He may lose his all by betting against ulette, but he don't find relief for his despair as white folks do, by resorting to charcoal fair sex, and participating in the mazy in-fluence of "de occiputal convulsions of des clarinett."— Williamsburg Press.

No man is a gentleman who, without provocan, would treat with incivility the humblest of his
ecies. It is a vulgarity for which no accomplishents or dress can ever atone. Show me the man
no desires to make every one happy around him,
it whose greatest solicitude is never to give just
use of offence to any, one, and I will show you a
alleman by nature and practice—although he may
were have worn a suit of broadcloth, or ever have

Keep the rank in which Providence has plac-and do not make yourself unhappy because anot afford whatever a wild tency may suggest-renues of all the kingdoms of the world would ot be sound to the expense of one extravagant person | May 24.

Mechanic Acts.

NEW BOOT AND SHOE FACTORY. accounty.

* All work guaranteed to equal in style, beauty, finish, and material, any that is manufactured in the JOHN T. RIELEY, A. G. McDANIEL. Harpers-Ferry, February 1, 1853.

SHENANDOAH IRON FOUNDRY.

notice.

Having been engaged in the business for many years in the largest foundries in the United States, and being now determined to devote his whole attention to the business, he is confident that those who favor him with their work will at the same time, be favoring their own interests, as his prices for Castings shall be as low as at any foundry in the Valley.

Orders, from all in want of Castings of any description, are respectfully solicited.

13-Oid Iron taken in exchange for Castings.

HENRY C. PARKER.

Shenardoah City, August 3, 1852.

WM. S. ANDERSON, MARBLE STONE CUTTER,

RETURNS his thanks to the citizens of Jefferson and adjoining counties for the liberal patronage extended to him in his line of business, respectfully gives notice that he is now prepared to execute all kinds of work in his line—such as MONUMENTS, TOMB-SLABS, HEAD AND FOOT STONES, &c., at the shortest notice, and upon the most reasonable terms; and his work shall compare with any other in the country. All Stones delivered at my own risk and expense,

country.

All stolles delivered at my own that and expense.

All orders thankfully received and promptly attended to. Address

WM. S. ANDERSON,
Frederick city, Md.,
J. W. McGINNIS, Agent,
Charlestown, Va.,
or JOHN G. RIDENOUR, Agent,
January 11, 1853.

Harpers-Ferry, Va.

THE SHENANDOAH CITY WATER
Power and Manufacturing Company,
HAVE the MILLS in operation. They will pay the
highest price in Cash for Wheat, Corn, and Ryc.
They will grind all kinds of Grain for Tolls, exchange
Flour for Wheat or other Grain—receive and forward
all kinds of Produce or other Goods for Baltimore or
other Northern markets. They have made arrangements with the respectable and responsible house of
Newcomer & Stomebraker, of Baltimore, for the transaction of their business, or any that shall be entrusted
to their care. Mr. Geo. W. Taylos, well known in
this and adjoining counties as miller, has charge of
their mills, who will give his attention and spare no
pains to give satisfaction. The Company have more
WATER POWER to dispose of, on sale or rent, will
give every encouragement to Manufacturers and Mechanics. They would invite them to call and examine
for themselves. They feel confident in saying that a
better location for all kinds of manufacturing business
cannot be found.

better location for all kinds of manufacturing business cannot be found.

They have obtained a charter for a Bridge across the Shenandoah River at their place, which when constructed and Roads made will open to the fine settlements in the Valley of Loudoun, and give a more direct communication with Harpers-Ferry and Charlestown, and must give to this place additional advantages. They ask a share of the public interest and patronage.

ISAAC GREGORY,
Shenandoah city, Feb. 1, 1853.

Agent.

NEW BOOT AND SHOE FACTORY. THE subscribers respectfully inform the citizens of Halltown and surrounding country that they have commenced the BOOT AND SHOE MAKING commenced the BOOT AND SHOE MAKING BUSINESS in all its various branches. They will manufacture in the very best manner and out of the best material all kinds of Boots and Shoes. All work will be warranted to be of the best quality, both in material and workmanship, and guarantied to be equal in style, beauty of finish, and material, to any work manufactured in the county.—They will make work as cheap if not cheaper than any shop in the county. Repairing will be neatly and substantially done on the shortest notice. All orders thankfully received and promptly attended to.

D. J. CARLISLE & SON.

Halltown, June 21, 1853. Halltown, June 21, 1853.

BLACKSMITH SHOP. THE subscriber having permanently located him-self at the BLACKSMITH SHOP at Duffield's Depot, is now prepared to do all kinds of work in his line, at prices as moderate as any other shop in the county. He will at all times be prepared with Iron of all kinds for repairing or making Plough and other Irons used by the Farmers.

I solicit a call from those in want, feeling assured that all who give me a call will not go away dissatisfied.

GEORGE PENSE.

Duffield's Depot April 19 1853

Duffield's Depot, April 12, 1853. CHAINS.--I shall manufacture and keep constantly on hand a supply of all the various kinds of Chains used by the Farmers. Breast and Trace Chains, single and double link, straight or twisted, made of the best iron, and in the best style of work-manship. GEORGE PENSE.

Duffield's Depot, April 12, 1853. NEW JEWELRY STORE. THE subscriber having taken the Store in Mr. Stephens' Building, opposite Mrs. Carrell's Hotel, would respectfully call the attention of the public to his large and elegant assortment of

WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, &c. WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, &c.,
Which he is prepared to sell at the lowest cash prices;
Gold and Silver hunting-cased Watches; ditto Rurizontal Escapement Watches; Detached Levers, Friticals, Horizontal, Verge and Duplex Watches, from
the most celebrated manufactures in Europe. AlsoGold Lockets, Ladies' Gold Scroll, Cluster, Box, and
Mourning Pins; Gold Finger Rings of every description; Cuff Pins, Ear Hoops and Drops, Gold Pencils,
Gold Guard and Belt Chains, Chatalaine Pins, &c.—
Gent's Gold Guards, Vest and Fob Chains, Keys and
Seals, Locket and Signet Rings, Bosom Pins, Gold
Studs, Collar and Sleeve Buttons, and every description of Goods usually found in a store of this description of Goods usually found in a store of this descr

found in the county; prices from \$175 to \$12, warranted good time keepers. Silver Spoons.—Silver Spoons, made from pure coin and manufactured expressly for my own retail trade, which will be sold at greatly reduced prices. Watch Repairing.—All descriptions of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, &c., repaired in a workman-like manner. Having had extensive experience in some of the best Shops in the country, the subscriber feels confident of giving perfect satisfaction to all who may favor him with their patronage.

P. CORY.

vor him with their patronage. Harpers-Ferry, June 22, 1852. CARPENTERING AND JOINERING. THE subscriber returns his most sincere thanks to the citizens of Charlestown and neighborhood, for the liberal patronage he has received in the last five years; and hopes to merit a continuance of the same. He is always ready to execute work at the shortest notice, and will make it his interest to suit the times in

He has procured a set of Draughting Instruments, and having made himself acquainted with Architecture, he is prepared to Draught and give plans and proportions for all kinds of work in wood. He will also make and carve to order Capitals for columns in the different orders of Architecture at the shortest notice. Always on hand SASH of various sizes for win

Those wishing to patronise him will address him though the mail, or verbally at Charlestown.

All orders shall be strictly attended to, and gen eral satisfaction given.

WM. A. SUDDITH.

Charlestown, April 5, 1853-ly JEFFERSON MACHINE SHOP & IRON AND BRASS FOUNDRY. OLD THINGS DONE AWAY AND ALL THINGS BECOME NEW.

THE subscribers respectfully call the attention of the farming community to their very large assortment of FARMING IMPLEMENTS, comprising every kind of implement used by the farmer to facilitate and cheapen his operations, including our celebrated Patent Premium Thresher and Cleaner. which received the first premium over the New York Pitt Machine and several others at the Maryland State Agricultural Fair last fall; also, at the Washington County Fair, Hagerstown, Maryland, and at our Valley Fair, Charlestown—which for simplicity, durability, and capacity has no equal in the world. By a recent improvement we can make the machine clean all kinds of grain perfectly clean for market, taking out all cheat, smut, and light wheat if wished, saving altogether the use of a Wheat Fan; thus saving the farmer two-thirds his expense over the common thresher, mer two-thirds his expense over the common thresher, requiring but eight hands and from six to eight horses to thresh from 200 to 400 bushels per day, perfectly clean for the mill. This has never been accomplished by any other machinist but ourselves, and all sceptic minds can have their doubts removed by trying one and if they cannot do what we have represented we will take the machine back without charge.

Shop price of our Thresher and Cleaner from \$250 to \$275, that is:

Charlestown, February 8, 1853. EXCHANGE BANK

WASHINGTON, D. C.

THE undersigned respectfully announce that they have formed a Copartnership to transact a General Banking and Exchange Business in this city, under the firm of SELDEN, WITHERS & CO., and are prepared to deal in Foreign and Domestic Exchanges, Time Bills, Promisory Notes, Certificates of Deposite, Letters of Credit, Bank Notes and Coin.

We undertake to make collections and promptly to remit the proceeds to any designed point within or without the Union.

Mr. WILLIAM SELDEN, a member of the firm, and for many years past the Treasurer of the United States, will give his careful personal attention to all financial business which we may be employed to transact with any of the Departments of the Government.

The business which our employers may require us to transact, will be conducted with fidelity and promptitude, and upon the most reasonable terms.

WILLIAM SELDEN, OF SELDEN, WITHERS & CO.,

nost reasonable terms

'WILLIAM SELDEN,
'reasurer of the United Stat

JOHN WITHERS,

Of Alexandria, R. W. LATHAM, Washington, February 10, 1852-1y

SIGAFOOSE & HARLEY.

HANNONDALE SPRINGS. ere a twelve-passenger Coach will receive them into Charlestown, and if desired

tion in the whole range of Mineral waters. It therefore be positively asserted, without exagger or fear of contradiction, that no mineral water we the limits of the United States, possesses the same stituent parts, or is a more salutary and efficient gative than the waters of Shannondale Springs. Water acts as gently as the mildest sperient, with giving rise to those unpleasant sensations of pain debility so often occasioned by ordinary cathar prepared by the most skillful physicians.

The free use of this water, acts almost immediatupon the skin and kidneys, removes worms, relict the convalescent from bilious or other fevers, dyspain, dropsical swellings, calculous affections, head holds, scrofula, indigestion, rheumatism, loss of petite, exhaustion, general debility, gravelly concitions, strictures, and a variety of other diseases, which man is subject, and it is freely acknowledge by all who have been afflicted with any of the abid diseases that the free use of Shannondale waters ha effected permanent cures.

Sulphur, Mineral, het and cold Bathas functions

diseases that the free use of Shannondale waters have effected permanent cures.

Sulphur, Mineral, lot and cold Bathes furnished upon application at the Bar.

The Hotel is large and commodious—the cottages numerous and comfortable.

The Table will be supplied with the best beef, mountain and valley mutton, together with all the luxuries afforded in the fertile Valley of Virginia.

The best Wines, Brandies and other Liquors can always be had at the tuble or at the Bar.

ways be had at the table or at the Bar.
G. W. SAPPINGTON,
Proprietor of Sappington's Hotel,
Charlestown, Jefferson county, Virginia May 17, 1853.

ORKNEY SPRINGS, Shenandoah County, Virginia. SEYMOUR HOUSE. THE Proprietor of this Hotel, at Orkney, takes great pleasure in announcing to the public that he will open again that BEAUTIFUL AND ROMANTIC PLACE FOR VISITORS, by the 1st of July—Strangers visiting these Springs, pass through the beautiful North Valley of Virginia, over one of the best roads in the State, with a mountain scenery of surpassing loveliness on either side. The variety of waters, beautiful scenery, and delightful atmosphere, render it to the invalid, or those who wish to spend a few weeks from the cares of life in "Old Virginny" style, the most delightful place of all the North Valley Springs.

ley Springs.

The waters of Orkney have been famous for the last fifty years in East and West Virginia. They are known to be strongly Chalybeate, Tonic and Invigorating in their effects, and the most efficient remedy which Nature affords for broken and debilitated con-THE BEAR WALLOW SPRING, truly styled the "Pool of Siloam," is the most remarkable water in the world for Cutaneous and Blood diseases of all kinds, and Dyspeptics are sure to find a

The waters of Orkney are Sulphur, Chalybeate, White, Mountain, Bear Wallow and Slate. (15-Board per week, \$5. Board per day, \$1.— Children and servants, half-price. (15-Music and dancing every evening. The Ladies' Parlor furnished with a Piano and Guitar. AG-A Daily Line from New Market and Mt. Jackon to the Springs and return.

June 21, 1853.

A. R. SEYMOUR.

13-Visitors leaving Baltimore in the morning train, arrive at Winchester in time for the evening Coaches through the Valley to Mt. Jackson and Orkney Springs, will thus be enabled to dine at Orkney next

ANALYSIS OF THE ORKNEY SPRINGS. GASEOUS CONTENTS—Carbonic Acid, Atmospheric Air. Solid Contents—Carbonate of Soda, Carbonate of Magnesia, Sulphate of Magnesia, Corbonate of Lime, Chloride of Sodium, Oxide of Iron. BEAR WALLOW SPRING.

GASEOUS CONTENTS—Carbonic Acid, Sulphuretted Hydrogen. Solid Contents—Sulphate of Lime, Sul-phate of Magnesia, Iodine, a distinct trace, Carbonate of Magnesia, Chloride of Sodium, Carbonate of Lime Sulphate of Iron, Oxide of Iron. MOUNTAIN HOUSE,

Capon Springs, Virginia. THE public are respectfully informed, that by arrangements this day concluded, Mr. BLAKEMORE, the jumor partner, has resumed the entire charge of the establishment, and will devote to it his persona and unremitting attention during the remai The undersigned feel warranted in giving assurance

that visitors to this delightful and salubrious watering place will receive every attention that will contribute to their enjoyment.

PROPRIETORS. to their enjoyment.

N. B. He will be assisted by D. H. Wapple, wel known to the visitors of Capon.

FREDERICK WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, (JORDANS'.) THIS long-established WATERING PLACE hav-THIS long-established WATERING PLACE having passed into the hands of the subscribers, they beg to announce to the public that they are now prepared for the reception and entertainment of visitors. An extended panegyric of the remedial virtues of these waters they deem unnecessary, popular opinion dating back eighty years have approved them. These Springs are beautifully situated in Frederick county, Virginia, five miles from Winchester and 1½ miles from Stephenson's Depot P. O., on the Winchester and Harpers-Ferry Railroad, and are therefore of easy access from North and East. Visiters leaving Baltimore, Washington, &c., in the morning train, Baltimore, Washington, &c., in the morning train arrive in due time to dine. numerous than ever before, a large new building hav-ing been recently erected.

For the following diseases these waters are found to be highly efficacious: Dyspepsia, Liver Diseases, Eruptive Affections, &c., &c., and as a diuretic and

alterative, they are not surpassed. June 28, 1853. R. M. & G. N. JORDAN. TO TRAVELLERS. New Line between Harpers-Ferry and Washington. THE well-known, safe and comfortable Steam-Pac ket, Capt. VOLNEY PURCELL, running in con ection with the Cars at Harpers-Ferry, leaving Har-ers-Ferry at 6 o'clock, A. M., and arrive at Wash-ngton city at 6 o'clock, P. M. The same Packet will ington city at 6 o'clock, P. M. The same Packet will leave Washington city, for the First Trip, on the 11th of July, running up one day and down the next regularly, (except Sunday,) making three trips a week. Passengers by this favorable and economical route are offered an opportunity of enjoying the beautiful scenery of the Potomac by daylight. Fare from Harpers-Ferry to Washington, \$2.

May 24, 1853.

NEW JEWELRY STORE. THE subscriber begs leave to return his sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage he has received during the last two years he has been engaged in repairing WATCHES, JEWELRY, &c., in Charlestown. From the many solicitations of his friends and customers he has at last met their wishes

y offering them a good assortment of Gold and Silver WATCHES AND JEWELRY, of every description, and will continue to keep on hand every thing pertaining to the Jewelry line. He has arrangements made in such a way that he will be able to fill any order in a few days that shall offer, at rates warches and JEWELRY, of every description

arefully repaired as usual.

W. T. McDONALD, Agent for P. Cory.

"For what is Money, but convenience?" "HO! YE LOVERS OF THE WEED!" WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TOBACCO, CIGAR AND SNUFF STORE,

Opposite the U. S. Hotel, Harpers-Ferry, Virginia.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Harpers-Ferry and the Valley generally that he has just opened a large and well-selected assortment of the best brands of TOBACCO, CIGARS, AND SNUFFS, of all grades as to quality and price, adapted to please the taste and pocket of the most fastitious, which he is prepared to sell at the lowest market price. He would ask a call from the merchants and citizens, and feels assured that he will be able to give general satisfaction to all who may give him a call.

His Stock embraces all articles in the above named business

N. B. He has hands employed in manufacturing Gigars.

HARPERS FERRY CLOTHING STORE. Opposite the U.S. Hotel, Harpers-Ferry, Virginia HARPERS-FERRY CLOTHING STORE. THE undersigned has just received from the Eastern Cities an entire new stock of READY-MADE CLOTHING, of all styles and qualities.

—ALSO—

Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, which will be made to order at the shortest notice.

The above Goods are opened in the new Store at the junction of the Winchester & Potomac and the Baltimore & Ohio Railroads, and are offered to the public on as low terms as can be purchased in the cities, and respectfully invites the public to call and examine for themselves.

G. W. Cutshaw, Agent.

DOASTING COFFEE BY STEAM .-- The subscribers baying purchased the right to disonly fifteen or twenty minutes in roll is very simple and economical, it is very simple and economical, it within the reach of every family SILKS AT COST. -- We have on band some do-zen patterns of new-style Dress Silks, which we offer at COST in Philadelphia market.

PRIME COUNTRY CURED BACON, for Sale by REYES & KEARSLEY.

TO THE PUBLIC. Bath and Bathing-ESTABLISHMENT!! nation and the above mentioned Wares are

TIN-WARE. The assortment of Tin-Ware now on hand is exten f business without extra charge STOVES.

burning wood, is a strong and durable Stove, and will be sold with all fixtures complete, delivered, set up and warranted to operate well, for \$30, \$35 and \$40 for Nos. 3, 4 and 5. All persons in want of a good Stove, will please forward their orders and they shall have the pleasure of sceing one of the best stoves now in use, in operation in their kitchens, and if the Stove does not operate satisfactorily, it will be taken away after ix days trial and no gruinbling. A good selection of their patterns of Stoves kept constantly on hand, which will be sold cheap. ROOFING AND SPOUTING Will be done in a thorough manner, at short notice and at prices that defy competition.

LIGHTNING RODS. Iron Rods with silver-plated Points, Brass Connecters, Glass Insulaters and malable fastenings, will be put up in a durable manner at low prices. SHOWER BATHS & BATHING TUBS During the Summer menths may be found at this Establishment a good assortment of Shower Baths, Bathing Tubs, Boston-Boats, Hip-Baths, Foot-Tubs, &c., &c., which will be finished in the meatest possible style and sold at Baltimore prices. JOB WORK.

Job Work of every description, connected with the Tin and Sheet Iron business, will be done with neat-ness and promptitude—in short this Establishment shall be the Emporium for the above mentioned wares and Great Bargains will be given to all its patrons.
THOS. D. PARKER. Charlestown, May 10, 1853.

15 Cotton Rags, Wool, Hides, Sheep Skins, Old Copper, Bruss, Pewter, Lead, Iron, Dried Fruit, Bees-wax, Beans, Corn, Hay, Oats, Wood and Bacon taken at the highest current prices in exchange for ware or work. T. D. P.

GILBERT'S HOTEL, (LATELY JOHN COE'S,)

At the Railroad Depot, Winchester, Va. THE undersigned begs leave respectfully to inform the community and travelling public that he has taken the well-known HOTEL at the Railroad Depot formerly kept by Mr. John Coe, dec'd. The House has undergone necessary repairs, and is now in every respect adapted to the wants of the traveller and so-journer. journer.

A large and commodious Stable is attached to the premises, which will be furnished with the hest grain and hay and attentive Ostler. His Table will always be furnished with all the varieties which the season

be furnished with afford, and the Bar at all times supplied with the choicest Liquors.

His charges will be moderate. He therefore invites the patrons of the House to give him a call, as he is determined to spare no pains in making his guests comfortable.

AG-The undersigned takes pleasure in recommend-ing Mr. Gilbert to the patrons of the House whilst under the management of my Father, and respectfully solicits for him a continuance of their custom. June 28, 1853. JAMES W. COE.

RAWLINS' HOTEL, Corner of Queen and Burk streets, MARTINSBURG, VA.

THE undersigned begs leave respectfully to inform the community and travelling public that he has taken the Hotel formerly known as the "Berkeley House." The House has recently undergone a thorough renovation; it is now believed to be in every respect adapted to the wants of the traveller and sojourner. A large and commodious STABLE is attached to the premises. The luxuries of the TABLE will be emises. The luxuries of the same supplier sed by none, and the BAR is at all times supplier sed by none, and the same wines and limuors. with a choice selection of superior wines and liquors.

Baggage taken to and from the Depot free of charge,
and in bad weather a Carriage will run to the Depot
for the accommodation of travellers without any addi-JOS. C. RAWLINS, March 2, 1852-1y

SAPPINGTON'S HOTEL, Charlestown, Jefferson County, Va. THIS large and very commodious THREE-STORY BRICK HOTEL, situated in the centre and busiless part of the town, is now among the most attrac ive and desirable resting places in the great Valley of The luxuries of the TABLE of this establishment are surpassed by none, and the BAR is at all times supplied with a choice selection of superior Wines and

Several large Parlors and airy Chambers have been added since last year.

A Splendid Yellow-Mounted Coach attends the Charlestown Depot, upon the arrival of the Cars, which will convey visitors to the Hotel, free of charge. Per-sons wishing to be conveyed to other parts of the town, will pay a reasonable compensation.

Saddle and Harness Horses, Carriages, Buggies, and

careful Drivers always ready for the accommodate of visitors.

GEO. W. SAPPINGTON, July 9, 1850. Proprietor. UNITED STATES HOTEL,

Harpers-Ferry, Va. MRS. ELI H. CARRELL respectfully announces to her friends and the travelling public generally, that DINNER is daily in readiness at 2½ o'clock, expressly for the Passengerson the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, in the down train going east, and for the special accommodation of Passengers in the Winchester trains BREAKFAST at 8 o'clock, A. M., which is in time to afford an hour to remain before the denay. in time to afford an hour to remain before the departure of the Bultimore 9 o'clock train. SUPPER at 9 o'clock, P. M., which gives time sufficient to stop two hours before the Winchester train leaves on its return. OYSTERS at all hours for those who prefer then Mrs. E. H. C. avails herself of this occasion to offer her grateful acknowledgements to those who have so liberally patronised the U. S. Hotel, and assures them and all others that she is determined to make the house,

in all respects, the stranger's home.
February 1, 1853. BERRYVILLE HOTEL. THE subscriber having leased the above well known Hotel, in Berryville, Clarke county, begs leave to inform the travelling public, that he is now ready to receive guests. He is also prepared to accommodate Boarders, either by the day, week, month, or year.

HIS TABLE will always be furnished with all the varieties which the season and market will afford; his Bar with the choicest Liquors, and his Stable with the best hay, grain, and ostler.

As he intends to make this his permanent residence As he intends to make this his permanent residence, he will spare no pains in endeavoring to render those who give him their fustom, both comfortably and happy. He flatters himself, from his long acquaintance with business, and the manners of the world, that he can please the most fastidious. His charges will be as moderate, as the expenses of any good public house in this section of country will justify.—
He, therefore, invites all to extend to him a share of their custom.

WM. N. THOMPSON.

WM. N. THOMPSON. Berryville, April 5, 1853. BARNUM'S HOTEL. THE undersigned, late proprietor of the United States Hotel, takes pleasure in informing the public that he has leased the above Hotel. The building has undergone a thorough cleansing from bottom to top, and is now in first rate order for the reception and genteel accommodation of all those who may please the property of the propert genteel accommodation of all those who may please to patronize it. No exertion will be spared to make this establishment one among the best Hotels.

I have associated with me in business, my son, Theodore W. Evans—it will be conducted under the firm of W. Evans & Son. The old patrons of the United States, and the public in general, are respectfully requested to continue their support to this House.—Terms moderate.

& Enquire for "Barnum's Hotel." Cumberland, April 5, 1853. THE CHARLESTOWN DEPOT.

THE undersigned have formed a Copartnership in the management and business of the Charlestown Depot, and hope the liberal patronage and confidence extended to the old firm, may be continued to the new We are prepared to afford every facility for transacting all RECEIVING AND FORWARDING BUSI. NESS, at the shortest notice and in the most punctua We are determined to leave no effort unspared to ac-commodate the old and all the new customers who may favor us with their patronage.

We will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of articles suitable to the wants of the farming com-

munity, such as SALT, FISH, TAR, PLASTER, &c., which will be sold on the very lowest terms for cash, or exchanged for any marketable commodities. US COAL will be it V. W. MOORE & BROTHER. Charlestown, January 3, 1853. SHENANDOAH CITY WATER-POWER

MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

MANUFACTURING COMPANY,

(Known as the Gulf Mills, or Strider Property,)

One and half miles above Harpers-Ferry, on the Shenandoah River.

THE Company have their Mills in complete order

I for operating the ensuing season, and intend carrying them on themselves, having engaged the services of Mr. Geo. W. Taylon, well-known in this and
adjoining counties, as Miller, and having also engaged

Mr. John R. Holliday as their only Agent for the
Mills, Mr. Holliday is therefore prepared to pay the
highest cash price for WHEAT, CORN AND RYE.
All kinds of grain will be ground for Tolls. They
solicit a share of the public interest and patronage.

Farmers of this and other counties will please bear
in mind, they can find as good a market at the above
Mills as any in the country; Messrs. Taylor and Holliday being always on hand ready and willing to serve
them on the most accommodating and reasonable
terms.

[July 5, 1853—1f]

NEW GROCERY STORE. THE subscriber respectfully informs the citizens of Charlestown and vicinity that he commenced the frocery Business in the room formerly occupied by Thomas Johnson as a shoe-store, where he intends to ceep constantly on hand a choice and fresh supply of all articles usually kept at a grocery store, and hopes by strict attention to business and a desire to please o receive a liberal share of the public patronage. He has just received and opened a general assortment of GROCERIES AND QUEENSWARE, which is offers at a very small advance for cash. offers at a very small advance for cash.
13-Country Produce taken in exchange for Goo.
R. H. HROWN Charlestown, June 21, 1853.

NOTICE,

orters and Dealers in Foreign and Domestic Liquors, of every description.

ENRY A. WEBE, JOHN MOOREREAD. H. A. WEBB & CO. Ianufacturers and Wholesale Dealers in Tobacco, Segars, Shuff, &c., &c.

No. 14 North Howard Street, Nearly opposite
the Howard House, formerly the Wheatfield Inn,
Next Door to Davis & Miller's Drug Store,
July 12, 1853—19.

Baltimore. To the Millers in the Valley.

MARTIN & HOBSON, FLOUR AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS, Corner of Eutan and Baltimore Streets, Baltimore, M THANKFUL to their friends and the Millers in Virginia who have so liberally sustained the House, offer increased facilities for the prompt an most satisfactory performance of all business committed to their care.

Baltimore, July 12, 1853—19.

NEW CHINA STORE. JOSEPH S. HASTINGS, Jr., Importer and Wholesale & Retail Dealer in China, Glass and Queensware,

202 Battimore street; north side, between St. Paul and Charles streets, Battimore,

DESIRES to inform the public that he has just laid in an entirely new and elegant assortanent of every description of PLAIN AND FANOY WARE,

White, Gold-Band and Painted French China Dinner, Dessert, Tea and Breakfast Sets; Rich Vases of beautiful shapes and styles; Fancy Mups and Cups, with or without mottees; Castors, with Cut and Moulded Bottles; Cut and Pressed Tumblers, Goblets, Wines, Champagnes, &c., of new and beautiful styles; Jellies, Bowls and Dishes to match. An extensive and well selected stock of Granite and Common Ware.

[15] Country Merchants, Hotel Keepers, Steamboat and Ship Agents, Private Families, and all others who may want articles in this line, are invited to call and examine the stock and prices. SUCH ASexamine the stock and prices.

Baltimore, April 12, 1853.—1y

SPRING TRADE.

Hats! Hats! by Wholesale or Retail. JAS. L. MCPHAIL & BRO., MANUFACTURERS, No. 132 Baltimore street, Baltimore, Md.,

HAVE on hand a full assortment of Fashionable
Silk, Felt and Drab B-aver HATS, which will be
disposed of on the most reasonable terms. Country
merchants would do well to give us a call before purchasing.

N. B. The highest prices given for all kinds of Shipping Furs—Muskrats, Coon, Opposum, Otter, Fox, Mink and Rabbit.

[April 5, 1853.

MAGNIFICENT STOCK OF SPRING GOODS. J. EDWARD BIRD, No. 211, Baltimore street, has received from latest importations a splendid Stock of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods, Comprising a general assortment of Silk Goods, Dress Goods of the latest designs and Fabrics, Hosiery, Gloves and Fancy Articles. Also, Domestic Goods of all kinds for sale at lowest wholesale prices. Merchants visiting Baltimore are respectfully invi-ed to call and examine my stock. Baltimore, April 5, 1853—tf

DAILY & CO., Manufacturers and Dealers in Clothing, No. 324 Market street, two doors east of Howard

E. L. MATTHEWS. F. HYDE. WM. SMYTH. MATTHEWS, HYDE & SMYTH, Importers and Dealers in Foreign & Domestic HARDWARE, CUTLERY, GUNS, SADLERY. &c. Corner of Baltimore and Liberty streets, Baltimore.

THE Copartnership heretofore existing under the firm of CAPRON & GOSNELL for the transaction of a General Commission Business in all kinds of Country produce, was dissolved by mutual consent. R. J. CAPRON, Baltimore, December 17, 1852.

Baltimore, June 21, 1853-1y

L. W. GOSNELL & SON, Country Produce Commission Merchants, No. 71, Bowly's Wharf, South street, Baltimore. THE undersigned take this method of informing their friends and the public generally, that they have closed up their Dry Goods Business, and will hereafter give their entire attention to the Commission Business, in all kinds of Country Produce, under the firm of L. W. Gosnell & Son, and solicit any favors in that line, as we can at all times obtain the very highest market rates for every thing in the way of highest market rates for every thing in the way of Produce sent us. We intend to keep our friends constantly advised of the state of the market, and will furnish regularly a

Price Current. L. W. GOSNELL. J. L. BUCK GOSNELL. Baltimore, December 28, 1852-1y DICKSON & KING. Lumber Merchants, water street, George-town, D. C.,

KEEP constantly on hand a general assortment Building Materials. October 12, 1852-1y CHARLES B. HARDING, WILL Practice in the Inferior and Superior Courts of Jefferson, Clarke and Loudoun. Office, No. 1, Shenandoah street, Harpers-Ferry, Virginia.

GEO. J. RICHARDSON. RICHARDSON & OVERMAN, Umbrella and Parasol Manufactory, No. 106, Market street, Philadelphia. January 11, 1853—tf

J. R. THOMPSON & CO., Merchant Tailors,

PENNSYLVANIA Avenue, between 3d and 4½ sts., two doors east of the United States Hotel, desires to call the attention of their old customers, members of Congress, strangers, and the public generally, to their importation of French, English and American CLOTHS, CASSIMERES & VESTINGS. which they will make up in their usual style of ele-gance, and at prices as reasonable as any other esta-blishment in the District of Columbia. February 22, 1853—tf LEONARD SCOTT'S & CO.'S

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