THURSDAY MORNING, JANUARY 11, 1849.

Fancy Dress Goods.

TAVING associated with me in Cabinet Making
IN THOMAS BINNIX, under the firm of HOPRIVE & BINNIX, we are prepared to carry on the
classic business in all its various branches, consist-Marlor and Rocking Chairs, COFAS & LOUNGES, OF EVERY VARIETY AND PATTERN. -ALSO-Spholstery and Mattrass Making.

We have a complete HEARSE, and Undertaking, us town and country, will be promptly attended to. As for neatness and durability, our work will not the surpassed

We respectfully solicit a share of public patronTHOMAS HOPKINS, THOMAS BINNIX.
Stephenlstown, Dec. 8, [14] 1848-3m-Spirit.

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To the Public.

Ready for Christmas. more, will one of the most choice and varied

"Christmas Notions" the has TOVS, of every kind and variety, Candies of all sorts and kinds, Fruits of the best quality and most choice variety. Nuts to suit all tastes, and every description of Cake. Those in want are requested to call. Bring on your dimes and secure the first choice. JOHN F. BLESSING: December 14, 1848-31,

Coffee, Sugar, Molasses, &c. Bags prime Rio Green Coffee, 20 bbls. first quality N. O. Melasses, wahls, N. O. Sugar 5 tilds. Crustied and Powdered Loaf Sugar, 4 hoxes No. 4 Loaf Sugar,

4 libls Pickles, 1,000 lbs. pure White Lead, 1 barrel Spirits of Turpentine, 2 bbls. Japan and Copal Varnish, 50 gross Golsh's Matches. 2 chests Imperial Tea. For sale at

To the Farmers and Millers OF JEFFERSON COUNTY.

THE undersigned have associated themselves untransaction of a GENERAL COMMISSION and PRODUCE BUSINESS. LT Orders in Flour, Grain, Pork, and Produce generally, will be promptly attended to, and by the charge, they hope to deserve the patronage of the

public. Warehouse 52 Commerce street, Baltimore. ANTHONY KENNEDY, JAS. S. MARKELL, PHILIP P. DANDRIDGE. Raltimore, Dec. 7, 1848-5t

Wanted.

NY person having a HORSE to let, this Winplace where great care will be taken of him. in-PRINTER. Dec 7, 1848,

For Mire. SERVANT BOY, aged 11 or 12 years, from A Chrishnas next, who is very capable for of his age. Apply at THIS OFFICE.

For Housekeepers.

Dried Currants, 1 Frail Almonds, 1 Basket Sallad Oil, 1 Case Preserved Ginger, 1 " French Mustard, J. J. MILLER. " Vanilla Bean.

Fresh Elanch Raisins. 50 BOXES Raisins, 40 half box do, 50 quar Harpers Ferry, Dec 7.

Citron, Lemons, &c. BOXES Citron; 4 boxes Lemons; 1 cask Zante Currants; bate Bordeaux Almonds; I bale Filberts;

ADAM YOUNG, Agent.
Harpers-Ferry, Dec 7.

Boots and Shoes, 150 PAIR Ladies Walking Shoes; 100 pair Men's and Boys' Boots; 300 " Children's Shoes; .

121 " Ladies' Gum Over Shoes; GIBSON & HARRIS. For sale low, by

Warehouse at Shepherdstown.

Wheat, Corn &c Wanted. H. & V. W. MOORE respectfully inform the citizens of Jest son and Berkeley counties, Va., and those of Washington county, Md., that they have remien the large and commodious BRICK WAPERIOUSE at Shepherdstown, on the Potomac ktyer, where they will at all times be prepared to furnish transportation in their superior line of

CANAL BOATS. For any and all Freight, destined for the Markets of the District. Terms, reasonable, and such as will make it the interest of all to give them a trial. The highest market Cash price will be paid

5 to 20,000 Bushels of Wheat, to be delivered at such times as the parties may agree, and in parcels to suit the convenience of these paterested. Also, the highest market price will be paid for CORN, OATS, & COUNTRY PRO-buck generally. Farmers and others will find it to their interest to call, before disposing of their Grain or Produce, as our arrangements are such as to offer inducements equal to that of any other House

Plaster, Fish, Salt, &c. Will be kept constantly on hand, and disposed of on the most reasonable terms by the cargo, or small-The Warehouse at the Old Furnace is still under the control of the undersigned, and grateful to the citizens of Jefferson county, generally, who have patronized us so liberally, we solicit a continuance .-The highest price will be paid for Wheat, Corn, &c., and Plaster, Fish, Salt, and other necessary ticles always on hand and reasonable prices. M. H. & V. W. MOORE.

June 8 : 218 - 6m. Cheap Dry Goods, Poots, &c.

10 BALES 44, 7-8 Brewn Cotton, do 14 and 7.8 Osnaburg, : do best Bagging. 160 de Calico, 150 de Calico, 150 de Calico, 150 vands Cotton Yarn,

5001 pounds Cotton 1 a.m.
500 do colored carpet Yarn,
10 pieces failed Linsey, 10 pieces land do
10 do plaid do
251 do Cassimere and Cassinett,
10 pieces black, blue, green, grey, and drab Cloth,
10 do white, red and yellow Flannel,

12 do Check,
10 cases kip, calf and coarse Boots,
20 pair coarse and fine Shoes and Brogans,
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20 talk alo Roys' do do do Milliado Women'sdo la do 6 doz. men and women's Buffalo & Gum Over-

Shawis Handkerchiefs, Vestiags, &c., &c. All of solich we after law for cash, or in exchange for pro-WOOD & DANNER, Winchester Depot.

TURNER & MUDGE, Wholemic Dealers

April 30, 1817-1y.

I HAVE just opened and have ready for sale, a targe and beautiful assortment of Fansy Goods. to which I invite the attention of Ledies. Among hem may be found a large stock of spierdid tancy colored Dress Goods; splendid black Sat in-striped and figured Silks; Black Italian Lustings; wide Silks for Visites; Paris Visites, really-made; plain, striped and plaid Cashmeres; striped and plain Cashma deCose; striped sattin deChina; striped Lamartine; handsome Ginghams; superior black and colored Alvacca; figured, striped and plain Moustin; a large and handsome stock of Prints; and almost every other article in the dress goods line for sale by WM. S. LOCK. Oct. 19.

Gentlemen's Goods. CLOTHS of every kind and color; Vestings at every price; Woollen Shirts, Flannels, Socks, Cotton and Yarn; Handkerchiefs Gloves, Suspenders, Searls, Cravats, and a great many other desirable Goods, which we

would be glad to show. Call and see us is all we GIBSON & HARRIS. Oct. 19, 1818. Cloths. Cassimeres and Vestings. WILL the gentlemen do me the favor to call examine my stock of Cloths, Cassimeres Vestings. I have them of almost every kind, quality and price, cheaper by 50 per cent, then ever before offered. I shall take pleasure in showing them,

ces, I feel confident i shall make sales. Oct 19. WM. S. LOCK. Indian Rubber Goods.

and when I can offer a good article at very low pri-

JUST received the following articles, viz: Indian Rubber Ponchos; Gaiters Caps, Saidle Bags, Tobacco Wallets, Air Balls, Bands, Dueling Cups, Bottles, Gloves, Suspenders, all of which will be sold at the lowest prices.

J. K. WOODS & CO.
Oct. 12, 1848.

· Pure Brandy. THE purest French Brandy at \$3,50 in Charles L town. Recollect. I put on a very small tariffprice does not make the article. Also, every description of the purest Liquors and Wines, at the lowest Nove2.

TRAMILIES are reminded that I keep constantly on hand, Welch, Ross, Whitehill, Smith and Extra Brands of Flour from Winchester; also Buckwheat Flour and fresh ground Corn Meal, Dried Fruit, Sweet and Irish Potatoes, with almost every article of this kind which they may want, and all at extremely low prices, and delivered to any part of the J. J. MILLER. town free of charge. Nov. 2, 1848

Something very desirable. WOULD respectfully call the attention of the ladies to a lot of most beautiful French Mouslins in all of the fashionable colors, viz: Cherry, Searlet, Claret, Crim-on, Brown, &c.; these Goods are desirable and scarce. Some dress will do well to call early. E. P. MILLER. are desirable and scarce; those who wish a hand-

10 THOUSAND lbs. Cotton Yarn, from 4 to 16 inclusive, from best factories; 600 lbs. best C. C. Chain; 600 do White. 15 bales Cotton Laps, pounds and half painds, 12 do Wrapping Thread; 20 do Candle Wick for sale at reduced prices by BAKERS & BROWN. Winchester, Nov. 2, 1818.

Cotton Yarn.

BUALS 8 by 10, 10 by 12, and 12 by 14 OU Window Glass, for sale by WOOD & DANNER, Winchester, Depot.

Saddlery.

WE have on hand a very large and well select-VV ed assortment of Bridle Bits of all kinds, Stirrups, Spurs, Buckles of all kinds, Harness Mounting, Hames, Wagon Whips, Saddiar's Tools of all kinds, &c. Please call and examine for yourselves. The prices to suit the times. T. G. RAWLINS & CO.

Mats and Caps. DOZEN Silk and Beaver Hats; 250 Cloth Caps, for men and boys. Oct. 19, 1848. GIBSON & HARRIS.

Ten Agency. THE subscribers have obtained the Agency of the L Canton Tea Company for the sale of their; Teas. One of the Company resided among the Chinese at Canton, about seven years, engaged in the Tea Trade, thereby making himself a superior judge of the article, in all its varieties, gives them a decided advantage over all ther Companies. The various kinds and qualities will be found put up in 1. 1, and 1 pound packages, protected from the atmosphere by metal wrappers.

Dec 21.

KEYES & KEAKSLEY

CARPETING.—The subscribers has e just returned from Baltimore, with a new supply of Carpeting and Oil Cloth, to which they invite the attention of their customers. KEYES & KEARSLEY.

Grocerics. LIRESH assortment of cheap Groceres; Sugar House and N. O. Molasses, N. O. Sugar, Rio and Laguyra Coffee, Ground Alum, Fine, and Dairy Salt by the sack: Malaga Wine, Old Rys: Whiskey, Peach Brandy, &c., prime Cheese, Fres Crackers, Water, Sugar, &c., for sale very low, by F. DUNNINGTON.
Dunnington's Depot, Dec. 14, 1848.

New Hardware Store. THE undersigned would respectfully inform their friends of Jefferson and the adjoiring counties, and all who may call on them, that they are now prepared to offer an Entire New Stock; which has been selected with the greatest care from the European and American Manufacturers: Our stock comprises in part the following articles, viz:
Knives, Scissors, Needles, Razors, Saws, Axes, Files, Locks, Hinges, Bolts, Screws, Guns, Curtain Bands, Tea Trays, Fire Irons, Cast Pots, Ovens, Kettles, Spades, Shovels, Scythes, Snathes, Rakes, Forks, Chains, Nails, Iron, Steel, Tin, Wire, Cop per, Zinc, Lead, Lead pipes, Pumps, Hydraulie Rams, &c.

Stoves, Grates, Anvils, Vices, Bellows Harness and Saddlery Mountings, Elliptic Springs and Axles, warranted Patent Leather, Painted Cloth, Coach Lace, Lamps, Hubs, Bows, Hub bands, Mulleable Castings and all goods usually kept in Hardware Stores Which they offer wholesale and remail, at their new Granite front Warehouse, Sign of the Gilt Plane, at the South-east corner of Bridge & High Entrance first door on the corner in MUNCASTER & DODGE.

Georgetown, D. C., March 25, 1843-iy.

UNITED STATES HOTEL, THE undersigned would respectfully inform the public, that he has leased the Holel at Harpers-Ferry, (late in the occupancy of Capt. Joseph F. Abel.) known as the United State: Hilel, and is now prepared to accommodate passengers by the Rail Road, or travellers, in the most comfortable Rail Road, or travellers, in the most comfortable manner. Those travelling in the Cais will find this a most agreeable. Dining place, where every fruit of the season, and luxury that can be had will be served up in the most choice style.

To the people of this and the neighboring Counties he would say, that his House stall always be open for their reception and accomin-clation, as he is determined to make their calls agreeable. His Bar shall contain the choicest Lieuon his Table the ed-and his Stabiling, which is commodious, shall contain the best provender and attended by attentive hostiers. Give the House a call, and judge of its merits for JAMES BATE WAGER

Harpers-Ferry, April 8, 1848. Cumberland Coal. Superior Lump and Smith Coal; complete assortment of Hughes' Iron. Always on hand and for sale by F. DU WINGTON.

Dunnington's Depot, Dec. 11, 185.

Candles. 50 BOXES of Sperm, Adam entine, Mould and Dipl Candles, for sale very low by the box or pound.

J. MILLER,

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Two Dollars and Fifty Cents PER ANNUM, Fayable half yearly; but Two Doutins will be a-ken in payment in full, if paid entirely in advance.

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New York, No. 30 Ann street. Boston, No. 14 State Street. BALTIMORE AGENCY. Mr. WILLIAM THOMSON, S. E. Corner of Baltin ore and South streets, is an authorized Agent in the city of Baltimore, to receive Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c., for the "Free Press," and a copy of the paper, terms, &c., can be found on file at his

POETRY.

THE POOR, GOD HELP THEM! Old Winter comes with a stealthy tread, O'er the fallen autumn leaves, And shrilly he whistleth overhead, And pipeth beneath the eaves, Let him come! we care not, amid our mirth, For the driving snow and rain; For little we reck of the cheerless hearth, Or the broken window pane.

"Tis a stormy night, but our glee shall mock At the winds that loudly prate, As they echo the moan of the poor that knock With their cold hands at ourgate. The poor. We give them the half-picked bone, And the dry, mildewed bread; Ah! they never, God help them, know the pain Of the pampered overted.

Fill round again with cheering wine, While the fire glows warm and bright; And sing me a song, sweet heart of mine, Ere you whisper the words "good night! You will never dream, 'neath the covering warm Of your soft and curtained bed, Of the scanty rug and the shivering form, · And the yawning roof o'er head.

The poor! God pity them in their need! . We've a prayer for every groan! They ask us with outstretched hands for bread, And we carelessly give a stone. God help them! God help us! for much we lack Though lofty and rich we be ; And open our hearts unto all that knock With the cry of CHARITY.

MISCELLANEOUS.

WHIPPING THE DEVIL ROUND THE STUMP-ALMOST.

Just after the State election in Pennsylvania, Mr. Smith, a warm Cass man, met his friend, Mr. Jones an enthusiastic Taylor

'Jones,' said Smith, 'the election of Johnston does not increase Taylor's chances in Pennsylvania. 'Yes it does,' answered Jones.

Till bet you a hundred dollars the Jass 'Done,' exclaimed Jones. 'Bu he added, after a moment's hesitation at if we bet, we shall lose our votes.'

'So we shall,' said Sm. 'I'll tell you what Jones cried, his face brightening up shall call on your wife, and done. My wife shall call on your wife, and

bet with her Smith. Hone went Jones. 'My dear, Mrs. Smith wasts to bet a hundred dollars with you that cass will carry Pennsylvania. 'Mrs. Smith bet a hundred dollars with me!' exclaimed the astonished lady. 'Yes, and if you would like to bet, there's the money. Go round this afternoon and

see her, and put the stakes into the hands of a lady friend. The two ladies met, and the money was deposited. On Thursday last, when the resuit was known, Jones told his wife to go and draw the money, as she had won. The lady was not slow in obeying her husband that time, and before an hour, the two hundred

dollars, exchanged into half eagles, were glittering through the enterstices of her beauti-When Jones came home at night, he said to his wife-well, my dear, did you get the

money ?1 'Yes!' was the reply.

'I'll trouble you for it, darling, if you please. 'Trouble me for what?' 'For the money that I won of Smith.'

'You won! Did you bet Mr. Jones?' 'No, no, that is yes. I bet in fact, though to save my vote, I made you the agent, answered Jones with visible embarra sment. 'I cannot consent, my dear husband,' said the lady with great dignity, 'to be a party to any violation or evasion of the law, I cannot consent on your account-you whose honor is so dear to me. And I shall therefore keep the money, in order that I may still retain my respect for a law-loving, a law-honoring a law-obeying husband. Dear Jones

The lady was as good as her word, and Jones discovered, that in his attempt to whip the devil round the stump, he had lost a clean This is a fact. N. Y. Dispatch.

OLD AND CURIOUS. In the Virginia Gazette, of June 12, 1779. we find the preceedings of a meeting, held in the city of Philadelphia, during the month of May preceding, the object of which was adopt measures for the reduction of prices upon articles of merchandise, which it was stated had "risen to an enormous height." A committee was appointed to ascertain and report to the meeting a fair rate of prices.

ported the following: West India rum, per gal. County rum, per gat.
Tea by the chest, per lb.
Brandy by the keg, per gal.
Molasses by the hhd., per gal. Coffee per lb.
Loaf sugar, wholesale, per lb.
Muscovado, from £105 to £130 per hundred,
Turks Island Salt £10 per bashet.
Common French Salt £5 to per bushel,
Merchantable flour per cwt
Midding do do Ship stuff Justi winner do

THRILLING ADVENTURE.

We heard the other day a story related by an old sailor, Capt. Jacob , which made a great impression upon us, and which we wish we could repeat with the auction and nantical phraseology of the worthy nar-

It occurred during the last war. The captain, who was a native of Plymouth, was running on to the coast in a schooner loaded with flows. He had nearly reached his destination, when he was overhauled by the enemy's frigate, who ordered him perempto-rily to heave a line aboard. There was no resisting the command, for the schooner was without arms and the tencer full of marines and sailors armed to the teeth with pistels, muskets and cutlasses. The captain had a light but fair breeze aloft, his sails drew, and he was driving near a reef, the entrance to which he was perfectly familiar with, and once inside which, he was sure of making port undisturbed by the tender. In this view he ordered one of his men

forward with a line, and in a clear stentorian voice, perfectly audible on board the tender, "Heave your line aboard!" then he added, in a whisper, so as to be heard only by his

men. "heave it short !" The Yankee sailor eaught the hint, and hove according to directions. The end of the line fell splashing in the water. High above the execrations of the English officer commanding the ender, rose the roar

of the indignant Yankee shipper: "Is that the way to heave a line, you lubberly son of a land-crab! Heave the line shipshape you lubber, or I'll cut your liver

out! Heave it short!"
Again the line fell short, and the English officer and Yankee captan vied with each other in showering implecations, and invectives on the head of the blundering last the lava breaks forth, and the explosion "land-lubber." Meanwhile the breeze was ends all. freshening, and the schooner drawing nearer

to the reel. Again and again the oder to heave was given with the same undertone addition and the same result. The Englishman began to smell a rat, and just as the Yankee skipper threw himself flat on his leck, and made his men follow his example, the report of a dozen muskets was heard, and shower of bullets came whizzing through the rigging.

"Let them fire and by darned !" said the Yankee-"I'll show 'em clean pair of heels. And taking his tiller between his heels, as he lay upon the deck, le run the schooner cleverly inside the reef. They were soon out of gun shot from the baffled tender. Up wat the stars and stripes, with a hearty cheeffrom the mariners, and an old one-eved sea og pulled out a life, and gave them YankeeDoodle in strain as

melodious as the triumpant notes of a pork-

er that has escaped the butcher's knife.-

Captain Jacob saved is bacon and flour When a will the street of the HUMANATUP oston girls hold still until they are when they flare up all at once, and say, kisse, when the beashamed. When a young chap steals a kiss from an

Albany girl, she says, 'I reckon it's my time now,' and gives him a box on the ear that he don't forget for a month. When a clever fellow steals a kiss from a Louisiana girl, she smiles, blushes, and says

. In Pennsylvania, when a female is saluted with a buss, she puts on bonnet and shawl, and answereth, 'I am astonished at thy assurance, Jedediah. The Western ladies, however, are so fond

of kissing, that when saluted on one cheek, they instantly present the other. The Sag Harborgirl tussels and scratches till out of breath, when she submits to her fate with the most exemplary fortitude and resignation, without a murmur. "When a young man steals a kiss from a

Lowell girl, she blushes like a new blown rose,' and says smartly, 'You darsn't do that twice more.1" BALTIMORE GIRLS.—Much curiosity has been exhibited by certain editors in relation to the manner in which the Baltimore gals behave when they are kissed. It has, at length come out, that during the operation, they are affected after the manner of a person taking chloroform, and remain perfectly

quiet until it is all over. SCIENTIFICALLY OBSCURE.

The late Dr. Wilson, senior Fellow of Trinity College, Dublin, though a very grave man himself, was fond of quizzing and puzzling the country folks who came to inquire after their relatives and friends in the college. One day seeing a man standing in the court with a letter in his hand, gaping and staring about and not knowing where to go, he walked to him gravely and inquired what he wanted. The man answered, "Sir, can you tell me where I may find Dr. Delaount!" "Yes," said the doctor; "do you see the building before you?" "Yes." "Then crucify this quadrangle and take the diameter of the plot beyond it, enter the opening befere you, and ascend the ligneous grades; then turu to your left and you will find him either peripatounding in his cubicle, dormimembering one word but the last, said, "and pray sir, what is the fenestra? To which the Doctor replied, "It is an orifice in an edifice to admit luminous particles." "Ob, thank you," said the poor fellow, and walked off more perplexed than before.

ANECDOTE OF JUDGE PARSONS.

The bar of Essex county, (Mass) had made it a rule that no lawyer should take into his office more than three students. But it so happened that the celebrity of Parsons, then a practising lawyer in Essex, had gain ed him more than his due share, and he was accused, before the bar of having five students. He denied the charge; but it being clearly proved that there were in his office Adopting those of a former period they refive young gentlemen aiming at the law, it was a matter of curious speculation among bis legal brethren how he would get himself 1 10 0 clear of the accusation. "Why, gentlemen, said he, I have positively but three students, and I believe I can prove it to your entire satisfaction. It is true, I have five young men in my office, but then one of them is a dandy, and the other a fiddler.

15 0 0 with a towel, or to think of keeping girls
15 0 from knowing what kind of confectionery Shorts per bushel, 15 0 mitrim my is.

ITEMS OF NEWS.

MANUFOLEUN'S PROPREEY. NOW IN COURSE OF FULFILMENT. Before fifty years," said Napoleon to Las

Cases, one day at St. Helena, Europe will be Republican or Cossaek. "Then, if my son is alive, he will be called to the throne amidst the acclamations of the people. If he is no more, France will become a liepublic again; for no hand would dare to grasp a sceptre which it could not

"The Branch of Orleans, though agreea-ble, is too week; it clings too much to the other Bourbons, and it will have the same fate, if it does not prefer living as simple citizens, whatever changes arrive.

"Once again France will she a Republic, and the other countries will follow its example. Germans, Prussians, Poles, Italians, Danes, Swedes, and Russians, will join her in a crusade in favor of liberty. They will arm against their sovereigns, who will hasten to make them concessions, in order to retain a part of their ancient authority; they will call themselves constitutional kings possessing limited powers. Thus the feudal system will receive its death blow : like the ocean mist, it will vanish before the first ray of the

sun of liberty. "But things will not rest there; the wheel of Revolution will not stop at that point; its impetuosity will increase five-fold, and its rapidity in proportion. When a people recovers part of its rights, it becomes enthusiastic from victory, and, having tasted the sweets of liberty, becomes more enterprising in order to obtain more. The States of Europe will be, perhaps, for some years, in a continual state of agitation, like the ground the moment before an earthquake ; but at cylinder, and a small ledge at the lower end

and aristocracies, but cement by its outbreak the interests of democracy. Believe me, Las-Cases, as the vines planted in the ashes which cover the feet of Ætna and Vesuvius. produce the most delicious wines, so the tree of liberty will become immoveable when it has its roots in the "revolutionary lava" which will overflow all the monarchies. , May perhaps appear strange to you in my mouth: they are mine, however.

"I was born a republican; but destiny and the opposition of Europe made me Emperor. I now await the future."

A TRULY EVENTFUL HISTORY.

THE LIFE OF A PRINTER. The following strange eventful record of a journeyman printer's life, says the Pittsburg Journal, we are positive is correct to the letter. It developes what a man can do if he likes, and what anear and antagerian no.

The life of a printer is, to say the least one of variety. I left home at the age of nine, and was apprenticed to the printing business at thirteen, since then I have visited Europe -been in England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales and France, -in Canada, Nova Scotia, Labrador, South America, West Indies, and all the Atlantic States of the Union, from Maine to Louisiana,-have lived in twenty-seven cities and towns of the United States; I have been a sailor in the merchant service, and have sailed in all manner of craft-ship, barque, brig, schooner, sloop and steamer in the regular army as a private soldier, deserted and got shot in the leg. I have studied two years for the ministry, one year for an M. D.— travelled through all the New England States, -New York, New Jersey, Penusylvania and with little else than a brass rule in my pocket.

Virginia, as a journeyman printer, generally I have been the publisher of two papers in one in Boston, one in Roxbury, Mass., one in New Hampshire and one in Maine.— At one time I had \$7,350 in my pocket of my own. I have been married twice, and am now nearly 26 years old ! Was a member of Captain (late Major) Ringgold's flying artillery, at the encampment in Trenton, N. J. I have been a temperance lecturer and proprietor of a temperance theatre.

FIRE IN MARTINSBURG. We regret to announce the almost entire destruction, on Sunday week, by fire, of the house on the corner of King and German streets, and opposite Billmire's Hotel, the property of Charles Stewart, Esq., of this place. It was occupied by Jacob Van Doren, Sr., Esq., The fire originated by accident, supposed to have been from a stove pipe, whilst all the family, as well as the servants, were absent. The alarm was given about 11 o'cleek in the day, during service at the Methodist and Lutheran churches, which caused a suspension by the former congregation. The fire company and citizens generally were soon at the scene of alarm, and every exertion was made to arrest the devouring element, but without success until the stone wing and the upper story of

the main building were in ruins. We understand the house was insured in an amount sufficient to cover the damage sustained by Mr. Stewart, but the loss of Mr. Van Doren is quite severe. Nearly all his furniture was tating in his lectory, or periscopounding through his fenestra." The poor man, who understood nothing of all this, and not re-STEAM PRINTING.

It was supposed for some time past after the introduction of steam-power-press print-ing, that only common works could be done upon them. Experience shows this to be untrue. Some of the most beautiful specimens of typography ever executed in this country, have been issued by the American Tract Society. They are striking evidences of the progress of the mechanic arts, espeeially the art of steam-power-printing. "Pil-grim's Progress," an old standard work of tried excellent, has just been published by the Tract Society, and whether the paper, typography, engravings or binding, be regarded, the work is almost without a rival for artistical beauty. The deeply interesting memoirs of the lamer ted Dr. Milnor, by the Rev. Dr. Stone, are now in press by the So-ciety. They will be issued in a few weeks in a style of excellence not to be surpassed in the typographic art. By means of the continued publication of old standard evangelical works, as well as new ones, the Society is constantly circulating by grants, a vast amount of instructive reading. During the month of November, it gave away nearly 2,000,000 pages; since the 1st of April, more than 16,000,000 of pages were grainitously distributed among various associations, schools, missions and individuals.—N. Y. Post.

THE PRESIDENT OF FRANCE.

CHARLES LOUIS NAPOLEON IS SON OF LOUIS, Ex-King of Holland: He was born in Pacis on the 20th of April, 1808. He was a favor-ite of his unale Napoleon. Upon the banish-ment of his family he removed with his mether to Augsburg. After he became a citi-sen of Switzerland. He was again tanished from France after the July revolution, (1830.) from France after the July revolution, (1830.)
In 1831 he took part in an Italian insurrection against the Pope. The same year he visited England. Again he resided in Switzerland for two or three years, and occupied himself with authorship, political at I military. He was concerned in another insurrection at Strasburg in 1836; was imprisoned in Paris, and sent to this country. Sometime in 1837 or 38 he took up his residence in England, where he remained till 1840.—
For his unsuccessful affair at Fouleyme that For his unsuccessful affair at Boulogue that year he was sentenced to imprisonment for life. In 1846 he made his escape, and again resided in England until in September last, when he was returned as a Deputy to the National Assembly from the department of the Seine. His fortunes and conduct since that are as well known to our readers as newspaper reports could make them. 1 M Philadelphia Bull tin,

SOMETHING FOR CALIFORNIA.

Mr. Chapman, of this city, has just invented a very excellent machine for the purpose of washing gold, which will no doubt be highly appreciated by those who are about to leave for the gold regions. The article consists of a sheet iron cylinder, provided at the upper end with a number of scoops, which, as the cylinder is made to revolve, (by means of a crank.) over a stream of water, causes a constant stream to be passing through. The gold dust is put in at the upper end of the causes the metalic particles to remain, whilst the water flowing over carries off the dirt and "The Bankruptcy of England will be the other worthless particles. By those qualified Henrico lava which will shake the world, decour kings | to judge, the machine is considered an indispensable article to all who are bound for the golden land. It can be seen at the iron store of the Messrs. Thompson, South Gay street. Baltimore Clipper.

CHOLERA-MODE OF TREATMENT.

The best and most reliable cure of this disease, as stated by Dr. Whiting, in his report it flourish for ages! These sentiments may to the New York Board of Health, is calomel, administered in moderate doses, with morphine, at short intervals. Recoveries have commenced in every case, from the moment the slightest billious evacuation was produced. He also states as a remarkable fact that worms have been discharged, either by vomiting or the bowels, in a large majority of cases. One third of the whole number of patients at the Quarantine Hospital have been children under 14 years of age. [New York Jour Course were

During the se alarms in the city of 428, from The damage to buildings, stock and furniture, as accornately as quite were several very large conflagrations, where a large amount of property was destroyed; and during the year, thirteen persons have been burned to death, and two killed by the falling of the walls of a burning building .-Of the whole number of fires, about forty were caused by camphine lamps, and one hundred and twenty by incendiaries.

A portion of the fertile tract of land attached to the Fauquier Springs, preduced the last season at the rate of twen y-two barrels, three bushels and one gallon of corn per acre. This astonishing product was the result of very thick planting, three ploughs in each furrow, and no other manure than plaster q to busel a studence that our

FISTY-THREE SARBATH'S IN 1848 - There were fifty-three Sabbath's last year. In the hundred years, from 1849 to 1949, says a Ritchie correspondent of the N. Y. Evening Post, there will be seventeen of these years.

A wealthy young man of Troy, N. Y., has been fined \$1000 for running over and breaking the arm of a poor child in the street, while driving at a furious rate. The Judge bore down hard on the fact that he displayed no regret at the act, and did not stop to see if the child was hurt.

IFA Tailor, in Rochester, N. Y., named Michael Graham, recently got \$3 in money, spent it for rum, got drunk, tumbled into the river and was drowned. Very short and

Gerritt Smith having thrown his lands in New York open to the free eccupation of colored men, they have commenced a settlement and town or village at Florence. One of the settlers writes, that they come from various States, and that, by the first of Jamuary they will have a building to hold seventy families. They will seen bave grist and saw mills. They are aided by their white neighbors.

IF Our ideas of republicanism do not accord with the fact that Louis Napoleon, during the whole canvass which has resulted in his election, retained the title of Prince. He was so called by friends and adversaries either destroyed or much injured, as well as alike, and it does not appear that any reflections were made upon that designation, so peculiarly identified with revalty.

Up to the 14th December, inclusive, the whole number of cholera cases in Great Britain was 2,317; deaths 1,077; recoveries 400; still under treatment 809. Only four or five cases a day were occurring in Loudon, and all fear of it had subsided.

Messrs. Ritchie and Heiss will bid this year for the printing of Congress, at rates 20 per cent higher than was agreed for by Messrs. Wendall and Benthuysen for the printing of the current Congress. Gales and Seaton will also be competitors. The present contractors have scarcely saved enough from the job, to pay the labor of their

IF During the year 1848 there were e rected in the City of Washington 52 brick and 84 wooden buildings. The total num-ber of dwellings in the city is 5,922; and the population is estimated at 35,532 souls being an increase of 12,000 since 1840.

pugilists, are in training in New York, for an encounter in February. The two men, it appears, do not fight for sport merely, but to gratify an old hate, and \$5000 aside. Plank roads are now the rage in North

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ECLIPSES IN 1849. In the year 1849 there will be four eclipsestwo of the sun and two of the moon! One of the lunar eclipse will be visible in the United States. The first eclipse will be of the sun, on the 22d of February, and will be visible in the western portion of Asia, and the northwestern portion of North America. The second, of the moon, on the 8th of March, and will be visible throughout the United States. The third will be a total eclipse of the sun on the 17th of August; and

the fourth an eclipse of the moon on the 2d of A CHANCE FOR YOUNG MEN. The following from the Cumberland Moun taineer, should at once excite to the hignest pitch

the galiantry of Baltimore's surplus eroy of young "We have been requested some two or three times by the ladies of a certain little village, situated in Virginia, about 18 miles from this city to aumounce the startling fact, that there are within its limits, twenty-five single ledies, all destitute of a single beau, there being but we young gentlemen in the place. Balt. Str.

RAMEDADS AT THE CLOSE OF THE YEAR 1818.

The Railroad Journal, summing up the extraordinary influences of railroads upon the country and upon the world, says, it may be safely estimated that the entire expenditure, within the last twenty-five years, in the projection and construction of railroads, will not fall short of one thousand million of dollars; and that their influences in facilitating business, in reducing the expenses and time of travel, and in opening up new regions of country, has given an increased value to property of twice that amount! and yet their indisences are only just beginning to be felt.

JAMES L. FREAMER, the "Mustang," of the New Orleans Delta, left Philadelphia on Monday, for California, via the city of Mexico, Mazatlan,



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THURSDAY MORNING. JANUARY 11, 1849.

WE MEAN to SPEAK PLAINLY.

We leave it to each one's own sense of propriety, whether we have not a right to complain of some of ear patrons on the score of delinquency, whose accounts for subscriptions, advertisements, &c., are unpaid for the last three, five, seven, ten and indeed fiften years! How do such persons expect us to get a-long? Such subscribers seem to have forgotten that paper, ink, house rent, fuel, and the hire of hands cost mosey; or they must think that printers and editors can live on the wind; or which is more probable, that it is an honor to a Publisher to have heir names on his list! The aggregate of the small sams due us from subscribers in arrears, amounts to a considerable sum, which, we very much need, and without which we are to be greatly embarrassed in our operations. But to remit these small sums to us, will not embarrass those who owe us.

To the four or fire who have responded to our former calls out of some three thousand delinquents-we tender our thanks for promptness .-Indeed, were it not for a few faithful friends, we should often find ourselves in straitened circumstances. The printer entry every cent of his money, and is worse paid than any other branch of busi-

EXTEX ALLOWANCES.

The Lynchburg Virginian after referring to the manner in which Members of Congress charge for mileage, remarks; We shall soon again have an exemplification of the easy virtue of our legislators, in all that concerns the transference of the public money from the treasury to their own pockets. It is usual and necessary, upon the accession of a new administration, for the Senate to be summoned to meet on the 5th of March, to remain in session for a few days in order to pass upon nominations to office. The Senate, this year, will adjourn, therefore, on Saturday, the 3d of March, and meet on Monday, the 5th. Several newly elected Senators will take their seats, in place of some who have been con- 30 Buffalo Robes, \$5, signed to retirement by the Legislatures of their respective States, under the influence of the late political revolution, or the operation of the principle of rotation in office, or other causes. Well, during the intervening Sunday between the adjournment and the re-assembling of this august body, all the old members are conceived to have gone to their homes -- Mr. Benton, for instance, to Missouri, Gen. Houston to Texas, and Mr. Dodge to Iowa-and returned to their posts, fresh from the people. This imaginary travel would be a pleasant fiction, were it not a costly one to the people, for, will it be believed every Senator will charge, at the rate of \$8 for every twenty miles, going and coming, of this imaginary journey, and pocket, some of them, many hundreds of dollars, and be, thereby, in no degree precluded from charging the full amount of their travel home ten days afterwards, and a like amount, next December, for returning to Washington. We do no know by what act or by whose construction, such a precedent has been established. It is a gross abuse. The people resent it as such, and the Senate owes it to its own reputation to desist from thus receiving the public money without an equivalent.

THE MONEY RECOVERED.

The money, amounting to about \$25,600, which was stolen some days ago from the Bank of Augusta, in Maine, has all been recovered. It was found buried in the earth in the vicinity of Augusta. A man named Wingate Amsted is supposed to have the rubber. It is believed that he confessed and found, while un-KENTUCKY SENATOR,

Senator Meteatfe has been elected Senator for the gislature of Kentucky, now in session. Nothing is said about the election of Mr. Clay or any body else, for the full term of six years from the 4th of March. Mr. Clay will probably be the man,

LOST SILVER MINES.

From the Memoir of a Tour through Northern Mexico, in connection with Col. Doniphan's Expedition by Da Wistizenus, a German, printed by order of the

About one hundred miles South South-East of Santa Fe are some extensive salt lakes or salinas, from which all the salt used in New Mexico is proeured. Not far from these selinas are the ruins of an old city, which, as is reported, was once large and wealthy, with rich mines, the produce of which was sent annually to Spain?

"At one season, when they were making extraordinary preparations for transporting the precious metals, the Indians attacked them; whereupon the winers buried their treasures, worth 50 millions, and left the city tegether; but they were all killed except two, who went to Mexico, giving the particulars of the affair and soliciting aid to return. But the distance being so great and the Indians so numerous, no body would advance, and the thing was dropped. One of efficient organization may be made at once. the two went to New Orleans, then under the dominion of Spain, raised 500 men, and started by way of the Sabine, but was never heard of afterwards. So far the report .-Within the last few years, several Americans and Frenchmen have visited the place, and although they have not found the treasure. they certify at least to the existence of an aqueduct about 10 miles in length, to the still standing walls of several churches, the sculptures of the Spanish Court of Arms. and to many spacious pits, supposed to be silver. It was, no doubt, a Spanish mining town, and it is not unlikely that it was destreyed in a successful insurrection of the Indians in 1680."

ANOTHER DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.-About 5 o'clock on Friday morning, our citizens were aroused from their slumbers by the thrilling cry of Fire! FIRE! FIRE!!! The house on the corner of King street and the Public Square, opposite the U. S. Hotel, belonging to the heirs of the late John K. Wilson, was discovered to be on fire, originating, as is believed, in the office of the Western Telegraph Company. The building is totally destroyed, together with the apparatus and fixtures

Mr. J. O'Neal, saddler, occupied a room in the building most of his property was promptly on the spot, and exerted themselves to the utmost, as circumstances demanded The wind, at the time, was blowing strongly from the North West, and nothing but the snow upon the roofs of the houses saved a large portion of our town from the devouring fixtues. None of the property was insured.

GES. TAYLOR'S MOVEMENTS -A letter has been received at Cum serland, Md., from Gen. Taylor, in which he states that he expeets to reach the vicinity of Wheeling about the 22d of February. He will pass through Pittsburg and up the Monongabela to Browneville, and thence by coach to Cumberland. If nothing to ppens to retard his progress, he will probably reach Camberland on the 26th or 27th of February.

The Washington Union says: "We independ that a letter has just been received by the War Department, from Gen Taylor, reagaing his commission in the Army of the United States—to take effect on the 31st

The wires for a telegraph across the

THE CALIFORNIA EXPEDITION.

Jefferson County has always been for most in every work of enterprise and duty. When forces Packer, dem., as Speaker, the message of Gev. were needed to fight the battles of the country, she Johnston was sent in on Saturday. We have not responded to the call with alacrity; and new that a golden prospect is opened up in California, which invites the enterprising and during, she stands eager to take a part even in that. Her hand is ready either for the sword, or to seize the sparkling geins hidden in the gorges of the mountains, or found in the burning sands of the Sacramento.

A company is about organizing in one town, to consist of fifty or more, to proceed to the "Gold Diggings," early in the spring. The precise routeis not yet designated, but it is certain they will proeced direct to St. Louis, and from thence probably to Ft. Leavenworth, up the Missouri River-leav-ing a little over sixteen hundred miles of land to be traversed on mules or horses.

The calculation is that the journey can be made from Fort Leavenworth in sixty days. From St. Louis to Fort Leavenworth, 307 miles; from that place to Fort Laramie, distance 617 miles-thence to South Pass 315 miles-thence to Gold Diggings, 750 miles. The entire route, from Charlestown to he destination is about three thousand miles. It is designed to purchase most of the stores for the

Company in the East. The mules can be had at moderate prices, ei ber at St. Louis or Fort Leavenworth. Provisions to last six months will be shipped in one of the Atlantic cities, and reach California six or eight weeks after the arrival of the Com-

Several estimates have been made as to the probable expense, per man. As it may be a matter of curiosity to some to know what matters are needed for an expedition of this sort, we subjoin the following,-being an estimate of what the outlit of thirty

men would cost: 2 Light Wagons, painted covers, and Hamess, \$375 00 8 Mules for Wagons 30 Mules or Horses, to ride, \$70. 2,100 00 600 00 Saddles, Bridles, &c., \$20 each, Transportation of Wagons to St. Louis 600 00 30 Rifles, \$20 each, 30 pair Revolving Pistols, \$20 pair, 150 lbs, best Powder, 75c. 50 00 Percussion Caps and Lead,

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4 dozen large Butcher Knives. Leather Belts for same 30 pair best Blankets, \$7, 3 dozen fine and 3 dozen coarse Combs, 30 lbs. Castile Soap, 20c. 2 Water Tanks, 510, 6 Tents. \$15.

3 dozen Buckskin Gloves, \$8, I Gold Washer, I dozen Shovels, \$10, 1 doz. Picks, \$24 l doz. Wash Pans, 1 dozen Coal Hods or Buckets, Medical Chest, \$50, Surgical Instruments, \$25, Crow Bars. \$10, half dozen Axes, \$8, Hammers, Saws, and Tools, Camp Kettles, &c.

30 Caps, oil cloth, with capes, 30 Gum O tercoats, 90 red fiannel shirts, \$90, 90 pair drawers, \$90, 180 0) Expenses of 30 men from Va. to Missouri, \$40, 1,200 00 \$7,568 00

This will put each man's expenses at a little over \$250, without taking into account the post of the provisions to be taken on the overland route, or those to be shipped, as well as the necessary clothing each man must necessarily provide, viz: Coat, vest, pantaloons, shirts, boots, drawers, &c., &c.

The company, therefore, in placing the sum re quired to be paid in to the Treasurer, at \$300, have calculated closely, though we believe it will be suffi-

Those who design joining the expedition will do well to make early application, as it is expected that each of the towns in the county, as well as Berkeley, Clarke, Londoun and Frederick, will all be ley, Clarke, Loudoun and Frederick, will all be represented. It being desirable to know the exact all, those who be that provision may be made for tion to one of the Committee and signify their intention. The will be seen by the published proceedings of For the information of the distant we will state, the Company is formed on the mutual assurance principle. Mining, or digging gold, is the primary pursuit and the proceeds of each are to be held in common, or, in other words, to be thrown together, and divided equally. The period for which the Company shall thus continue its organization, is indefinite, but a fixed time for the existence of the partnership will probably be deter sined upon at the next meeting. In the event of the death of any member of the Company, on the surney, or whilst in California, his beirs shall draw me-half of a full

share of all the proceeds. The officers of the Company vill consist of a President or Captain, three Lieuenants, or commanders, to be denominated 1st, 2d and 3d, and rank accordingly, a Treasurer, Quartermaster and Surgeon, who shall constitute a Board of Directors, for the general and supreme regulation and government of the Company, and its joint funds, &c., and for the seulement of all disputes, differences, com-

plaints, &c. The calculation is, to leave here from the 1st to the 10th of March, though all applications for membership must be made during the present month, or early in February. Let those who have the nerve come up to the work at once, so that an effective and

LATER FROM CALIFORNIA. More Gold Discovered!

Letters have been received in New Orleans, from the capital of Mexico, containing later advices from California than any which have yes been published. The New Orleans Bulletin says:

One of these letters from an intelligent gentleman, and who is well informed on the subject, states that further discoveries have been made in the gold region which yield even a more abundant supply of the article than the previous "diggius." The quantity gathered already amounted to at least \$100. 000 daily, and was constantly increasing, without apparently an exhaustion, or any limit to the supply. There was a great deal of distress among all the diagers, for the want of the common necessaries of life, and attended with very extensive sickness and mortality. Men loaded with gold, appear like haggard vagabonds, clothed in filthy and tattered garments of the meanest kind. It is stated that one man, who had two barrels of braudy, sold them out at the mines, by the small wine glass, at rates which realized him fourteen thousand dollars in gold. Every thing, and particularly articles of food and raiment, were at most unheard of prices, for gold was so plenty and in the possession of every one, that it seemed to have lost its va-

Daily additions were made to the number employed in digging, though as yet no por-tion of the vast flood of emigration from the United States, had arrived. The first arrivals of provisions and other supplies, will no doubt realize larger profits than any previous instance, that can be found in the annals of trade

DECISION ON THE DORR CASE .- By a decision of the Supreme Court of the United States last week, in the case of Martin Luther vs. L. M. Borden, on a writ of error from Rhode Island, the principle of Dorrism has been legally extinguished by the highest authority known in our government. The opinions of the Judges were manimous in sustaining the constitutional authority of the state, excepting in the case of adge Woodbury, who contended that the State of Rhode Island had no right to declare martial law. The opinion delivered by Chief Justice Taney is said to be clear, able and conclusive.

LEVIS Cass, Jr., has been appointed by the ident, by and with the advice and consent of the enate, to be Charge d'Affaires to the Papal States, in the place of Jacob L. Martin, deceased.

PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE

The House having organized by electing Gen. yet received a copy of it. The following no sinetions for U. S. Senator were made on Saturday:-James Cooper, Thaddeus Stevens, Josiali Randall, John Sargeant, Wm. M. Meredith, Henry M. Phillips, Henry King, Simon Cameron, and Goo. W.

A despatch to the Patriot save: Some of the whigs have declined to go into caucus for the purpose of agreeing upon a U. S. Senator. At present it appears that Mr. Cooper is the strongest candidate. Thaddeus Stevens and Wm. M. Meridith, it is said, have made commoneause against him. Efforts are making to keep the Philadelphia members out of Since the above was put in type we learn that Mr.

Cooper was elected U. S. Senator on the third ballot for six years from the 4th of March next, when Mr. Cameron's term expires. Mr. Cooper formery represented Adams and York counties in the House of Representatives, and is a gentleman of brilliant talents.

THE SMITHFIELD TURNPIEE.

On Friday last, Mr. Thomson, of Jefferson, presented in the House of Delegrates a petition of the President and Directors of the Smithfield, Charlestown and Harpers-Ferry Turnpike Company, to change the location of their road, so that it may enter the town of Charlestown near Lock's Mill, and

for other purposes. We understand it is to be taken through one of the streets north of the Main street, principally, we believe, because the Trustees of the town are not willing to keep the main street in good condition, at the expense of the town.

CALL OF A CONVENTION.

The following gentlemen have been appointed in he House of Delegates to take charge of the resolu tion relative to the call of a Convention: Messrs. Layne, Ferguson, Lacy, Boyer, Pannill, Pitts, Townes, Faulkner, Sheppard, Buswell, Watson, and Beirne, of Monroe.

LITTLE'S FALLS RAILROAD.

On Saturday last, in the House of Delegates, Mr. Worthington moved that the Committee of Roads enquire into the expediency of extending the limits prescribed in the 3d section of the act passed March 16, 1847, to incorporate the Little's Falls Railroad 20 00 Company.

A SEVERE ACCIDENT.

Mr. THOMAS BROTHERTON, of this county, was severely burnt on Thursday night last, by falling into the fire. Mr. B. was up at a late hour of the night, after the family had all retired, sitting in front of a Franklin stove, when he fell into the fire, and had his back and arms severely burned. His cries alarmed some of the household, and after remaining some five or more minutes in the fire, he

CALIFORNIA ENTERPRISE.

In accordance with previous notice, a meeting of those who propose organizing a Company for the purpose of emigrating to the Territory of California, with the object of bettering their pecuniary condition, in the most practicable and laudable mode, was held at the Office of Benj. F. Washington, on Tuesday evening the 9th instant. On motion, Maj. ANDREW J. O'BANNON

was called to the Chair, and BENJ. F. WASHINGTON appointed Secretary.

The object of the meeting having been briefly referred to by J. HARRISON KELLY, at his suggestion -for a full and more perfect understanding of the contemplated association, and the principles upon which they are to be united-an article of agreement, setting forth and embodying the same, was read to the meeting.

H. Moore, A. J. O'Bannon, and others participated, was then had upon the provisions of the same, and the probable cost of outfit and six menths provisions for the Company after their arrival, On motion, a committee consisting of five of those who had already subscribed to the Articles of Asso-

ciation, was appointed, to pass upon future applications for admission into the Company. The following were named as said Committee: Messrs. T C. Bradley, J. D. Gibson, John Avis, Jr., J. H. Kelly and Benj. F. Washington.

On motion, the sum of Three Hundred Dollars was fixed as the sum to be paid by each member of

the Company. Resolved. That the sum of \$110 be paid by each nember into the common treasury, on the 10th day of February, when the Company is to meet for the election of officers and organization-the said amount to be applied for the immediate purchase of arms, and laying in the provisions for suipment. On motion, the meeting then adjourned to meet again on Monday night, the 22d of January, at 7 o'-

[Signed by the Officers. THREE DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE. By the American mail-steamer Washington, which arrived on Monday at New York, we have dates three days later from Europe. The following

is the substance of the news: LIVERPOOL, Dec. 19, 1848. It will be seen, by reference to our weekv account of the cotton trade, that the week terminated on Friday with another advance in prices. On Saturday business was somewhat checked by the extreme rates generally demanded by holders, but to day the sales have exceeded any previous market this year. There was a brisk demand with prices somewhat dearer in the common sorts of American, but in the better kinds, say 4d. and upwards, buyers have more choice out of the recent imports, which are being freely offer-

Flour has declined one shilling a barrel corn is quiet, without change of price; lard in fair demand at late reduced rates; new nevolence. prime mess pork is much wanted.

Parliament has been propogued to Februa-

FRANCE.—It is generally believed that public life.

The new President will be proclaimed on Wednesday or Thursday. He has difficulty in restraining his too zealous friends from proclaiming the empire. The Prince has inluced his friends not to celebrate the anniversary of the funeral of the Emperor Napoleon, fearing it might lead to disorder. No-

National Assembly. The Continental news is not important The Hungarians have determined to make bloody resistance to Austria. No engagement yet. The special French Envoy had returned to Paris, and reported that the Pope had determined to take refuge in France. A Provisional Government is about to be established at Rome. All is yet tranquil there, though it is thought that the great Powers will interfere.

NEW SENATOR FROM FLORIDA. - Jackson Morton (Whig) was elected by the Legisla-ture of Florida, on the 1st of this month, to

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS.

DECEMBER 28, 1848. The Board of School Commissioners in the county of Jefferson, present to the President and Direc tors of the Literary Fund, the following statement of their proceedings:

By the act of the General Assembly, passed March 21, 1817, the vote of those qualified under the law to vote, was taken upon the question of adopting the school system provided in the act. The result of the vote was, that five hundred and fifty-four votes were in favor of the system, and one hundred and sixty-seven against it. The system was thus adopted by the legal majority-two thirds voting for its

The School Commissioners then acting under the present laws, proceeded, under the said act of March 20, 1847, to lay off the County into districts, and reguired an election to be held in each district, in the month of August, 1817, for a Commissioner of the district, and as prescribed by the said act. An election was held on the day appointed, in each of the twenty-four districts into which the county had been divided, except two; and the persons thus elected having convened and received from the previous School Commissioners of the County, "the books and records in their possession," proceeded on the 27th day of August, 1817, to organize as the President and Board of School Commissioners of the County of Jefferson, and have acted as such under the provisions of said act of Assembly, and of that passed the 27th day of March, 1818.

As authorized by the provisions of the act of March, 1847, the Board, on the 14th day of September, 1847, assessed and levied the tax authorized for the purposes declared in the act,-such tax to be collected by the Sheriff of the County, and paid by him on the 1st day of March, 1815. The nett amount of taxes thus laid, was \$6837 35 There was received from Treasurer of

former Board Also received from Auditor Of this sum there is due from \$1465 15 For delinquents not heretofore

Expended in payment of debts of former Board, record books, salaries of Commissioners and of Treasurer Expended in building and repairing school houses purchasing sites for buildings, and of books, &c. for the

Balance in the hands of the Treasurer . \$1093 16 It is proper to state that the Treasurer has purchased a lot for a school house in his district, and has contracted for thebuilding of the house-which purchase and the performance of the contract will reduce the balance ighis hands to about the sum of

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In the performance of their duties as Commissioners, the Board found that the act of Assembly required modification and amendment and at their instance the General Assembly passed the act of March 27, 1848, entited "an act concerning district free schools in the county of Jefferson." Under this act the Board have since its passage acted.

They have increased the number of school districts from 24, the orginal number to 27. They have caused to be ereted 13 new school housesthe sites of some of which were purchased. Some of the houses are built it stone and brick-others of wood. All, it is believed, are substantial and comfortable. Three other puses are under contract and being built. Four othe buildings, formerly used as school houses, have been repaired and made fit and convenient. There have been established within the county, 23 schools beginning at different periods of the year-the earliet beginning the first of January last, and the latest he 10th day of Septembermajority of the schola beginning in July and August. The number of scholars attending the schools cannot be state with positive accuracy, as reports from two or thre of the districts have not been received; but enough is known to authorize the statement that at lease on children are enrolled From the reports of the commissions and teachers, the children appear to be general punctual and regular in their attendance, disposi to learn and regular in their attendance, dispose to learn and improve, and their progress very constrable. There are employed 7 teachers at a salary os 300 each, and 16 at a salary of \$275. These teache

to take charge of a school the purpose of which is to have taught the usual branches of an English edu-The reports of some of the Commissioners not extending beyond the first of October last, the amount of tuition fees cannot be stated. It is known, however, that there will be due to the Board on account of such fees, up to the first of January next, a sum amounting to at least \$500, and only a small part, it is the pleasure of the Board to state, will not

The branches of education taught are spelling. reading, writing, arithmetic, grammar, and geography. The books used are Comley's Spelling Book, Hazen's 1st and 2d Speller, Walker's Dictionary, McGuffey's Series of Readers, Colburn and Pike's Arithmetic, Parley's and Morse's Geography .-The books, and also, stationary have been purchased by the Board, and are furnished to the destitute gratis, and to those able to pay, at a moderate profit, to defray the expenses connected with the purchase

The Board have not the proper information as to the operation of the old system, to enable them to institute a particular comparison between that system and the present. From the reports made by the different commissioners, the Board are informed that in each of the districts there are more children going to the present schools than formerly went to school in the district. Indeed, in some parts of the county where there have been built school houses, and where prosperous schools are conducted, until the action of this Board no school of any kind was kept. And the Board can say, with confidence in the correctness of the declaration, that the operation ed, as yielding a tempting profit. The price of the system has thus far been prosperous and adof American are 31d to 51d, principally 31d vantageous to the community. It is to be regretted, however, that in some few of the districts, some of those whom the system is likely to benefit the most are reluctant and backward as yet to accept its be-

At the organization of the system strong opposition was manifested by some of the citizens of the county. It was denounced as an innovation-as onerous to the tax-payer-as favoring one class of Gen. Cavaignae will submit with a good grace | the community at the expense of another-as cumand tender his services to the new President. brons and inoperative in the community for which Other reports have it that he will retire from it was designed. In various forms this dissatisfaction manifested itself. The Board are, however, pleased to be able to state that instead of a disposition to oppose being indulged, there is every reason to believe that there is a willingness to give the system a fair trial. Men formerly opposed to the system have consented to be elected Commissioners. and now actively co-operate with its first friends in carrying it on. Others, its former opponents, aid in other ways the Commissioners and the first friends of the system, in the performance of their labors in establishing the system.

Such have been the proceedings of the Board. This statement is submitted to the President and Directors of the Literary Fund, with the assurance of the Board that the system has been advantageous and though the expenditure of money has been considerable, the beneficial results following the establishment and prosperous conduct of the system will fully compensate for such expenditure by the blessings attendant upon an educated community. JOHN YATES, Prest. WM. C. WORTHINGTON, Clerk.

ture of Florida, on the 1st of this month, to be a Senator of the United States from that State, to serve for six years from the 3d day of March next, to succeed Senator Westcott, whose term of service will then expire.

California Station. His coadjutor is the Rev. Isaac Owens, of the Indiana Conference.

Taylor and Fillmone.—A violent demotration of fairly construed into a hope that the same Providence which removed Harrison from the Presidency may remove Taylor. The mulignity of such a sentiment is only equalled by its folly. If such a great calamity should be fairly construed into a hope that the same Providence which removed Harrison from the Presidency may remove Taylor. The mulignity of such a sentiment is only equalled by its folly. If such a great calamity should be faill the nation as the early death of Gen.

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CONGRESS. Proceedings of the last week.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4, 1849. In the Sena'e, memorials and petitions were presented by Messes. Dickinson, Dix, and Camegos. The latter presented several from Pennsylvania for the repeal of the present tariff. In the House, Mr. Evans, of Maryland, moved to reconsider the vote by which the message of the President, yesterday read, had been referred to a select committee, and also moved to lay his own motion on the table. The year and nays were ordered, and it was decided in the affirma-

The Speaker appointed the following gentle men as this committee: Mr. Toombs, of Georgia, chairman; Mr. Duer, ot New York; Mr. C. J. Ingersoll, of Pennsylvania; Mr. Stamton, of Tennessee; Mr. Botts, of Virginia; Mr. Stamton, of North Carolina; Mr. Coliamer, of Vernable, of North Carolina; Mr. Coliamer, of Vernable, Mr. McClernand, of Illinois; and Mr. Garnett Duncan, of Ohio.

The Speaker presented the memorial of the members of the Electoral Colleges of Michigan, Ohio, Wisconsin, Vermont, and Florida, praying for the passage of the joint resolution of the Senate, "relating to the compensation of persons appointed to deliver the votes for President and Vice President of the United States to the President of the Senate." Laid upon the table. The joint resolution from the Senate, restoring the rate of mileage (25 cents) to the messengers appointed to convey the Electoral votes for President and Vice President to Washington, was taken up and passed-113 to 64.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5, 1849. In the Senate, the following resolution, submitted on the 19th of December, by Mr. Miller, was taken up for consideration :

Resolved, That the President of the United States be requested to inform the Senate whether any and what negotiations or correspondence have taken place between this Government and the Government of Spain, or between any person acting under the direction or authority of either Government, in relation to the purchase of Cuba by the United States, and that he communicate to the Senate copies of such negotiation or cor-respondence, so far as the same may be communicated consistently with the public interest. Mr. MILLER advocated the resolution, and expressed the hope that it would be agreed to. He would like to know if any correspondence had taken place between the Executive of the United States and the Spanish Government, in regard to the matter. He was opposed to the measure.

Mr. FOOTE opposed the resolution in a few remarks, and observed that the Hon. Senator from New Jersey would, in a short time, find himself in an ugly position, for the President elect had already expressed himself decidedly in favor o purchasing the Island of Cuba, for the purpose of annexing it to the United States. Mr. Diekinson moved to lay the resolution on

And the question being taken, it was decided in the affirmative-yeas 24, nays 19. After spending some time in Executive session the Senate adjourned.

In the House, Mr. Boynes, from the committee of elections, made a minority report, opposed to the claim of Mr. Sibley as a delegate from the territory of Wisconsin, which, was laid on the table, and ordered to be printed. The House resolved itself into a committee of

the whole on the state of the Union, and resumed the consideration of the bill proposing to establish a board to settle claims. The committee rose, and without taking the question the House adjourned.

SATURDAY, Jan. 6, 1849.

The Senate was not in session to-day, having vesterday adjourned over to Monday. In the House, the Speaker laid before the House four communications from the War Department, required by acts passed 1794, 1830, 1842, and by resolution of Dec. 11848. Also, a communication from the Navy Department in reply to resolutions of the House, calling for statements in regard to the naval force employed on the North West Coast during the war with Mexico. Also a communication from the Treasury Department, in reply to a resolution of the present session, with reports of bur. All were ordered to be printed.

SENATE. - The Vice President called the Senate order, and after the transaction of the usual morn-

Mr. Cameron presented several petitions from citizens of Pennsylvania and New York, for an alhave all been examined by the Board or a commit-teration of the tariff act of 1846. Messrs. Hale and Corwin presented petitions tee appointed for the purpose, and have been found sull citizens in various parts of the country, on the abolis of slavery in the new Territories, and for properly qualified by intelligence and moral habits which M slavery in the District of Columbia: the District lale moved to refer to the committee for

Mr. King raed the question of receptton—which was dehated by Messrs. Douglass, Hale, King, Westcott and other They were subsequently laid on the table. the Speaker stated that the ote on the Pacheco bill was announced erroneously, an Saturday. The vote was 89 to 89. Mr. Farrelly, name had been omitted, and it was now entered, as it should have been, in the negative. This decided we question, and last the kill which is of importance. and lost the bill, which is of importance, hyplying payment for a slave who was sent west of the Mississippi by Gen. Jessup at the termination of the Florida war, at the time the Seminoles emigrates Many questions were asked and responded to, and inally, on a question raised by Mr. Giddings, that this was a private bill, and could only be considered on a private bill day, the subject was laid over till a

Mr. Meade asked leave to introduce a resolution with a preamble,) that the committee on the Judiciary be instructed to report a bill, the more effectually to secure persons in their rights and property, by requiring fingitive slaves escaping from one State into another to be delivered to their owners. Objection was made to this, and the House refused to suspend the rules-yeas 78, nays 90.

SENATE. - After the usual transactions of morning pusiness, sundry petitions and memorials respecting changes in postal arrangements and modifications in the tariff act of 1846, were presented and re-

Mr. Underwood presented a petition from Mr. Bedinger of Kentucky, praying Congress to exercise the power, if they possess it, in sending to Liberia, or without the jurisdiction of the U. S. all negroes, and moved its reterence to the committee on the Judiciary, with the view of ascertaining whether Gengress did possess the power, and if they did, to report a bill in accordance with the prayer of the petitioner. It was passed over. Mr. Berrien, from the committee on the Judiciary, reported back to the Senate Mr. Douglass's Territorial bill, accompanied by a report against the ad-mission of California as a State.

Important from Ohio.

took place on the subject of members mileage.

In the House, a long and humorous discussion

[By Telegraph exclusively for the Ballimore Clipper.] Governor of Ohio -Ford and Weller both declared to tature Adjourned in a Row!

COLUMBUS, Jan. 9, 1849. This has been a day of tremendous excitement here, and the end of it, no one can tell. The Legislature assembled in joint convention to count the vote for Governor, when a report was read, signed by six democratic members, declaring Weller to be elected by a majority of 280.

The report the speaker decided to be out of order, when a great scene of excitement ensued-various threats were made, and even blows exchanged. Puriog this scene, the speaker rose and declared Ford to be the Governor elect.

Archibald Whitman and others, immediately rose and charged the Speaker with a violation of his oath of office. Finally the Convention broke up amidst the most tremendous excitement.

BANK ROBBERY AT AUGUSTA .- We have

received an extra of the "Augusta Me. Age."

announcing that the Augusta Bank was broker open between Saturday night & Monday morning, and the following taken:-13 square boxes of silver, \$500 each; 6 bags silver, \$200 to \$300 each; package or bag of gold, \$2415; package of Sovereigns, \$5000; foreign bills, about \$4000; package of foreign bills, amount unknown, directed to J. C. Brewer, from Ticonic Bank The Age adds-"The President of the

VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 3, 1849. CALL OF A CONVENTION. The Speaker announced, as the Committee on the resolution relative to the call of a Convention. offered by Mr. Layne, of Lee, to wit: Messrs. Lane Ferguson, Lacy Boyer, Pannill, Pitts, Townes, Faulkner, Sheppard, Buswell, Watson, and Beirne of Monroe.

Sword to Col. Rebert E. Lee and Col. Francis Taylor, and others.

On motion of Mr. Smith-Resolved, That a committee be appointed to in quire into the expediency of directing the Gover-nor to have prepared and presented to Col. Robert services in the late brilliant campaigns of Mexico. The committee was announced, as follows;-Messrs. Smith, Syme, Aston, Cackley, Boyd Fairfax, and McCoe.

On motion of Mr. CLENDENIN, a similar rese lution was adopted, authorizing a Sword to be prepared and presented by the Governor to Maj. Andrew Waggener, for services in defence of Crany Island in the late war with Great Britain, Mr. Pirrs, offered a similar resolution, authorizing the presentation of a Sword to Lt. Joseph Updegraff, a native of Virginia, for gallant services in the Mexican war. On motion of Mr. Perrow, it was laid on the table.

Mr. Pirrs thereupon moved that a select committee be appointed to whom shall be referred the propriety of authorizing the Governor to have prepared and presented to each of the sons of Virginia, who distinguished themselves in the late war with Mexico, a Sword or appropriate Medal. The committee was announced, as follows: Messre. Pitts, Smith, Claiborne, Conway, Sydnor, Thompson of Smyth, and Wailacc.

On motion of Mr Peanow, the former resolu tion offered by Mr. Pitts and laid on the table was taken up and referred to the same committee. TRURSDAY, Jan. 4, 1849.

Prayer by the Rev. Bishop Jones. PETITIONS. By Mr. WHITE, petitions from citizens of Londoun for an appropriation to improve the road from Hillsboro' to Harpers-Ferry, By Mr. BEARD, petition from Loudonn, asking that the notes of the Wheeling Bank may be re

ceived in payment of taxes and dues to the State. By Mr. WHYER, petition from same county, for incorporation of "The Mutual Fire Insurance Company," of said county of Loudoun. WILMOT PROVISO. Mr. Conway gave notice that a meeting of the nembers of the Legislature, would be held in the Hall of Delegates, on Monday night next, to take into consideration the subject of the resolutions

in roduced by Messrs. Floyd and Scott, in regard

to the Wilmot Proviso and kindred measures.

Mr. Syme expressed a hope that every member would be present. FRIDAY, Jan. 5, 1849.

Prayer by the Rev. M. Lee, of the Methodist Mr. STOVALL, from the committee on Finance, reported a bill imposing taxes for the support of

A bill concerning the jurisdiction of Courts of Chancery, were reported from the committee for Courts of Justice by Mr. Scott. Mr. SMITH, from the special committee reported bill voting swords to Robert E. Lee and Francis

Mr. CLENDENIN, from the special committee, reported a bill authorizing a sword to be voted to Maj. Andrew Waggoner.

On motion of Mr. SHEFFEY-Resolved, By the General Assembly, that the Librarian of the commonwealth extend the use of he Public Library to the Ministers of the various religious denominations who may open the daily sessions of either house of the General Assembly by prayer upon the terms on which delegates and Senators enjoy the privilege.

PETITIONS. Petitions were presented, and appropriately re-By Mr. Thompsox of Jefferson: Of the President and Directors of the Smithfield, Charlestown and Harpers-Perry Turnpike Company, to enange the location of their road, so that it may enter the

town of Charlestown near Lock's Mill, and for

By Mr. SHEFFEY : From the Presidents of the Richmond and Petersburg, and Richmond, Fredericksburg, and Potomac Railroad companies, in reply to a communicat on of H. D. Bird, Esq., to the Boardof Public works.

On Saturday, no business of interest, to our readrs, save what has been noted in another place, was

On Monday, Mr. Scott, from the committee of Courts, reported a bill repealing the first, second and third sections of an act entitled an act concerning the correction of errors committed in the progress of Chancery causes, and regulating appeals from deerees pronounced therein; a bill concerning bail in

Mr. Massey moved that the Governor's Message. ransmitting the evidence and the advice of counse for pardoning John I. Johnson, he printed,

THE CHOLERA IN NEW ORLEANS.

There were 96 deaths during the 24 hours riding at noon on the 29th uit -of these 84 vere of Cholera. The number of deaths at New Orleans during the week ending at noon on the 29th ult., was 650, of which 540 were of Cholera -being an average of 90 deaths per day by

the epidemic. The total number of deaths from Cholera. since it broke out in New Orleans on the 13th ult., amounts to 802, reckening up to 12 clock on the 31st uit, eighteen days being a fraction more than 44 a day. The Times says the reports mark a decline in the ravages of this terrible disease.

THE CHOLERA IN THE WEST.

The Cincinnati Gazette of the 3d instant. Well informed members of the Medical Faculty, we believe are decided in the opinion that we have now in this city, cases of the real Cholera, which have been brought

here by boats from below. MEMPHIS.—There was a case of Cholera in the public hospital, brought from New Orleans by steamboat. Sr. Louis .- There was a report that several of the emigrant passengers in the steamer Alton, from New Orleans, and been sick of

the Cholera, but it is discredited in the Re-

All the steamboats which have left New

Orleans have had more or less passengers sick with the Cholera. THE CHOLERA IN THE ARMY.

publican of the latest date.

TERRIBLE MORTALITY The steamer Galveston arrived at New Orleans on the 31st ult., having sailed from Galveston on the 28th. We regret to learn that the cholera had bro ken out in the 8th Infantry, stationed at Fort Lavaca and carried off a very large number of men.

PORT JAVACA, Dez 24, 1848. A fearful and unheard of pestilence is in our midst; the blood almost surdles at the thought. In the last 43 hours eighty or ninety men, of the 8th Regiment of U. S. Infantry, have been buried. Last night in the very centre of our village, there were forty or fifty dead, and now, as I am writing, three loads of dead bodies, drawn and distorted in all manner of shapes, are passing within ten feet of my door. The most exaggerated descriptions of plague, cholera or pestilence, could not equal the reality. In the twenty-four hours ending this morning, husband and wife, father and sou, have breathed their last, in the same bed, and the strong and well man, that followed the sick to the hospital, in six hours has been cold and stiff in death East night, in one house, some 40 or 50 cases terminated fatally; and now, 10 a.m. 40 mburied dead are piled in one small house. Panio is among the men, and alarm among the officers. So far, the citizens have Bank offers a reward of one thousand dollars, escaped.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

We take the following from the Chilicothe (Ohio) Gazeite. Mrs. Worthington, was on a visit to her relative, R. Worthington, Esq. of this town, were four years since.

"By reference to our obituary head, it may be seen that one of the pioneer mothers has yielded to death's demands, in the person of Mrs. ELEANOR, reliet of the late Gen. THOM-AS WORTHINGTON. Mrs. W. lived and died. at the well known Worthington mansion, "Adena," near the city. She migrated with her husband, from the State of Virginia, near the close of the last century, and shares E. Lee, of the Engineer Corps, and to Brevet Col.
Francis Taylor, of the 1st Regiment Artillery, each a sword, for their gallant and distinguished come upon her sex with peculiar force in the with him the toils and privations of a life in nurture and care of a large family in a free tier settlement. But Mrs. Wommunger was a lady of great energy of character and fixedness of purpose. While her husband, Governor Worthington, lived, their house was the resort of strangers and citizens, attracted by the hospitality and intelligence which were there existant, and Mrs. W. ever bere her part as a conspicuous "mother in Israel," a bright and shining light for the imitation of her younger acquaintances -has attended personally to the management of a large farm, and participated in the executive duties pertaining to the settlement of a large and complicated estate. Mrs. W. leaves but few equals in many respects, if any superiors, among the matrons of this Valley. A faithful wife and mother, a kind and valuable friend, a conscientious christian -what more need be said, to assert her title to the highest style of female excellence ?-She was of the last of the pioneer mothers, who seem to grow valuable in our community as their numbers decrease. Peace to her memory!"

LF Mr. George W. Henson of this town, hilled a hog last week, about eighteen months old. which weighed 460 pounds!

Onio Legislature.—The House has been permanently organized. Mr. Breslin, dem. was elected Speaker, and Mr. Stanley Ma-

thews, free soiler, Clerk. Messrs. Brown and Elton, of Waterbury, Connecticut, manufacture two barrels of pins per day, numbering about 8,000,000. or at the rate of 48,000,000 per week.

From the Montreal Transcript, July 22, 1848. We think it but due to Dr. Wistar that we should add our testimony to numerous others as to the extraordinary merits of his medicine in certain cures, particularly where the patient has co

pain in the side, or in cases of an asthmatical char-We are personally acquainted with many persons who have experienced immense relief from the use of this medicine, when laboring under the diseases above mentioned; and as in the changeable climate of Canada these diseases are more than usually common, any medicine calculated to counteract them must be of value.

We are aware that it has a large and still increasing sale, and has been very generally and beneficially used since its introduction into Canada three years ago-and the very fact of its having stood the test of three years' experience is proof of its value. We are not in the habit of recommending patent medicines unless the benefits conferred by them have come under our own observation; but in the present instance we can recommend WIS PAR'S BALSAM of WILD CHERRY, as a medicine worthy of the afidence of the public in diseases of the Chest and Side, and in many cases in this city severe Coughs have yielded to its influence.

None genuine unless signed I. Betts. Address all orders to Seth W. Fowle, Boston, Mass.

For sale also, by THOS. M. FLINT, Charlestown; L. P. HARTMAN. Winehester;

Dr. JOS. G. HAYS, Harpers-Ferry. Local Notices.

GREAT COUNCIL I. O. RED MEN. The Great Council of Virginia will commence s sessions in the Wigwam of Shawnee Tribe, No. 2. Winchester, on the Sleep of the 11th, Cold Moos,

CALIFORNIANS, ATTEND!

A meeting of all concerned in the expedition to California, will be held at the Law Office of B. P. Washington, in Charlestown, on Monday night the 22d instant. All interested are invited to be present, in order that further consultations and advisements may be had. The industrious and enter prising of this and the surrounding counties are in vited to attend in person, or send a written statement of their intention to join the expedition.

MARRIED.

Jan. 11, 1849.

On the 4th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Jennings, Mr. SEORGE SAYDER to Miss BARBART EVERBART, daughter of Mr. Nathan Everhart, all of Berkeley On the same day, by the Rev. Mr. Wilson, Rev.

AMES H. JENNINGS to MISS ELIZABETH ROSINGS

daughter of Mr. James Robinson, all of Berkeley

On Thursday evening the 21st ult, by the Rev D. G. Bragonier, Mr. Jonn W. Pirzen to Miss Se an, daughter of Anthony Rosenberger, Esq., all of Berkeley County. In Springfield, Ohio, on the 18th of October last by the Rev. Dr. Keller, Dr. W. Panks, formerly of

umberland County, Pa., to Miss S. B. Rossa, ormerly of Martinsburg. On the 28th of December, 1848, by the Rev. T. H. W. Monroe, Mr. C. W. Kinwall, to Miss E. LIZABETH WARLIELD, both of Londoun County. On the 4th inst., by the Rev. T. II. W. Monroe Mr. T. J. W. SCLLIVANIO Miss CLARISSA H., dango-

ter of Major Benjamin Moore, all of Harpers At the Virginia Hotel, in Washington City, ea Monday, December the 25th, 1848, by the Rev. Mr. Butler, Mr. GEORGE W. WATRINS, formerly of the county, to Miss MARY ELLEN, daughter of Joha McCabe, of Leesburg. In Washington City, D. C., on the 26th December

ber, by the Rev. Wm. Hamilton, Rev. Oris H. Tuinson College, Carlisle Pa., to Miss Fairs Badaughter of the Rev. Wm. Hamilton. On Thursday, December 25th, by the Rev. M. Lashuford, Mr. WM. GRAHAM to Miss NASCY STORS, all of Londoun.

In Leesburg, on Sunday evening, 31st ult., by the Rev. Thomas Birkby, Major Levi W. Nixos, of Londoun county, to Miss Mandaner, daughter of the late Mr. John Major, of Alexandria, Va.

On Sunday evening the 10th December last in New York, by the Rev. Mr. Hopkins, W. Poss, Esq., to Mrs. ELIZIDETH GIBBONS, all of that city. On the 3d instant, at the residence of her father by the Rev. T. M. Boggs, Dr. F. Hissia, formerly of Philadelphia, to Miss Anna M. daughter of Mr. Jno. M. Whitehill, of Laneaster county, Pa. TWe acknowledge a slice of Wedding Cake, and trust that the union just consummated-in which

two hearts were joined-may be emblematical of

the character of the Keystine State, which coments the Federal Arch.1 DIED. On Monday last, Miss Salley B. Levens, daughter of Mr. Wm. Little, of this county, aged 30 years. At his residence in Fleming County, My, on the 30th of November last, General Garain. Evans, 12

the 86th year of his age. The deceased was born in Berkeley County, was and became at an early age one of the process of the West, at a time when the "dark and bloody ground" was freshly impressed with the fort-print of

Near Springfield, Ohio, of consumption, Miss CATHABINE A. HEDGES, daughter of Mr. B. T. Hedges of Berkeley county. On the 27th ult., MARY ANN, aged one year and a months, daughter of Wm. H. and Mary in High den, of Martinsburg.

In Harpers-Ferry, on the 20th of December Amer Pursching, daughter of William and Lydia & Yurk, in the 3d year of her age.

At her residence near Chilicothe, Ohio on Serday evening, 21th inst., Mrs. Elekanda Wastante-row, relict of the late Governor Worthington, in the 121 year of her age.

In this town, on last Saturday hight, Change D.

W., son of John and Mary Ashbargh aged 13

On the 5th inst., in the 84th year of he MARGARET NICHOLAS, reliet of the late Go. Nicholas, of Virginia, and eister of the late Smith, of Maryland;

Harpers Ferry National Historical Park

THE RUSSIAN MINISTER'S HOUSE BURNED. The Washington Union says: We regret to learn that the country residence of Mr. Bodieco, the Russian minister, about three miles from this city, was destroyed by fire on Priday morning last, at 3 o'clock. It is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary. The Minister's family had previously removed to Georgetown.

For Pore.—The probability is that the Sovereign Pontiff will soon be re-instated in power. His ecclesiastical authority is not affected by the recent change. We learn that many Catholics think it would be better if the political and ecclesiastical power of the Pope were permanently separated.
[Rechmond Republican.

CHEAR SMOKING .- An anti-cigar smoking calculator, estimates the amount of smoke puffed out of the mouth annually in the United States at ninety millions of dollars .-He assumes that there are four millions of amoters, who smoke on an average six and a fourth cents of cigars daily.

The Baltimore Markets.

OFFICE OF THE "CLIPPER." Вацимоне, Јап. 9, 1849. CATTLE .-- Prices ranged from \$2 25 to \$1 per 100 lbs. on the hoof, equal to \$4 50a\$7 75 net, and averaging \$3 12 gross. Sales of live Hogs at \$5a

FLOUR .- The steamer's news has had rather a depressing effect on the Flour market. There were sellers to-day of Howard st. at \$5, but no buvers .-Offers of \$5 have been refused. Sales of 500 bbls. country Corn Meal at \$2 62; city held at \$2 75; Rye Flour \$3 75.

GRAIN .- The receipts of Grain continue light. Very little Wheat selling-good to prime reds are worth 102a167c., and white 107a115c; small sales of family flour white at 120c. There is a good demand for Corn with sales of white at 55c, and yellow at 58c.; Oats 30a31c.; Rye 60:

For Rent.

THE house at present in the occupancy of R. H. 1 Butcher, Esq. Possession given on the 1st of April. For terms apply at the office of Jan. 11, 1849. ANDREW KENNEDY. hnives.

TERY superior Pocket and Pen Knives; also, 2 full setts Ivory Handle Knives and Forks for JNO. K. WOODS & CO. Jan. 11, 1849. Corn Meal.

FRESH Ground Corn Meal, just received and for sale by JNO. K. WOODS & CO.

To Close Out! . TIME subscriber has still on hand a few Coal and Wood Stoves, of the most choice patterns and highest finish. To close out for the season, he

will please give him a call. Jan. 11, 1849. F. W. RAWLINS. "HAMPAGNE.-Superior "Tri Color" Cham-Jan. 11. KEYES & KEARSLEY.

At Cost for Cash. TE have on hand several fine Coal Grates and Stoves, which we will sell at cost, to close T. G. RAWLINS.

OCKS-Just received, a large assortment of Stock, Rim, Pad and Screw Locks, of the best quality, suitable for meat houses, granaries, &c.
Jan. 11. T. G. RAWLINS & CO.

Sleighs, &c. for Sale. -THE subscriber offers for sale, on moderate L terms, several first rate Sleighs. Call and see them. Also, a first rate Wagon. Farmers and others would do well to make an examination. B. T. TOWNER. Shepherdstown, Jan. 11, 1819.

Boating and Commission BUSINESS.

THE subscribers having boats constantly runaing to Georgetown and Alexandria, do respectfully inform all persons having PRODUCE to end to either market, that they will boat it on reaorable terms. They also have a Warehouse situated on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, and on the Paltimore and Ohio Rail Road, and will forward reduce to any point on the Baltimore road, or on the Winchester road, at a very small charge. A supply of Plaster, Salt, Fish, Tar, Shingles, Lather, Lumber, &c., always on hand and for sale lew. W.M. H. ELGIN & CO. Harpers-Ferry, Jan. 11, 1849-1f.

NOTICE.

WE would also inform our old customers and the public generally, that we have not quit the BOATING BUSINESS, (as has been either designedly or otherwise rumored,) but that our boats are ready for transportation. Give us a call. W. H. E. & CO.

Blacksmith Shop for Rent. TREE subscriber will rent his Black-mith Shop, one and a half miles north of Smithfield, on the Shepherdst-wn Turnpike, together with a HOUSE on the premises. There is attached, ground for a garden. There is a well of water at the house, and a good spring at the shop. The location is a desirable one. Possession of the shop given immediately—the house, on the 1st of April.

Perms, very reasonable.

JOHN F. SHAULL. Near Smithfield, Jan. 9, 1849. PRIVATE SCHOOL THE subscriber having undertaken the instruc-I. tion of his four younger brothers and sisters, wishes to take into his school six other scholars .--

With the usual English branches, he will also teach the Latin, Greek, French and Spanish Languages.

Terms for English branches, \$12 per session of five months; for the Languages \$16. His school room is in his father's house, the Rev. Alex. Jones.

Jan. 11, 1849—4t. WM. M. JONES. Jan. 11, 1849-4t. Ready-made Clothing. TO carry out the object in view, viz: to reduce my stock. I will dispose of my entire stock of

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READY-MADE CLOTHING, Consisting of Cloaks, Over Coats, Frock Coats, Dress Coats, Sack and Sack Frock Coats, various colors and qualities; Roundabouts, Monkey Jackets, Waistcoats, Pantaloons, Shirts, Drawers, Cra-Yats, Stocks, Scarfs, Glores and Socks, which I will sell at prices, that will have to be seen to be believed. irchasers are invited to call and examine to themseives, and we pleage ourselves to use every effort to give satisfaction.

Harpers-Perry, Jan. 11, 1849. New Year, New Year!

NOW that the old year has passed, and the new year commenced, it would seem to admonish us that old acores should be settled, that all may be better prepared to make new accounts. I therefore respectfully, though carpestly, call on all who are indebted to me by note, (in town and country,) to call at an early day and make payment. Those indebted to me on book recount for the present year, will please close the same by cash or otherwise, with as little delay as possible. All know the necessity of short settlements, and all have it in their power to settle their accounts by note or the cash. It is so be hoped that all those interested in this call will give it early attention, and I will be greatly obliged.

WM. J. STEPHENS. Barpers-Ferry, Jan. 11, 1649.

Buyers take Notice. HE undersigned desires to reduce his stock of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, & BATTINETTS, and to that end will dispose of them at unprecedented low prices, by the piece or yard, to suit purchasers. Those who have yet to supply themselves with these necessary articles, will fail it greatly to their advantage to give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, dealing as I am entirely in the gentlemen's line, and buying in large quantities, it is but reasonable to suppose, that every advantage that the purchaser could have anywhere, one be had by calling on

WILLIAM J. STEPHENS.

Harpers-Perry, Jan. 11, 1819. CRANBERRIES for sale by KEARSLEY.

BOXES Sicily Oranges;
Lemons;
Lemons;
Lemons;
A. YOUNG, Act. Prob Fruit.

Harpers Ferry Jan 4, 1848,

List of Letters

Kearsley, Margaret, Kearney, Miss S. S. Lucas, Col. Robt. (2) Longbrake, Henry Briscoe, Miss Am E. Brown, David G. (2) Metcalf, J. Q. A. (2) Mountz, Mrs. Mary Moler, Heier (2) Brers, Mr. Bagford, Calvin Morehead, John Burgest, Lucinda Miller, N. McElroy, Mrs. Ann Moore, Mrs. Sarah R. Baker, Otho Barrack, Samuel Cadets of Temperance

Manning, Mrs. Coontz. Fox Chapline, James A. Magruder, Dr. R. P. Milligan, William Newman, En. Donnelly, D. M. Entler, Mrs. Mary Osboarne, Nathan Orndorff Jacob Edwards, George Shepherd, Abraham Sear, J. Turner, Mrs. Loraine Glenn, Ruth Hutson, John Hodge, Mrs. Lucy Thompson, John E. (2) Vansant, Mury E. Vorbers, Dr. G. Jones, Mrs. Harriet

Keyser, Charles A. Kimes, Miss Eliz. (2) Washington, Geo. Weber, David Kuhn, Anthony Persons calling for Letters will please say they are advertised. JOHN. K. WHITE, P. M.

Jan. 11, 4849.

CALIFORNIA GOLD! DISCOVERED BY

Signor D'Alvear's Goldometer! The Gold Sreker's Guide.

Secret Art of finding Mines of Gold, Silver, Iron, Lead, Copper, Coal, and other Mineral Riches. THE first discovery of Gold in California was

made by Don Jose D'ALVEAR, an eminent Spanishl Geologist, Chemist and Natural Philosopher, by means of a newly invented Magnetic instrument,

Goldometer, or Gold Seeker's Guide. Signor D'Alvear has just arrived at New York, from the Gold regions of California, by way of Panama, Chagres, and New Orleans, bringing with him a very large quantity of Gold ore, valued at nearly one million of Dollars, which he collected there, long before the existence of the Gold mines became known to the residents of California gene-

History of the Discovery. Signor D'Alvear went out to California nearly two years ago, in consequence of certain information which he had received of the geological character of that country, with the firm belief that vast mines of precious metals would be revealed there, upon careful investigation. He was encouraged to this enterprise, also, by his confidence in the powers of a Magnetic instrument which he ha called the "Goldometer," by whose aid he expected to be directed at once to the "Gold Placers," if any

such existed. Nor were his expectations lisappointed. Hts scientific calculations proved to be founded in truth and polound wisdom, and his new instrument, the "Goldometer," futfilled his highest hopes. In less than two months after reaching California, he struck upon one of the richest gold mines in that country, upon an obscure branch of the Sieramento river, in a gorge of hills extremely rocky and difficult of access, and seldom visited by the native Californians. Disguising his object under the pretence of purely scientific research, he obtained the aid of some lifteen or twenty simple and faithful todians, and will sell them at cost, for the cash. Those in want steadily pursued his task, collecting often more than \$3 000 worth of gold in a single day, which he con-cealed in a deep ravine, without exciting any suspicion whatever, until after the discovery of gold at Capt, Sutter's Mill, when the mountains were ransacked by gold seekers, and Signor D'A vear's "gold placer,"the richest is all Galijornia, was beset with greedy adventurers. It is now found that the real mines or sources of the gold, lie in the gorges of the mountains, and not in the beds or sands of the rivers. Previous to leaving California, Signor D'Alvear sold his instrument, the Goldom ter, a very imper-fection, for \$3 000. The person who purchased it confidently expected to make a handsome fortune, by

simply finding "gold placers" and selling out the right of digging to the gold workers. Manufacture of the Goldometer, and Publication of the Guide. Signor D'Alvear, in compliance with the request of numerous scientific gentlemen, has commencedthe manufacture of his new Magnetic Instrument, the Goldomerea, which he now offers for sale, in the United States, at the remarkably low price of THREE DOLLARS each, accompanied by full instructions for use, and a variety of Philosophical

hints drawn from the ancient and modern sciences, The Art of Finding Mines of Gold! Silver, Platinum, Quicksilver, Coal, Iron, Copper, Lead, and other Mineral Riches, the whole being given in a publication called the

GOLD SEEKER'S GUIDE! This new work, and the GOLDOMETER, are both now ready for sale. The GOLDOMETER is so simple an instrument that a child may learn to operate with it in five minutes. It is not affected by climate, moisture, or any other known cause, (except the natural magnet, and will retain its power of pointing out mineral riches in the earth for any number of years .-By the aid of the Guide any person may use the instrument at once with perfect success.

FARMERS AND LAND OWNERS. Farmers and Land Owners throughout the United States, who have reason to suspect the existence of any kind of Mineral riches upon their lands, should avail themselves of this opportunity to test that fact, by the surest of all known lesis, before the abundance of discoveries in all parts of the country shall have lessened this source of wealth in their es-

ADVENTURERS TO CALIFORNIA. Persons going to California cannot make a better investment than by purchasing one of these instru-ments, which will not only be worth fifty times its value there, to sell again, but will be of inestimable worth to those who go in a greh of Gold, as has been proved by the most abuneant experiments both in California and the United States.

TESTIMONIALS. Signor D'Alvear does not deem it necessary to encomber this notice with a long list of testimonials, in proof of the value of his GOLDOMETER, and GOLD SEEKER'S GUIDE. The brilliant results of his labors in California, and the discovery, this very week, of fresh veins of Gold in Virginia, and beds of Coal in Rhode Island, by its use, are alone sufficient to stamp it as the greatest discovery of the age.) Nothing but the extreme cheapness of the in-strument, and his desire to see it used for the benefit of mankind, induces him to dispose of it at the low price for which he offers it. Besides this, his own desire for wealth is nearly satisfied. The following Testimonials, in proof of the value of the Goldometer, selected from a great number e-

qually satisfactory, must suffice for the present: ASTOR HOUSE, N. Y., Dec. 21, 1848. The undersigned, having this day witnessed the practical operation of Signor Jose De Alvear's newly invented magnetic instrument, the Goldometer, feel entirely satisfied that it possesses the extraordinary power of detecting Mineral ores hidden beneath the surface of the earth, and have no doubt that it will prove an invaluable aid in the discovery of the Mineral resources of the United States and the

L. S. TIERMANN, Magnetic Ins. Maker, G. S. DANA, Geologist.

Los Andreos, California, August, 1848. This may certify that the undersigned is fully convinced that Signor Jose de Alverr was the first discoverer of the Gold deposites of California, and that this discovery was made by the aid of a Magnetic Instrument called the Goldometer, which I have seen successfully applied to the discovery of years of Gold ore, in places where no indications of that substance appeared pon the surface of the carth. T. W. SHERMAN.
Licut. 3d Artillery, U. S. Army.

NO AGENTS. In consequence of the difficulty of finding faithful agents, and of preventing frauds, where articles of this nature are sent out for general sale. Signor D'Abrear has determined to sell none of his works or instruments unless ordered by letters directly to him, when the desired publication, or instrument, will be forwarded under his significant and seal, so that all doubt as to its genuineness may be removed. D' BEWARE of all installers of this lastrumen The BEWARE of all italitations of this Instrument which may bereafter appear, as the secret of imparting the Gold Detecting power is known to no person whatever, except the original inventor.

The Goldometer, and Gold Seeker's Golde, will hoth be sent by mail, closely enveloped and scaled, and therefore, not subject to inspection by Postmasters, for the sum of THREE DOLLARS, sent post poid to Signor Jose De Alvear, Box 2713, New York City. The lastrument is very light, and the Golde is printed on this paper—so that the charge by mail, or angress, will be very small to any part of the United States. The price of the GOLD SEEKER'S GUIDE, alone, is OME DOLLAR, sent as above. Addition. MR.LAR, seat as above. Address,

Signor Jose De Alvear, Bas 2713, New York City GUDE and GOLDOMETER, No. 38, CENTRE STREET, New York City, where visiters may see several cashs of California Gold, in the rough state, as extracted by Signor D'Altear, from the Sacramento Mines, and also witness the operation of the GOLDOMETER, when held within the magnetic influence of the precious metal, and the merring manner is which it indicates the presence of that and other metallic substances.

The [1] 1859.

TAKE NOTICE!

\$100 REWARD EXTRACT from the Criminal Code of Vin Obstruct, injure, remove or destroy any part of a Rail Road, or construction, fixure, bridge or rail

Place any Obstruction thereon. or into any of the machinery, week or engines there-of, whereby the life of any person on such Railroad is put in peril, shall be punished by

CONFINEMENT in the PENITENTIARY for not less than three nor more than five years." "ANY SLAVE who shall commit an offence for the commission whereof a free person at the time of committing the same is punishable with death, or by confinement in the Penitentiary for a period not less than three years, shall be

Punished with DEATH." The foregoing being the Law of Virginia, the Baltimore & Ohio Rail Road Company are determined to prosecute with the utmost rigor any who may offend against its provisions; and with that view they hereby offer the above reward, which will be promptly paid to any person, upon whose informaation, given to any officer of the Company, such offender may be hereafter brought to justice and coavicted of any of said offences. By order, BENJ. H. LATROBE, Chief Eng. & Supt.

TO PARRIEDE

January 4. 1849.

Clover Hulling Machine. AM prepared to start five of these useful and valuable machines. I need say nothing of their usefulness and value; only refer those who have not used them or seen them in operation, to the cer-tificates of the Hon. I. R. Douglass, and Edward Spaw, as to the time, &c., (published in the Free Press and Spirit of February and March last,) and to farmers who employed them in getting out their

I could get many other certificates from farmers, but deem it unimportant; and offer to those wishing to make short work of their crop, a fair trial of the machine. One of these machines will be found in charge of Capt. John Lock, and one in charge of W. Nichols, and a third in charge of Thornton Roper, which will be strictly attended to by each of those gentlemen. Application may be made to either of the above

named, or to the subscriber. B. TOMLINSON. Jan. 4. 1848-Spirit copy.

WINCHESTER FEMALE ACADEMI. THE Fourteenth Annual Term of this Institution will commence the 2d day of January. 1849. The course of instruction will comprise all the branches of a complete English Education, to-gether with the Latin, Greek, and French Languages, Mathematics, &c. Music, and a variety of Ornamental Branches, such as Drawing and Painting, will also be taught. For these and the French Language an extra charge will be made. Miss Wilson, who is well versed in the science of Music, will give lessons on the Piano. Miss F and Miss Beans will aid in the Literary Depart-

Terms per Session of Five Months: For Board and Lodging, per session, Tuition in the English Branches, 12 50 The Languages and Higher Branches, Music, per quarter, Use of Piano for practising. The year will be divided into two sessions. Scholars may enter any time during the Session, and

will be charged from entrance to the end of the The increase of patronage the past year has made it necessary to enlarge the buildings of this Seminary. To the Boarding Department several rooms have been added, and also a spacious Academy has been erected, detached from the main building; so that ample accommodations can now be afforded for a large number, both of Boarding and Day Scho-

The School is furnished with Globes, Orrery, large Maps, Mathematical Instruments, Historical Patrons and friends are particularly invited to visit the school at any time, and become acquainted with its discipline and method of instruction. JOS. BAKER, Principal, Winchester, Fort Hill, January 4, 1849.

The Gold Mines of California. FRIHE attention of Agents throughout the country is called to the cheap and carefully prepared Guide to the Gold Region, just published by the sub-scribers, entitled Gold mines of California, and also a Geographical, Topographical and Historical view of that country, from official documents and authentic sources, with a Map of the country, and particularly the Gold Region, edited by G. G. Foster, Esq., price 25 cents. All the authentic information in regard to the country and the Gold Region that can be procured will be found in this book; price per hundred \$15; \$2 per aczen. Unless orders are sent in promptly, the publishers cannot en-gage to satisfy them. A new edition is in press to supply country orders, which will be sent according to the time of the application. This work is the first authentic publication on the subject, and em-

braces all the information of real value to persons interested in that wonderful section of country. DEWITT & DAVENPORT. Tribune Buildings, New York, Jan. 4, 1849. Papers giving this advertisement two insertions, including this notice, and sending a marked paper to the publishers, will have three copies of

TRUSTER'S SALE. BY virtue of a Deed of Trust executed by Geo. and duly recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Connty Court of Jefferson, the undersigned, as the surviving Trustee therein mentioned, will proceed to sell, at public auction, before the Court House door, in Charlestown, on Monday the 19th day of February next, (being Court day,) so much of a certain tract of land, situated in the County of Jefferson, on the South-east side of the Shenandoah river, adjoining the lands of James Roper, E. J. Smith, and others, as will satisfy the sum of \$372.78, with legal inte-rest from the 11th day of February, 1818, until paid and costs of executing said trust. The whole tract originally contained \$15 Acres. and the particular part to be sold for the said purpose will be carved off from that portion of the land lying alongside the piece heretofore sold, to wit April 4th, 1841, sold under the same deed of trust to James Roper. The part to be now sold will contain about 40 acres; the particular locality of it can be seen by reference to the plat on file in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Superior Court of Jefferson. in the case of Backhouse rs. Roper. Terms of Sale-Cash

Sale to take place about 12 o'clock, M. ANDREW HUNTER. Dec. 28, 1848. Surviving Trustee.

Negro Boy for Hire, SITUATION in the country preferred.
H. N. GALLAHER.

Speliman's Tomato Catsup, VERY superior article, for sale by Dec. 28. T. M. FLINT. ORCHARD GRASS SEED.—100 bushels Or chard Grass Seed, for sale by WOOD & DANNER. Winchester Depot, Dec 21.

Groceries, &c. 5 HHDS, prime N. O. Mo'asses;
5 hhds, good thick do at 231 pr. gal., retail.
20 boxes, 10 halfdo, 20 qrs. do Raisins,
10 bbls, Tar just received.
WOOD & DANNER.

Winchester Depot. Dec. 21. S. & T. H. HUNT. SADDLE, HARNESS.

Trunk Manufacturer, NEAR THE MUSEUM, BALTIMORE, HAVE constantly on hard and for sale, at very reasonable prices, a large assortment of Gentlemen's and Ladies riding 8, pours, made in the rebest style, and trisurbassed for comfort and d ility. Also Somerset & SHAF TOE SPRING SADDLES. Haunens Silver, Brass and Japanned Mountee light and heavy, crach and buggy harness. Also, wagon and cart harness. Taunes-Travelling Trunks of every descrip-Seuno—A new and superior article of Spirs, which can be attached to the heel of any boot without trouble, and dispensing with the strap.

FLY NETS.—A very large assortment of various qualities, colors, and sizes, for harness and saddle borses.

dle horses.

English and American Bridles, round and flat leather. WHEA.—Coach, bugge and switch whips.

Cottans.—Patent and plain leather coach and buggy collars. Also, draft collars.

Carpet Bags, Saidle Bays, Hand Trunks, Ladies Bonnet Trunks, &c. &c.

Baltimore, June 29, 1825—6m.

COUNTRY-KUIT SOCKS-100 pair fin Nor. 2. WM. S. LOCK! TIWO second hind RADIATOR STOVER for KELES & KEARSLEY.

THE subscriber will attend Public Sales in Jef-I ferson, Berkeley and Clarke, as Auctioneer, and being determined to be prompt in business, and serve his patrons to the best of his ability, he asks all who may have land or other sales, to give him a call. He may be found at his residence in Charles-

town, when not engaged. Letters addressed to him will be promptly attended to.

J. W. McGINNIS. Dec. 28, 1848.

DWELLING HOUSE, Household and Kitchen Furniture.

PUBLIC SALE

I WILL sell, at Public Sale, on FRIDAY the 12th day of January next, THE DWELLING I now occupy; and also, my HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE. The House is a neat two story, with back wing and servants' house, containing in all seven rooms, and a basement finished for a kitchen and cellar—the stable, carriage house, and wood-house, and bathhouse, all new and in complete order, with one of the best eisterns in the town. The Household and Kitchen Furniture, consists

in part of-Mahogany Sofas; Do. Chairs; Marble top Parlor Tables; Parlor Chairs ; Do. Looking Glasses; Maleogany Dining Tables;

Breakfast Tables ; One sett Chandlebras, for five lights; Pour new Carpets, best kind; Beds, Bedding, Washstands, Chairs; Parlor, Chamber, and Cooking Stoves; Suleboard, Clothes Press; Knives and Forks : 1 Stone China (white) Dinner Sett;

do do Tra Sett; 1 Refrigerator of the very lutest style and most improved pattern; Mahogany Bureaus, &c., &c. In short, every article necessary for comfortable

house-keeping.
'Terms: Dwelling-House and Lot made known on the day of sale, and to be sold at 12 o'clock precisely. Household and Kitchen Furniture on six months' credit on all sums above \$5, sale to commence at 10 o'clock. E. M. AISQUITH.

Who any Longer Doubts it?

ONE ORDER TO PYFER & CO., The far famed & truly lucky Lottery Agents,

No. 1 Light Street, Baltimore, Md. TEARLY every person in the country knows, is almost sure to realize a SPLENDID PRIZE. Thousands of the distant Correspondents of this Old Established well known temple of the Goddess Fortune can testify to the uniform Brilliant Luck that they have, and within the past year this Lucky House, and did not propriety forbid it, the names of persons living from Maine to Georgia, (more than enough to fill this paper) might be given who have been successful and had

Fortunes Buckled to their Backs, By a timely remittance to the Popular and truly Fortunate House of PYFER & CO. PYFER & CO., ALWAYS LUCKY. A small specimen of luck within one MONTH! 520,000, Quarter Ticket, (net \$4,250) sent to Adams co. Pa. The first trial. \$6 500, sent per mail to a Lady in North Carolina. She sent us \$5. \$4,000 sent per mail to a merchant in the City of New York. \$3,000 sent per mail to an old patron in Colum-

\$2,000 sent per mail to Logan co. Va. All sent to Correspondents during the month of December, and promptly paid by the Fortunate Confidence never violated! No postage need be

House of Pyler & Co. paid on orders to Pyfer & Co. Grand Lotteries for January. For a splendid prize you have only to order from

Pyler & Co.	STATE OF STREET	27	
SPLE	NDID SCHEME		
Date. Capital	Number of I	rice	Price
December. Prizes.	Pallots. T	ickels	Pkgs.
1, 24,000 Dolls	78 Nos 13 Drawn		27,50
2, 20,000 Dolls		\$5	\$181
3, 30.000 Dolls	66 Nos 13 Drawn		\$25
4, 22,000 Dolls	78 Nos 13 Drawn	\$5	\$181
5, 9,000 Dolls	78 Nos 16 Drawn	\$31	571
6, 40,000 Dolls	75 Nos 13 Drawn	\$10	\$324
8, 25,000 Dolls	78 Nos 13 Drawn		\$271
9, 20,000 Dolls	75 Nos 13 Drawn		\$181
10, 30.000 Dolls	75 Nos 12 Drawn	\$10	3321
11, 22 000 Dolls	78 Nos 14 Drawn		\$171
12, 8,000 Dolls	75 Nos 14 Drawn		\$8
13, 47,000 Dolls	78 Nos 20 Drawn	\$15	\$50
15, 3 15,000 Dolls	75 Nos 11 Drawn	\$8	530
	72 Nos 12 Drawn	\$5	\$16
	78 Nos 14 Drawn		8321
	75 Nos 12 Drawn		\$181
19, 9,000 Dolls	78 Nos 14 Drawn	\$21	\$81
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22, 25.000 Dolls	78 Nos 15 Drawn	\$8	
23, 24,000 Dolls			
24, 33,000 Dolls	75 Nos 13 Drawn	\$10	3321
	78 Nos 13 Drawn		SIB
26, 10.000 Dolls	66 Nos 11 Drawn	\$24	S74
27, 50 000 Dolls	78 Nos 15 Drawn	\$15	845
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Backhouse, on the 24th day of December, 1839, 29, 25,000 Dolls 75 Nos 12 Drawn \$8 \$27 30, 22 000 Dolls, 78 Nos 13 Drawn \$5 \$181 31, 37,000 Polls 78 Nos 14 Drawn \$10 \$324 Our friends will bear in mind that we publish the price of Packages of Quarter Tickets only. Packages of Waole and Half Tickets will be in the same proportion.

Official and Printed drawings always for-

warded by the first mail after the drawing, envelop-We advise our correspondents to order Packages of Tickets, as they save at least 15 per cent. and may draw in one Package, FOUR CAPITAL

Forward orders a few days in advance of the date of drawing.

Confidence strictly observed at this office.

In addition to the above Brilliant Schemes, we have on every Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, an Extra Class, (vulgarly called "Small Fry" Lottery) that will be drawn, in which the high prize is \$4,000. Tickets \$1,00. Packages \$3,75. Orders promptly attended to. Persons at a distance from Baltimore in want of money can surely realize it, by addressing through the mails the truly fortunate and far-famed Lettery PYFER 4. CO., Agents,

No. 1 Light Street, Baltimore. Dec. 23, 1848. Wheat & Corn Wanted. THE subscribers are anxious to purchase any number of bushels of Wheat and Corn, for which they will pay the highest cash price on delivery .-Or, if the farmers prefer it, they will haul it from their Barns, as they keep teams for that purpose. Farmers! look to your interests, and give us a call before you dispose of your produce M. H. & V. W. MOORE. Old Furnace, Jefferson Co., Va.

Feb. 25, 1847. ster. Salt. Fish. Tar. hand, to exchange with the Farmers for their pro-

Axes! Axes!! W have on hand a large number of Chopping Axes of the most approved patterns, from a to Ta lbs. weight, which we will sell (and warrant,) lower than they can be bought in Charlestown.

Call and examine them before purchasing elsewhere.

T. G. RAWLINS & CO.

Nov. 23, 1848.

Boots and Hats.

CASES heavy coarse Boots;
6 dozen Wool Hats;
1 dozen Rough and Ready Hats. Just received and for sale by WOOD & DANNER. Winchester Depot, Dec. 21. For Bent.

THE Store I recently occupied. It is a large room, and one of the best stands in the town.

For terms apply to Dr. W. R. Raum.

Dec. 14, 1849. LEWIS LEWISSON. FOR SALE BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Shelibarks—Dried Fruit, Apples and Peaches.

Also—Smith's and Grate Coal on hand and for sale, by MIX & DUFFIELD. Duffield's Depot, Dec. 21, 1818.

ALSO—A lot of HOOP POLES.

Angerona Seminary.

THE aext semion of this Seminary, (Young LaLidies' Boarding and Day School,) will commetrice on the first Monday in September.

Terms given by circular. Address Rev. L. Ec
contractors, Principal.

Winchester, August. 24—Smallmoot.

A VERY superior Mahogany Counter SHOW GASE, in good order, by THOS. M. PLEVT.

SPLENDID LOTTERIES.

J. W. MAURY & CO., MANAGERS. 40.000 Dollars. \$45.439. 30 of \$5.000. Virginia State Lottery,

For the Benefit of Monongalia Academy. CLASS NO. 8, for 1848. To be drawn in Alexandria, Va., on Saturday, 13th of January, 1849. 75 Number Lottery-11 Drawn Ballots. SPLENDID SCHEME.

1 Splendid Prize of 845,439 134 Tickets \$12-Halves 36-Quarters \$3. Certificate of a Package of Wholes Halves

2 Prizes of \$30,000 each, are 60,000 DOLLS!

Virginia State Lottery. For the Benefit of Monongalia Academy, CLASS NO. 12, FOR 1819. To be drawn at Alexandria, Va., on Saturday,

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1 Prize of	830,000	
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Tickets \$10-	-Shares in	proportion.
Certificate of a		

Eighths 70,000 DOLLARS! \$30,000 ! \$15,000. \$10,000. 15 DRAWN BALLOTS OUT OF 78!

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Quarters

Virginia State Lottery, CLASS A, FOR 1849, To be drawn in Alexandria, Va., on Saturday, January 27th, 1849.

1 Splendid Prize of 15,000 10,000 do 7,000 do do 2,000 do 1,500 1.000 100 do 100 do 500 &c.

dec. Tickets \$20-Halves \$10-Quarters \$5 00. Certificates of a package of 26 wholes \$210 00 26 halves 26 quarters 120 00 60 00 26 eighths _30 00 ORDERS for Tickets and Shares and Certific ales of Packages in the above SPLENDID LOT-

TERIES will receive the most prompt allention, and an official account of each drawing sent immediately after it is over, to all who order from us. Address J. & C. MAURY, Agents for J. W. Maury & Co., Managers. Alexandria, Va. Dec. 28, 1848.

Fresh Fruit. RESH Oranges, Lemons, and Raisins, in whole, half, and quarter boxes, at reduced prices, for sale by KEYES & KEARSLEY.

Dried Peaches. 20 BUSHELS unpared Peaches, 10 " very nice pared do. just received, 50 " Dried Apples, for sale by Dec. 21, 1848. J. J. MILLER. A Notice of some importance to the

Public. NEW HAT STORE.

SMALL PROFITS AND LARGE SALES. 84 00 FIRST QUALITY AT 3 25 SECOND "

BELIEVING the time has arrived when HATS should be sold in Baltimore as well elsewhere upon the principle of small profits, I am now opening a Stock of Gentleman's Hats, at the above standard prices, which for excellence of quality, beauty of finish, elegance of style, united with capacity of service, will be found wholly superior to any of the kind now sald in this community. now seld in this community.

The prevailing system of large profits, made ne-

cessary by long credits, it is believed must speedily cease, when the opposite system, in the hands of skillful workmen, is brought into full and fair com-R. H. HEATON, No. 1, Charles Street.

Baltimore, Sept. 28, 1849-3m. Earthen Ware, China & Glass Ware.

ALEXANDRIA, VA. ROBERT H. MILLER (Importer) has receiv-ed by the ships Potomac and Harvest, from Liverpool, the principal part of his fall supply of goods, which he offers at wholesale and retail, at prices and on terms which cannot fail to please the country merchant and consumer. Having enlarged and fitted up his store in a commodious and comfortable manner, he intends to increase his stock as occasion may require, and hopes to offer as desirable a stock of goods as can be found in any other establishment, or in any other city. His long acquaintance with the business, and having every means of laying in his stock upon the very best terms, enables him, and he is determined, to sell his goods upon the lowest terms for cash or credit.

Among the goods now offered are— Liverpool Edged, Enamelled and C C Ware, in every variety; Cut, Pressed, Moulded and Plain Glassware; Stoneware, Pipes in boxes; Window Glass and Putty; Dinner Sets, Canton China, French Porcelain;

Flowing Blue, and a variety of other colors; Tea Sets, French and English China, plain and gilt; Do. Enamelled raised figures and white;

Solar Lamps and Girandoles, gilt, silvered, and bronzed, of a great variety of patterns.

Country Merchants are earnestly invited to call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

Alexandria, Va., 9th mo. 14th—lm\$2.

Through its centre, to which the stock can have free access at all times.

A suitable portion of said land is in fine timber, and its contiguity to the railroad, and consequent facilities afforded, of transporting produce to market reders this property highly desirable.

One-third of the purchase money will be required in hand, the residue in through its centre, to which the stock can have free

For Rent, THE room at present occupied by James Clothier, as a Tailor Shop, for the year 1849. Dec. 28. THOS. M. FLINT. Wanted Immediately,

A JOURNEYMAN, accustomed to do all kinds of Tin and Sheet-iron wors. To a good workman I will give several months work, and probably Onstant employment.
Dec. 7, 1849. FRANCIS W. RAWLINS. Lard Firkins. SEVERAL Lard Firkins for sale, by
Nov. 30.

J. K. WOODS & CO

Confectionary.

FRESH Confectionary; assorted Candy, Raisins, Figs, Dates, Almonds, Filberts, &c; Fire Crackers, Torpedos, &c., for sale by
F. DUNNINGTON. Dunnington's Depot, Dec. 14, 1848. Hoop Poles.

JUST received a prime lot of Hoop Poles, for sale cheap, for cash, by F. DUNNINGTON. Dunnington's Depot, Dec. 14, 1848. SUPERIOR Kip Boois; Heavy Coarse Boots, Sexura sizes; Extra Brogan Shoes; Womens' Bootees and Buskins, &c. Hass and Caps of differ-

Dunnington's Depot, Dec. 14, 1805. A HEALTHY Female Servant, 9t years old; a good plain cook, washer and milker, and an colleas field hand. She is not sold for any fault. Enquise of H. KEYES, Esq. Jan. 4, 1848.

HANDSOME one-horse SLEIGH for sale by KEYES & KEARSLEY.

Virginia, to Wit: IN the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chance ry for the County of Jefferson:

Basil Williamson and Wife, AGAINST Noah H. Swayne, Executor of Gerara B. Wager, de censed, and said Noak H. and Stran Ann his wife Hanna: Humphreys, Ellen A. Wager, Mary Seilig James B. Wager, John W. George, Charles Wager James P. Wager, Edward L. Wager, George Rey-nolds, Sheriff of Jefferson County, Committee, Ad-ministrator of George L. Hoffman, deceased, and Aimes M. Sherry, Administrator de bonis non of DEPENDANTS,

Philip Wager, dec'd, IN CHANCERY. THIS cause came on to be heard, by consent, this 31st day of October, 1818, upon the papers formerly read, and was argued by Counsel—Whereupon, it is ordered, that Master Commissioner Worthon, it is ordered, that Master Commissioner Worthington do proceed to execute the order of reference heretofore made in this cause, to wit: On the 23d day of June, 1840, "the Court doth adjudge, order and decree, that a Master Commissioner of this Court proceed to settle the Administration account of Gerard B. Wager as [Administrator of Philip Wager, deceased, and make distribution of said estate among the distributors entitled to the same." estate among the distributees entitled to the same."

And further, that he do settle the Administration account of the said James McSherry, as Administrator aforesaid, of said Philip Wager, deceased, and make distribution of the same, stating specially all such matters as he may deem pertinent, or as he may be required so to state, and make report to the next term of this Court. (Extracts.)

A Copy—Teste, R. T. BROWN, Clerk. COMMISSIONER's OFFICE, Charlestonen, Dec. 21, 1848. are hereby notified that I have appointed Wednesday the 24th day of next month, January, for the purpose of taking the accounts directed to be taken by the aforesaid decrees—on which lay, by 10 o'clock A. M., they are required to attend at my office with their vouchers, papers and evidence, connected with R. WORTHINGTON, Mas. Com.

COMMISSION R'S OFFICE. Charlestown, Dec. 14, 1848.
The creditors of John Walper, dec'd, whose debts are yetoutstanding, and which have not been audited, are hereby notified that, on Thursday the 18th day of next month, January, I shall attend at my office, by 10 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of receiving evidence of said debts, and an fitting the same, when and where they are requested to attend. R. WORTHINGTON, Com. in Chy.

Dec. 14, 1848. Virginia, to wit: IN the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chance-ry for the County of Jetterson— Jucob P. A. Entter and Ellen his wife,

AGAINST Thomas T. Lemen, Administrator of Mary Ann Mc-Elroy, dec'd, and in his own right, William G. But-ler, Administrator of Jepthah Morgan, dec'd, Wil-loughby N. Lemon, Ann McElroy, William Mc Elroy and Samuel McElroy,

IN CHANCERY. THIS cause came on to be heard on the 25th day of October, 1848—and was argued by Counsel -on consideration whereof, the Court Joth adjudge, order and decree, that Master Commissioner Worthington do examine, state and settle the estate ac-count of Mary Ann McElroy, dec'd, with the Defendant, Thomas T. Lemon, her administrator, and the plaintiffs are allowed to examine the said Lemon, under oath, before the said Commissioner, touching his administration, and the said Commissioner will report to this Court in order to a final decree, stating all matters specially by himself decined pertinent, or which may be requested to be so stated by any of the

A Copy—Teste, ROBERT T. BROWN, Clerk.

Commissioner's Office, Charlestown, DEC. 14, 1848. The parties interested in the above order of Court, are hereby notified that I shall attend at my office on Tuesday the 16th day of next month, January, for the purpose of executing the foregoing decree, on which day, by 10 o'clock, A. M, they are requested to attend with their papers, vouchers and other evidence connected with the suit aforesaid.

R. WORTHINGTON, Mr. Com. Virginia, to wit: N the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery for the County of Jefferson— PLFTF. Henry D. Garnhart, AGAINST

John B. Packett, Henry Bedinger, and William Hooff, IN CHANCERY. THIS cause came on to be heard this 2d day of November, 1848—was argued by Counsel—on consideration whereof, the Court doth refer the cause to Commissioner Worthington, with directions, after notice for that purpose, to take an account of the debts of John B. Packett, evidenced by deeds of Trusts, judgments, or other liens, stating the a-mounts of such debts and their priorities: also, an account of the real property of said Packett, its va-lue, and annual value: and that he report the same, together with any special statements which he may

deem pertinent, or the parties may require to be

A Copy—Teste, R. T. BROWN, Clerk. Commissioner's Orbice, Charlestown, Dec. 14, 1848.
The creditors of John B. Packett, Defendant, is the above suit, are hereby notified that I shall attend at my office, on Wednesday the 17th day of next month, January, for the purpose of taking the ac-counts ordered by the foregoing decree, at which time and place all persons interested, are requested to attend by 10 o'clock, A. M., with their papers and vidences, to enable me to execute the order of

Court. R. WORTHINGTON, Mas. Com Dec. 14, 1848. Valuable Farm for Sale.

IN pursuance of the last will and testament of Matthew Frame, deceased, will be exposed to public sale, on Thursday the 8th day of March next, 1849.) that desirable and very Valuable Farm

On which said deceased formerly resided, containing upwards of FOUR HUNDRED ACRES.— This property is very conveniently situated on the borders of Charlestown, the county seat of Jefferson. Its location, lying in the heart of the Valley of Virginia, proverbially the Garden Spot of the State. is a sufficient guarantee of its capability, by the aid of clover and plaster, of amply remunerating the cultivator for his expense and labor. The purchaser will find on the premises every improvement necessary for comfort and convenience. The Dicelling House

is situated on a beautiful con-and is of ample dimensions to accom-modate a large family. A well constructed barn with stabling underneath; ice house, corn house, and every requisite improvement. A large Orchard abounding with fruit of various kinds, and a very productive meadow below the dwellinghouse with a never-failing stream of water running through its centre, to which the stock can have free

interest from date on the deferred payments, secured by a deed of trust on the land. On the same day will be offered, All the Personal Property Of the testator, consisting of

in hand, the residue in two annual instalments, with

Horses, Sheep, Cattle, Hogs, and Farming Ulensils of various kinds. THE CROP OF WHEAT in the ground, and other articles of value.

A credit of nine months will be given on all sums er five dollars; under that sum cash. Bond with

approved security required.

GEO. F. WASHINGTON,

WM. D. BEALL. CHARLES A. WASHINGTON,

Extra of M. Frame, dec'd.

Charlestown, Jefferson co., Va., Dec. 28, 1848.

Winchester Republican and Lancaster Tri-

une insert till sale. Attention, Farmers. VOUR attention is particularly invited to my extensive assortment of Groceries, Salt, Fish, &c., which I will pledge myself to sell as low as you can buy them in any other town, and lower than you have ever known them in Charlestown, and will always take all kinds of country produce at such prices ar the market will justify. Certainly, if you can be supplied as cheap at home, at is your interest, as well as a great accommodation, to be supplied with Goods near home. Call and examine at least before you buy, and you will be supplied as cheap as the case of going you buy, and you will be sared the expense of going farther.

Coopers' Too
W B have just received,
Broadhead's Patent Grown;
Sidds' and Watkins' Drawing Kniv Champering & Howling do. do. Adzes; Broad Axes; Frame Sawa; Joiners' Bits, &c., &c. All of which we are determined to sell lower than T. G. RAWLINS & CO. November 23, 1849.

WE have imported from Liverpool, by the ship Potomac, to this place, and Lydis, to fishismore, a very large assortment of

Superior Ingrained Scotch CARPETINGS,

Of various qualities and the newest patterns and styles. These Goods we can confidently recommend as being of superior texture and colors.

Also—From Philadelphia and New York, a large and very general assortment of

American Ingrained Carpetings. Comprising fines, superfines, and extra supering, from 20 to 90 cents per yard.

ALSO—SUPERIOR 3 PLIES, of the newest

ALSO. List and Rag Carpeting.

Stair and Passage Venitian Carpetings, and a arge supply of Chenile and Tufted HEARTH RUGS Printed Floor Cloths; 5-4, 6-4 and 12-4 plain Green Raize; Damask and striped Stair Linen; Alicant Door Mats; Carpet Bindings, Threads, &c. &c. As all these articles have been laid in for the cash, and at the best markets, we cannot be undersold in them-and we invite those intending to purchase to examine our stock.

GREGORY & ADAMS.

Alexandria, Va., Oct. 19, 1848. NEW GODDS.

Cheaper than Ever. WE have just opened the largest, most elegant, and cheap stock of Fall and Winter Goods that has ever been brought to this market, to which we invite the attention of the Ladies particularly. we invite the attention of the Ladies particularly.—
Call and examine.

Castmeres and Monsiens.—We have for the ladies, beautiful striped, figured and Satin striped Frenca and Scotch Cash mere and Mouslin'de Laines; Clarance Plaids and plain and col'd Lyonese Cloths; Plain, plaid and striped sattin-striped Alpaccas; Monair Lustres from 16 to 50c; California, Oregon, Sama and Gala Plaids; Plain and Twilled Ginghams 12 to 25c; Rich black watered sattin-striped Dress Silks;

4.4 do for Visittes:

4-4 do for Visittes; Heavy Fringe and Gimp for trimmings; Linen Cambric Hdkfs. from 6 to \$1; Beautiful clear Lawn do:

Real Valencias, Lace and Edgings ; Thread and Linen do do from 6 to Fle;
Lisle Egyptian and Bobbin do;
Paris Kid Gloves;
Super col'd Silk do; Cashmere and Merino do;
Hosiery: A large stock of Lambs Wool, Cash

mere and Alpacca Hose, from 37 to 75c; Misses and intant's hose and socks, at all prices; Black and slate col'd Cotton Hose, 10 to 25c; Calicoes at 6c, sold last year at 12c; 100 pieces new style English and American Calicoes, handsome and cheap. SHAWLS.—Real Tartan plaid Shawls; Freuch Paris Cashmere; Terkeri, a few of superb style; plain and embroid'd Thibet do; Black Cashmere. LINENS.-Irish Linens of Richardson's make; bleached and brown Table Linens; do. de. Da-mask Table Cloths; Napkins, Huckerback, Russia and Bird Eye Diaper; Crash. Blankets and Flavacl -Of superb wool-10, 11 and 12-4 Blankets; Negro Blankets all sizes; Eng. lish, Welsh and American Flannels, some as low as 12c per yard; Rodgers' Patent do. Donestic Goods.—Bleached and brown Cottons, from 3-4 to 3 wards wide, of all the well known makes; Drillings, Jeans, Linseys, Kerseys, Plaids,

and the various articles required by farmers for servants use. Also-Many other articles which we are selling rapidly at very low prices.
WM. ANDERSON & CO.

Harpers-Ferry, Oct 19, 1848. FASHIONABLE GOODS. EW Style Dress Goods of every description Nich col'd and black Silks, French Worked Capes, Collars, &c. Linen Cambric Hdkfs., Laces, Edgings, Scarfs, Cravats, Hosiery, Gloves, Mitts, &c. Mourning Goods of every style now used, French Merinos, Alpaccas, Ginghams, Prints, &c. New style Cashmere Terkeri,

Thibet long and square Shawls, Housekeeping Goods-Blankets, Quilts, Flannels, Linen Sheetings, Diapers, Napkins, Irish Linen, &c. Domestic Cotton and Woollen Goods of best quality. The above goods were purchased in Philadelphia, at the lowest cash value, and will be sold at uniform prices, and to compete with any in the county.

CRANE & BROWN. GROCERIES, &c. &c. 15 HHDS. P. R., N. O. and Mar. Molasses, 20 do P. R., N. O. and Cuba Sugars,

150 Bags Rio Coffee. 20 do Java and La. do 5 do Alspice. 10 do Pepper, 500 Sacks Ground Alum and Fine Salt, 3000 pounds assorted Loaf Sugar, 15 bbls powdered and crushed ground Sugar, 5 casks Sperm Pat., Whale and Flaxsed Oil, 100 Kegs White Lead in Oil,

500 pounds assorted Candies,

Ropes, Bedcords, Blacking, Tea, Candles, Soap, Indigo, Madder, Copperas, Alum, Rack and Halter Chains, Horse Collars, Buckets, Tubs, &c., &c., all of which we offer low for cash or in exchange for produce.

WOOD & DANNER, Oct. 26, 1848.

A very important Communication TO ALL PERSONS IN ALL PLACES, AT ALL TIMES, AND Under all Circumstances. If you are sick, get cured; if well, employ mea-sures to continue so. Every individual indulges in habits, which must, to a greater or lesser extent, dis-arrange the admitable and intricate combinations which

form the system, and consequently EVERY INDI-VIDUAL should possess some mild, yet efficacious, simple and accredited agent for preserving all the functions of the body in good order. Dr. Sweetser's Panacea will achieve this result, and should be in every family, and in the hands of every person, who by business, profession or general course of life, is predisposed to the very many little ailments that render life a curse, instead of a blessing, and finally result, in their aggragated condition, in the cause of Death.

For Eruptions of the Skin, Scurvy, Scothulic Affections, Tumors, Scrothula or King's Evil. White Swellings, Erysipelas, Ulcers, Cancers, Running Sores, Scabs and Biles, time and a determined perseverance in Dr. Sweetser's Panacea, will effect a cure.

For Indigestion, Rejection of Food, Nausea, Vomitings, Nervous Affections, Billious complaints. Head ache. Paleness or Female Irregularities, Dr. Sweetser's Panacea will soon effect a cure: but if obstinate, or attended with griping, flying pains, the dose should be in-

tended with griping, flying pains, the dose should be increased, and the cure will soon be effected. Let not the patients frighten themselves with the idea that they are too weak to take much medicine; but bear in mind that too weak to take much medicine; but bear in mind that this mildly operating medicine puts not weakness into the frame, but most certainly draws weakness out, leaves strength in its place, and by giving composed sleep at night, and an appetite to relish any food, re-animates the whole frame with vigorous action, clearing the mind and improving the sight.

In cases of Jaundice, Asthma, Liver Complaints, Tie Doloreux, Rheumatism or Rheumatic Gout, Dr. Sweetsers's Panacea cannot be too highly extolled; it searches out the very root of the disease, and by removing it from the Blood makes a cure certain and primanent.

For diseases of the Bladder and Kidneys, Strictures, Gravel, Stone, Piles, Fistula, Urinary Obstructions and Extreme Costiveness, Dr. Sweetser's Panacea is the best remedy ever tried; it removes all these actimonious humors from the blood, which give rise to the above

one humors from the blood, which give rise to the above diseases, and by keeping the blood in a pure condition insures health.

For Dropsy, Falling of the Bowels, Impurities of the Blood, Mercurial Taint, Weakness of the Spine, Flow of Blood to the Head, Gliddiness, Singing or Buzzing Noise in the Head and Ears, Dr. Sweetser's Panacea will give certain relief; in all severe and chronic cases the patient cannot be too often reminded that LARGEA DOSES and PERSEVERANCE will effect a cure.

In chills and Fevers, Bilinus Fever, Affections of the In chills and Fevers, Bilious Fever, Affections of the Eyes and Eays, Spongy and Bleeding Guns, Bronchitis and recent Coughs and Colds, Dr. Sweetser's Panacoa will be found perfectly sure and certain in its effects.

DR. SWEETSER'S PANACEA,

Being composed only of vegetable matter, or medical herbs, and warranted, on oath, as containing not one particle of mercurial, micral, or chemical substances, is found to be perfectly hermiess to the most tender age or the weakest frame, neder any stage of human amfering; the most pleasant and benign in its operation that was ever offered to the world; and at the same time the most certain in searching out the root of any examplaint, however deep, and of performing a cure.

For tale by

T M FLINT, Charlestown;

A M CRIDLER, Harpers-Ferry;

H S FORNEY, Shephendstown,

DORSEY & BOWLT, Winchesser. DR. SWEETSER'S PANACEA,

DORSEY & BOWLY, Winchester. November 9, 1848-1y.

For the Ladies. WE respectfully ask a visit from the Ladies of Charlestown and vicinity, to examine out stock of Dress and Fancy Goods, which have been selected with such care that we can please the tasks

of all. In our stock will be found
Beautiful high colored Mosslines,
Next figured Cashmeres, Sattin-striped do,
Chameleon Silles,
Visitte Sills,
Sattin deChene,
French Merinon. J. E. WUGOS & CO.

FORES E BEARSLET CRANBERRIES-For

With my wash-bowl on my knee; I'm going to California; The gold dust for to see. trained all night the day I left. The weather it was dry

The sun so bor i froze to deathenimoOh & California ! That's the land for me! The state Of of OF lim going to Sacramento, 2 4 12 - on 1 With my wash-bowl ou my knee!

I jumped about the Effect of post of the six And every time I thought of home, a six and every time I thought of home, The vessel reared like any horse,
That liad of oats a wealth;
It found it couldn't throw my so
I thought I'd throw myself!

I thought of all the pleasant times, We've had together here; white I thought I ort to cry a bit,

But couldn't und a tear, The pilot bread was in my mouth, sinhazz The gold dust in my eye, And though I'm going far away,

Dear brothers, don't you ery. Leconshall be in Francisco,

And then I'll look all round, And when I see the gold lumps there, I'll pick them off the ground. I'll scrape the mountains clean, my boys, I'll drain the rivers dry,
A "pocket fall of rocks" bring home—

So brothers, don't you ery!

har A thief who had succeeded in penetrating in the middle of the night into the apartment of the well known author Balzac, was suddenly startled by a loud burst of laughter, and turning round, he saw by the dim light of the moon penetrating the chamber, the portly figure of the author sitting upon the bed and holding his sides. Seeing himself detected, he coolly asked Mr. Balzac for what reason he laughed so immoderately. "I laugh," replied the latter, "at the idea that you should fancy yourself able to find money or valuables in the dark, and without a lamp, when I can't discover any, even in broad daylight."

Assence or Minn -An individual went to the Post Office in Boston on Friday week, for the purpose of mailing a letter, having it in one hand and a cigar in the other, he dropped the cigar in the letter-box, and stack the on it several times, he discovered his mis-

A passionate fellow up the country was violently threatening a Mr. True: said he, "the first time I see the fellow, I will swallow him alive !" "His doom will be sealed," oried a bystander, "for nothing true ever came out of your mouth."

A clergyman of a country village desired his clark to give notice that there would be no service in the afternoon, as he was "going to officiate with another elergyman." The clerk, as soon as the service was ended, called out: "I am desired to give notice that there will be no service this afternoon, as Mr. L -- is going a fishing with another clergyman."

The following is Aunt Betsey's description of her milk man. "He is the meanest man in the world," she exclaimed. "He skims his milk on the top, and then he turns it over and skins the bottom, and then he skims the sides, and then he divides it into ten parts, carefully skimming each part."

CHICKEN FITS -They tell a story of a man out West who had a Hair Lip-upon which he performed an operation himself by inserting into the opening a piece of chicken flesh—it adhered and filled up the space admirably. This was all well enough until in compliance with the prevailing fashion he attempted to raise monstachoes, whon one side strew hair and the other feathers.

A Good Hir - The Madison Courier, ve marking upon the rage of the public for newspapers containing an extra amount of reading matter, says, Fif reading matter alone be their object, they will find enough that is new to many of them in the Bible; and it is good reading too."

MOTHER WIT - A stingy husband threw off the blame of the lawlessness of his childeen in company, by saying his wife always "gives them their own way " "Poor things," was her prompt reply, "It's all I have to

The question whether dead bodies should be stolen for the benefit of surgical science, is said to be a GRAVE subject.

Sir William Draper claimed to be deseended from Pepin the French King, and traced the pedigree thus: Pepin, Pipkin, Napkia, Diaper, Draper.

Massa, one ob your oxen is dead toder too. 'Fraid to tell you of boff at ouce, for fear you couldn't bore it."

Up to snuff," is now rendered : Elevated to an equal capacity with the titiflating particles of the tobacco plant."

ny If 112 pounds make one hundred weight, how many will make your wife wait ?

As well might the farmer have the Venus de Medicis placed in his kitchen for a wife," says the Rev. Henry Coleman, in one of his agricultural lectures, "as some of our fashionable women. Indeed, it would be much better to have bot's wife standing there; for she might answer one useful pur-

pose-she might salt his bacon." A fellow who claimed acquaintance-ship with almost every jailer of the king-dom, went into a shop on Ludgate-hill to purchase some lace, when he told the shop-man that a piece that reached from one of his ears to the other would serve him. Having accordingly made the agreement with the man of tape, he began to measure observing "that one of his cars was nailed to the pillory ut Bristol." The so helestes

Well," said the Mrs. Partington of our diggins 'tother day to a friend, "aint it a pity that sich a nice old creetur as Gen. Taylor should take on so to drinking? The papers say he is always drunk first, and with all the honors, too. I guess that means that he gets very drunk. Dear me," said the old lady, as she wiped her spectacles, "aint it or-ful!"

GEN. TAYLOR'S CABINET. Jos. Gales, the veteran editor of the National Intelligencer, is spoken of by the Charleston News for a place in then Taylor's cabinet.

13 A young woman in Illinois, has given to the country 18 children in 10 years

Bulwer twenty novels. Telacue has risen in price, ewing, it is said, to increased consumption in France, Spain, and Italy

T. H. TOWNER, Afterney at Law, Sieplerestown, Jefferson Co., Virginia.

OFFICE one door West of his father's resi-GEORGE W. RANSON,

ATTORNEY AT LAW, HAS removed his Office to the building recent-He will attend the various Courts of Jefferson Berkeley, Prederick and Morgan Countes. Charlestown, Artil S. 1848-0.

JAMES MESHERRY. ATTORNEY AT LAW. Harpens Fenny, Jerkenson County, Vinginia,
PRACTISES in the County and Superior Courts
of Jederson, Berkeley, Morgan and Frederick

THE WILLOW HILL

BOARDING SCHOOL, ONE mile from Kerneysville, is in successful Operation, and presents to parents and guardians a healthful and pleasant location for their sons and wards. Young gentlemen preparing the College, or the learned professions, and particularly those in delicate health, will find few places more favorable for pursuing their studies. Terms \$60 per session, for boarding, tuition, &c. Tuition from \$5 to \$12 per session. The 2d Term will commence on Monday, Augus 14, 1818.

J. L. FRARY, Proprietar.

April 28, 1818-19

COAL AND WOOD STOVES.

Tin & Sheet Iron Manufactory. THE subscriber has just returned from Baltimore with a large and carefully selected as ortment the various styles and descriptions of

Parlor Wood and Coal Stoves, Ten Plate & Cooking do., All complete, and of the most approved patterns which he offers at prices less than ever before offered in this town. Also, on hand, a lot of COAL GRATES. with summer-pieces and brick complete. Those in want would do well to give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, as my arrangements are suc that I can procure, in a few days notice, any de-scription of Stoves not found among my present as

Tin and Sheet Iron Ware. Ou hand, a fine assortment of Tin and Sheet Iron work, which is offered at the lowest possible prices. Also, just received, a superior lot of Russia Iron and other kinds of material, which can be worked up at any time on more favorable terms ROOFING and SPOUTING done as usual, and on as good terms as can be procured any where in the Valley. letter in his mouth, when, after drawing up- Old Brass, Copper and Pewter taken in exchange F. W. RAWLINS. for work. Charlestown, Oct. 5, 1848-y

Cash for Negroes.

THE subscriber is anxious to purchase a large number of Negroes, of both seves, sound and likely. Persons having Negroes to dispose of, will find it to their interest to give him a call be ore selling, as he will pay the very highest cash prices.

He can be seen at the Berlieley Courts, at Martinsburg on the 2d Monday, and at Berryville of the 4th Monday in each month, and usually at his residence in Charlestown. All letters addressed to him will be promptly at-WM. CROW.

Charlestown, Feb. 12, 1818-tf. CANDY MANUFACTORY

FRUIT STORE, No. 20 Light street, (opposite Mercer,)

BALTIMORE, MD. THE undersigned, proprietor of the above es-

the public to his large assortment of CANDIES

numbering three hundred different patterns and flavors. The extensive arrangements which I have lately introduced into my manufacturing department enables me to afford every article in the CANDY LINE at prices which cannot fail to please. Every article manufactured is WARRANTED to be of the BEST QUALITY, and guaranteed to KEEP in any climate, and PACKED in the most CAREFUL MANNER.

My Fruit Department comprises every article in season of IMPORTED and DOMESTIC, GREEN, DRIED or PRESERVED, with a great variety of Jellies, Sauces, Catsups, Pickles, Preserves, Wines, Oils, Jujube Paste, Chocolate Drops, Chocolate Stick, Rock Candy, red, white and yellow, imported and domestic, together with every kind of NUTS, &c. Every attention paid to persons desirous

of examining my stock and prices.
All orders promptly attended to, and satisfac-IT All goods shipped free of charge. I JOS. R. MANN.

Great Luxury. I HAVE just received a supply of the most superior Tobacco ever offered in this market. Also

a large supply of the very richest and most superior Cigars. It would be useless to enumerate the differ-ent brands, as I am satisfied none such have ever appeared here. The taste of the most fastitious can be suited. Gall and try J. J. MILLER.

TAN cannot have his diseases cured but by re-No effect can take place without a cause. Theretore no Rugumarism can effect the head, the foot, or any part of the body, save from the actual presence of those humors whose acrid or peccant qualities No Bronchial Disease can be present, nor other Affections of the throat or windpipe or consumption, but from these malignant humors having become seated upon or near the air vessels of the lungs. It is in truth these acrid humors which are the oc-

casion of all the aches and pains, all Eruptions and Ulcers; all skin diseases and swellings of the feet, and all inflammations; all cancers and immors; all piles and costiveness; all fever and agues; all Dys peptic affections; all head-aches and billious affections peptic affections; all head-aches and minous affec-tions whatever. And all without exception, surely removable, and thoroughly curable, by purgation with the Pitts or Da, Bent, Brandsern. Brandreth's Pills are sold, with full directions, at 25 cents per box at 241 Hudson street, 271 Bowery, and at Dr. Brandreth's principal Office, 241 Broad-

> John N. Bell, Winchester. Smith & Brother, Berryville. Gibson & Harris,

A. M. Cridler, (Druggist,)
Harpers Ferry.

H. S. Forney, (Dauggist,)
Supports own. Charlestown. John W, Granthum, 10 Midleway.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.

Dec. 14, 1848 - 2mman to alime

HAVE just received the following sol add as-sortment of Books, for Christmas and New Year

Presents, viz:

The Gem of the Season;
Friendship's Offering for 1819;
Snow-flake; The Forget-me-not;
Christinas Roses; Christinas Blessoms;
The Caristian Keepsike; The Amarinth;
Paul and Virginia, it ustrated;
Vicat of Whatherd;
The Languise of Flowers—a splendid work;
Miniature Annuals, assorted;
Sacred Tablicus; Headley's Washington;
Book of Pearls; The Opal for 1815;
The Rose of Shoron;
Pilgrim's Progress, illustrated in Marocco & Gift;
Beautiful Toy Books for Children;
Leaflets of Memory—pretices flook of the season;
The Hwaciath The Pearl;
The Women of the Revolution.

Also—A large assortment of hardsome Bibles and Prayer Books, together with many other works all of which are offered cheap, by
Dec. 21.

E. P. Miller.

Just Received,

25 BOXES, had and quarter beges Ruisins;
10 bois prime Cheese;
10 bois Water, Soda and Sugar Grackers;
2 cases Pine Apple Cheese;
2 boxes Maccaroni;
10 bore superior Starch for sale i.w. A. J. A. MILLER:

Stoves, Stoves, Stoven WE have now in store a large assortment of 20 plain 9-plate, of different sizes, from 18 to 30 in. 20 plain 9-plate, of different sizes, from 10 to 30 in.
10 ornamented 9-plate, part with boiler tops,
30 parlor Air Tight, of all sizes and a great vaner of patterns, sonic very hands one.
15 Stewart, Vulcan, and Albany Cooking Stoves,
with furniture complete.

All of which we offer at much lower pages than

they have heretofore been sold in this market.

Nov. 30. BAKERS & RHOWN. Coffee and Tea. 350 BAGS green Rio Corree, part strong 50 Bags Old Government Java do. 20 do do White Rio and la do

15 do Green Laguayra do. 10 Half Chests G. P. and Imperial Tea.

4 do do Young Hyson do. For sale, at reduced prices, by Nov. 30. BAKERS & BROWN. Maisins, Crackers and Cheese. 20 BOXES and half boxes fresh buner Raisins 20 10 Bbls. Water, Sugar and Soda Crackers. 20 Bores Maishall's and Harrison's Cheek. Nov. 30. BAKERS & BROWN.

Sala and Plaster. Vious large stock,
230 Sacks fine Salt, part Ashton's.
450 do G. A. do, jarge size. TE are just receiving, in addition to our pre-200 Tons A. S. Plaster. Nov. 30. SMEH BAKERS & BROWN.

Salt, Salt. 300 SACKS fine Salt; 300 do. Ground Alum do.; all very fine and in nice order, now rewinchester Depot, Nov. 30, 1848. SHTON FINE SALT .- 250 Sacks Ashton A fine Salt, for sale by WOOD & DANNER.

Merrings. SEVERAL barrels of superior Herrings which must be sold soon. Also, Mackerel, Nov. 30. J. K. WOODS & CO. ANDLES .- 50 Boxes Sperm, Ademantine Nov. 30. J. M. M. L. ER.

Winchester, Nov. 30, 1818.

THE "GREET HOUSE," THE undersigned looking to the comfort of the A citizens of Harpers-Ferry, and those visiting the place, has fitted up an EATING HOUSE in the most comfortable and genteel style on High Street, next door to Mr. G. W. Cutshaws, where

Oysters in every variety, Either fried, roasted, or stewed-together with every other article in season: His Bar is supplied with the choicest kinds of LIQUORS. Those wishing to enjoy themselves in his line, can do so in great comfort, as every effort will be used to make the

Green House' an agreeable resort. Nov. 23, 1848. TRO.N. FIGO.V. WE have just received a large and complete as sorument of HUGHES' IRON, viz: Tires of all sizes, Plough Irons, Bolt Pins and Plates, Pump Handles, Sledge and Mattock Moulds. H. S. Bars, Scollop and Band Iron; all sizes of Round and Square Iron, Nail Rods, &c., together with a large quantity of Baltimore Iron, on hand, which makes our assortment more complete than it ever has been; to which the attention of Blacksmiths

is invited before purchasing elsewhere, as we are de-termined not to be beaten in assortment or price. Nov. 23, 1848. T. G. RAWLINS & CO. TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY virtue of a deed of trust, executed by Jacob Myers and wife, to the undersigned, dated or the 14th of February, 1839, recorded in the office of the County Court of Jefferson County, Virginia and for the purposes therein contained, I shall offer for sale, on FRIDAY, December 22d, 1848, before the Court-House door in Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia, the following real estate, viz:

The Tract of Land, Upon which the widow of the said Myers now resides, containing about 212 ACRES, lying upon the eastern side of the Shenandoah River, and opposite eastern side of the Shenandoah River, and opposite the said Myers now resident to the said Myers now r site the lands of John C. R. Taylor, Logan Osborn TERMS.-Cash. I will make such title to the purchaser as is vest d in me by the said deed of trust.

GEORGE W. HAMMOND, Trustee.

Virginia, Jefferson County, Sct. At a Court continued and held for said County, on the 21st day of November, 1818-Elizabeth Brantner and George W. Brontner, an in-fant, suing by his next friend Elizabeth Brantner,

PLANTIES PLANTIES Wm. P. Rowles, John Quincy January, and Joseph ine Janney, children of Mary Ann Rowles, George W. Rowles, Minerva McClatchy, John J. Rowles IN CHANCERY, DEFTS., and Thomas A. Rorcles, THE Defendants, Win. P. Rowles, George W. A. Rowles, Minerva McClatchy, John J. Rowles, and Thomes A. Rowles, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the Act of Assembly and the Rules of this Court, and it appearing by satisfactory evidence, that they are not inhabitants of this Commonwealth, it is ordered, that the said defendants do appear here on the first day of the next February Term of this Court, and answer the Bill of the Plaintiffs, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in some newspaper published in this county, for two months succes sively, and posted at the front door of the Courthouse of this county. A Copy—Teste, T. A. MOORE, Clerk.

Nov. 30, 1848. AVACVATAL Virginia, Jefferson County, Sct.

IN THE COUNTY COURT, NOVEMBER TERM, 1848. O'N the motion of George W. Cookus & Eliza-beth H. his wife, (late Elizabeth Hortensia Bear) a rule is awarded against Samuel Hess, requiring him to settle his accounts as Guardian of said Elizabeth Hortensia, returnable to January Term next (1849)-and it appearing to the satisfac tion of the Court, that said Samuel Hess is not an inhabitant of Virginia, it is or level that notice of this rule be published in the "Charlestown Free Press" for eight weeks.

A Copy Teste—
T. A. MOORE, Clark.

Important to Housekeepers.

THE subscribers, agents for the Philadelphia Pekin Tea Company, have just received a full assortiment of their celebrated packed TEAS. All housekeepers know how difficult it is to obtain good. Teas at fair prices. But the great facilities of this Company enable them to place in the hands of their agents, the choicest article, at prices which cannot fail to sustain the high character already attained by them; and if they should not suit, you have only to return them and get your money retained. Nov. 30, 1818. CRANE & BROWN.

New Fall and Winter Goods.

AM now receiving and opening a very large and splendid assortment of SEASONABLE GOODS. embracing almost every article in the Staple and Fancy Dry Goods line, as well as a very general assortment of Gooceries, Hardware, Queensware, as I Wooden Ware. Also, the largest and cheapest a sortment of BOOTS 4 SHOES ever affered— My friends customers, and the public generally, are respectfully invited to give me an early call.-I can and will sell guods as the an for case, or to punctual customers on credit, as they can be bought in this town or in the county.

Oct. 12.

WM. S. LOCK.

CTTT HOTEL, ALEXANDRIA VA THIS commedies and well known House has been newly furnished and put in thorough repair, and from the subscriber's experience in the business, he hopes to be able to give satisfaction to all who may patronize him. He is now prepared for the reception of TRAVELLERS and BOARD-ERS. Large and commodious STABLES are attached to the House, and careful and attentive Ostlers are employed, where house will be reserved at all times, and attended to.

D. B. WINCH, Purprietor.

Alexandria, May 5, 1848.

Canfield, Brother & Co., MPORTERS, Manufacturers and Dealers WATCHES, PANE 18 TELRY SILVER & PLATED WARE. Lamps, Military and Paner Goods 221 BillimoreSt. (Cirior Carles S.) B Milian IRA C. CANFIELD, Baltimore, Sept. 28, 1845. 3m.

Cash Store and Cash Valy!

BARGAIUS, BARGAIES. NEED not tell you what I have on hand, all of you, citizens and countrymen. Here is the place to obtain all kinds of merchandize. My stock is entirely too large to enumerate; come one, come all, and see before buying elsewhere, as I intend to sell to every castomer who will favor me with a call. If I don't get my price, we will meet half way, in all cases; if that won't do, I will sell any how, if I can, so that I get the cash. I can to more than a credit store, as you all can judge for yourselves, for I am enabled to sell at one; one-half, or less profit for eash, as I expect to lose nothing by crediting goods out to pay day, six and eighteen months, and then lose it. So here goes, citizens, for a cash system, as one half the usual profit, or else at cost. Come! come one and all, and buy, citi-

zens, and save money to buy more goods with. This store is found on Hotel Square, near the Po tomac Bridge, Harpers-Perry. I have an entire new stock, just received and opened. JACOB NISSWANER. Harpers-Ferry, Sept. 21, 1847.--tf. Boot and Shoe Making.

PHE undersigned has opened at the Western

ent of Charlestown, in the shop formerly occu-

ied by Joshua L. Deaver, a BOOT & SHOE FAOUOET, Where he will at all times be prepared to execute orders in his line. Particular attention will be given to the manufacture of GENTLEMEN'S BOOTS, and those who may favor him with their custom, may rest assured of a neat fit, substantial work and good materials. All descriptions o coarse work will be executed at short notice, and on the most reasonable terms.

A share of the public's patronage is respectfully solicited, and the most untiring efforts will be used to render satisfaction. Charlestown, Sept. 21, 1848.—3m.

Randolph & Latimer, OFFER their services to the Farmers, Millers and Merchants of Jefferson County, as Commission Agents

FOR THE BALE OF Flour & other kinds Country Produce. WAREHOUSE-No. 8 Patterson Street, BALTIMORE.

REFERENCES :- Thomas Rutherford, Samuel Ca-

neron, Richard Duffield. Baltimore, Sept. 14, 1848-6m*\$5. Goods, Now Goods ! ern Markets with a large and splendid assort Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings

and Sattinets. Which has been laid in with great care, and comprise the choice of the Philadelphia and Baltimore Markets, which he is now selling at prices so reduced that they will have to be seen to be believed. His stock consists as follows: CLOTHS .- 30 pieces of Dress Cloths, various colors, at prices ranging from \$1 to \$10 per yard. CASSIMERES .- 60 pieces of Plain and Fancy Cassimere, at prices varying from 62 cts. to \$3 per VESTINGS .- 60 different patterns of Fall and Winter Vesting, Plain and Pancy, from 50 cents to

SATTINETS .- 20 pieces of Plain and Fancy Sattinets, at prices varying from 20 cents to \$1 per Also-A large and general assortment of Trimmings of latestest styles, and best materials. Ready-made Clothing. The subscriber would most respectfully call the ttention of the public to his large and extensive assortment of Ready-made Clothing, consisting o Cloaks, Over Coats, Body Coats, Frock Coats, Sat tinet and Tweed Coats. Cloth, Cassimere, Sattin et and other Pants. Fancy and Plain Vests o

Cloth, Cassimere, Sattin, plain and fancy Merino and other Vests. BOYS COATS AND PANTS. A handsome assortment Shirts, Bosoms, Collars, Stocks, Cravats, Pocket Hdkfs., Drawers, Gloves, Socks, Suspenders, and every other article usually kept in a Merchant Tailor and Ready-made Clothing Establishment. WM. J. STEPHENS. Harpers-Ferry, Sept 14, 1848.

N. B. The better to enable me to compete in prices with my Jew friends, in the Clothing trade, 1 will here give notice that my terms are cash. I ask

a call from those who wish to purchase clothing, and I pledge myself not to be beaten by Jew o Gentile. W. J. S. Limit off and Prices lower. THE subscribers would respectfully announce to

the citizens of Harpers-Ferry and vicinity that they are now getting their Fall and Winter stock New and Fashionable Clothing. ware of the pressure they are now prepared and will sell clothing lower than was ever offered in the Valley of Virginia. Come and examine our stock before you buy, and save something. Being connected with a large Clothing Emporium in one of our Eastern Cities, they shall consequently have all the latest patterns and styles. Their stock at present consists in part of Cloths, Oassimeres and Tweeds, Coats of business, frock and dress patterns; Cloth, Cassimere, Satinettandother Pants, of new fashionable goods, Satin, Silk, Cashmere, Marseilles, Cloth and a'l kinds of Vests and of every price. Stocks, Scarls, Cravats, Pocket Handkerchiefs, Shirts, Collars. Drawers, under Shirts, and in fact every thing to be found in a gentleman's Fashionable Clothing A fresh supply of fashionable Hats, Caps, fancy Boots, Carpet Bags, Trunks, &c., &c. A small stock of elegant Cloaks, lined and faced Overcoats, Bangups, Sacks, &c., &c. Come give them a call and they'll warrant you are pleased with their stock and prices. This is your place as they are determined to sell lower than

JOHN WALTER & BRO. Harpers-Ferry, Sept. 14, 1848. 8300331830033 Atwood's Patent Improved Empire Hot Air Cooking Stoves,

any one else can.

FOR WOOD OR COAL Tell's Slove has now been in use, in all sections of the country, for upwards of five years, and in every instance has given universal satisfaction in all its departments. For economy and utility it is superior to any Stove that has yet been offered to the public. The following is a list of prices, which will enable those who do not visit the city, to order by letter. Persons ordering in this way can have as good an article sent them as if they were present:
A'mood's Patent Improved Empire, with fixtures complete, No. 3, \$25-No. 4, \$30-No. 5, \$32-No. Kitchen Companion, with faxtures complete, No. 1 \$12-No. 2, \$15-No. 3, \$17-No. 4, \$20. Cast Iran Air-Tight Partor Store, No. 1, \$4,59-No. 2, \$5-No. 3, \$6-No. 4, \$7-No. 5, \$8-No. Also, a select assortment of Stoves in general use,

which are offered at very reduced prices.

EDWARD HAGTHROP,

No. 32, Light Street, Ballimore, Mi. THE FAIR SEX
SHOULD pay intention to the following:

Howe's Vertable Pills, for Purifying the Blood.
For fermies these pills are most truly excellent, removing all obstructions, the distressing hendache so very prevalent with the sex; depression of spirits, dullness of sight, nervous affections, blotches, pimples and sallowness of the skin, angive a healthy and juvenile bloom to the complexion. Price 25 cents per box.

HANCE S. Compound Syrap of Hoarhound, for Coughs, Colds, Spitting of Blood, Consnumption, 4c., is now so well established that it is only accessarie to state where it can be obtained.

The above are for sale by South S. Hance, 108 Baitimore street, Biltimore. Also, by

T. M. FLINT, Charlestown;

A. M. GRIDLER Harpers-Ferry;

H. S. FORNEY, Shephendstown;

DORSET 4, HOWLY, Winchester.

November 9, 1818—19

dance's Saraparilla Vegetable or Blood Pills for Parifying the Blood,

Removing bile, correcting all disorders of the

Removing bear, to Persons of a full habit,
who are subject to hardache, fiddiness, discourses, and
singing in the ears, arising from too great a flow of
blood to the head, should acver be without them, as
many dangerous symptoms will be entirely carried off
by their immediate use.

Alagnas est veritas, et Prevalebit.

THE moniships viriae at Hance's Compound
A Syrip of Lathound, in relieving Coughs.
Colds Hoar ess Spitting of Blood, Plearing Croups,
Whose in Cough and Consamption, need only to be
tested to be fully established. A triad of a shape botlewill crootines the sufferer more of its good effect
than all that could be written in a month. Price 50 etc.
For sale by SETH & HANGE, 108 Bartimore street,
Baltimore, Also, by

TM CATPLER, Harpers Forty;

DORSEY & MOWLY, Winduster.

November 9, 1888)

Look to Your Interests. THE subscriber has just received from the Eas-Ready Made Clothing, viz: Gent's Fine Cloth Cloaks from \$10 00 to 20 00

8 00 to 12 00 Frock and Dress Coats, Over Coats, Cassinest and Tweed Coats, 4 00 to 10 00 2 50 to 3 00 Cassimere Pants, 2 00 to 4 00 Cassinet " " 1 00 to 2 50 Fine Satin Vests, 122 Gassinet, Cassimeres, and other 1 25 to 3 50 Vests, 75 to 200
Also a variety of Shirts, Drawers, Handkerchiets,
Suspenders, and every other article usually kept in
a Clothing Store, which will be sold low for cash.—

Persons wishing to purchase, and will give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, will find it greatly to their advantage, as I am determined not to be beat. I returning succerethanks to the people of Harpers-Ferry and vicinity, for their very liberal patronage I have received, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, as I pledge myself there shall be nothing lost on my part to give general satisfaction both in goods and prices. both in goods and prices.

This Establishment may be found between Carroll's and Wagers DAVID SIEGLE.

Harpers-Ferry, Sept. 28, 1848.—3m.

Harness Manufactory. JOHN BROOK would respectfully call the attention of the public to his fine assortment of SAIDGERS, BRIDERS

Marness and Trunks, Together with every other article in his line of business, which have been manufactured out of the choicest material, and will be sold on the most reasonable terms. His work is all made up by experienced hands, and he feels assured cannot be sur passed in point of beauty and durability, by any establishment in this region of country.

He has on hand a lot of COLLARS, warranted to be of as good a quality as ever offered in this He refers these who have never patronised him

and who may be really desirous of procuring durable and beautiful work to his host of customers in this and the surrounding counties, and on their award he is willing to risk his mechanical reputa-Le Orders from a distance will be punctually filled, and on as good terms as though the purchaset His grateful thanks are rendered to those who have stood by and given him their generous patronage under every circumstance. If increased exertion to please be a merit at all, then will he confidently calculate on their favors hereafter, as no ef-

Charlestown, Nov. 2, 1848, MEETEESON FARM

W. J. Hawks' Coach Factory.

FOR SALE THE subscriber being desirous of removing to the West, offers for sale THE FARM on which he resides, situated seven miles West of Charlestown, (the seat of Justice for Jefferson County, Va.,) within one and a-half miles of Smithfield, r the Winchester and Potomac Rail Road and the Smithfield and Harpers-Ferry Turapike, bounded on the East and West by public roads, Containing 215 Acres Limestone Land, about one helf cleared and in a good state of cultivation, with abundant resources for its further improvement, available at very little expense. The greater part of the WOODLAND, (about 108 Acres Vis enclosed for pasturage; the timber consists principally of each and bickery, with a sufficiency of

locust, cedar and wild cherry. The improvements consist of a substantial and Commodious Dwelling. A good Barn, with stabling sufficient for 20 head of horses, and all other buildings necessary to have on a farm; a large Cistern at the door, and a never- cases and cartoons of failing Well of water. Also, Pools which sapply all the stock on the farm, at all seasons of the year. There are also TWO ORCHARDS of choice Fruit, in full bearing, of all kinds. In every respect this property combines the requirements of a comfortable residence, with a well improved and productive farm. It is offered for sale upon the most liberal terms, both as to price and time of payment, For further particulars either apply to the subscriber, (personally,) or by letter, addressed to him near Middleway, Jefferson county, Va. GEORGE HIETT.

Nov. 2, 1818-1f. Valuable FARM for Sale.

HE undersigned, Trustees of the estate of William C. Walton, deceased, offer, at private sale, the very valuable FARM known by the name of "BETHANY," seven miles south of Charlestown, Jefferson county, Virginia, joining the farms of H. L. Opie and Mrs, Lewis, and lying immediately on the west bank of the Shenandoah river. There are two good springs of never-failing water, a good brick Dwelling Honse and Out-buildings. This farm is remarkable for its adaptation to the growth of wheat, corn, clover, &c., and is one of the most beautiful on the river. There are two hundred and eighty acres of cleared Land, and one hundred and forty seven well Timbered, making in all 427 acres. Persons wishing to purchase can view to e premises by calling on Mr. George Harris, the present oc-

Application for purchasing may be made to Mr. Robert Jamieson of Alexandria, Va., and to John T. Hargrave, Shepherdstown Jefferson, county, Va., either personally or by letter, post paid. ROBERT JAMIESON. JOHN T. HARGRAVE,

June 15, 1848,-tf. Valuable Town Property (In the town of Shepherdstown,)

FOR SALE. THE undersigned will sell at private sale, TWO HOUSES & LOTS on the Main Street, in the town of Shepherdstown, now in the occupancy of James Shepherdure The two lots are adjoining, and upon one is A Comfortable Dwelling,

With all Ont-buildings, and a number of the choice est Fruit Trees. And on the other is a large CABI-NET SHOP, which can be used for that purpose, or converted into a fine store or school-room. The erms, which will be easy, will be made known by application to either of the undersigned. Possession given on the first day of April, 1848. WM. SHORTT. WM. B. THOMPSON. Oct. 27, 1817-tf.

Blankets, Blankets. HEAVY twilled Negro Blankets, all sizes and prices, for sale by CRANE & BROWN. HAGERSTOWN ALMANACS for 1849 for Sale by CRANE & BROWN.
Nov. 30, 1848.

WANTED-200 Bushels of good Potatoes.
Any quantity of Dried Peaches & Apples, W HIPS.—Just received, a large lot of very su perior Riding, Carriage, and Buggy Whips perior Riding, Carriage, and Buggy Whips

vhich I can sell very cheap. Some good Riding Whips as low as 121 cents. E. P. MILLER. Hardware.

Butcher Knives, Pocket and Pen Knives, Scissors, Razors, Pad-locks, Chest and Cupboard Locks, Stock Locks, Parent Rim Locks with Porcelain Knobs, Drop and Thumb Latches, Snuffers, Pocket Steelyards, Hinges, Screws, Waiters and Trays, and lestick, Spinous, Waite Irans, Carry Combs, rass-handled Poyers, Code: Mills, Sal Irons, rought and cut Nails, Hatchets, &c. &c. Oct 12. JK WOODS & C).

GREATEST WONDERS OF THE AGE THE cheapest goods, beyond a doubs, that have ever been offered in this market, have just arrived from Baltimore, and are now being opened at the store of the subscribers.

LADIES' DRESS GOODS, of every variety,

25 pieces A pacca and Mohair Cloths; 20 " Super Cashmeres, very cheap; 200 " American, British and French Prints; French Merinos, Silk Dress Goods;
4-4 Black Silk, for Visites.
Hosiery for ladies, boys, girls and infants;
Super Alpacea Hose, only 50 cents;
Shawls from 37 cents to \$18;
Thread Laces only 12 cents;
Red, Yellew, and White Flannels, 19 to 25c;
Black Cooth 5-1 wide, \$1,25; Super Sattinets, 50 cents;
Super Sattinets, 50 cents;
Trimmings for Visites, L. C. Hakis, 12c; &c. &c.
We have only time to mention the above, and solicit a call from all who want good bargains.

ROBINSON & HOLLAND.

Earpers-Ferry, Oct. 5, 1818.

TOUVERT K KESTOLES - TOT DOLL W E are now receiving a large lot of Stoves, both for Wood and Coal. Also, Cooking Stoves, (Kitchen Companion) and Grates; all of which we will sell much lower than ever before offered in this place.

T. G. RAWLINS & CO. ALEXANDBIA, VIRGINIA, September, 1848.

McVEIGH, BROTHER & CO. RESPECTIVILLY announce to their enstoners and dealers generally the arrival by packets 'Farewell" and "Washington," direct from New York and Boston, of their regular Fall Stock of

GROOKRIKS. Boots, Shees, Mats, Caps, &c. Consisting, in part, as follows, viz: S5 hhds prime P R, N O, St & Croix Sugars
68 boxes double and single refined Loni Sugar
80 bhis 2nd quality do do
30 boxes Brown and While Havana do

25 bags Brazil do
40 bhis fine and coarse crush'il and pulverized do
375 bags atrong Green Rio, Merricabo, Argostura and
St Domingo Coffee
105 bags Porto Rico, Laguyra, and Cuba Coffee, 55 bags Old Gov Java, very prime Coffee 115 faces Porte Rico, Cuba, Muscovada, Mobieses 5 hads Steward Sugar House Syrap, for table use.
5 hads Steward Sugar House Syrap, for table use.
75 chests and half chests prime Gun'r and lang Teas
Young Hyson and Pouchong extra
25 quarter chests extra quality for family use do
95 boxes Mould, Sperm, Ada'tine and Dipped Candles
10 tierces fresh Rice;
130 hoves Rosin Sann Mide Carth

130 boxes Rosin Sorp, 25 do Castile 35 do varietated, Bar, Almond and Rose Soap 70 boxes Cheese—60 boxes Chocolate, and Starch
25 bales Almonds, Fifberts, and English Walnuts
25 boxes Roca Candy—10 cases Preserved Ginger
25 baskets Salad, and S0 boxes Castor Oil,
35 kegs Garrett's Scotch Snuii—5 bbls Bladder do
15 jars Roppee Snuii.

boxes 5's and 5's Roscoe and Bell's, Tabacco 105 12's, 14's and 16's boxes Hare's celebrated band of Cav.

boxes sun cured and 25 boxes Cobb's 15000 La Norma and Plantation SEGARS 20000 Cazadora and Principe 10000 Regalia and Congress 25000 Half Spanish 75000 American

110 reams Nos. 1 and 2 Ruled Cap Paper 135 reams do do Letter Paper 55 reams do Plain Letter and Cap Paper 475 reams do double and single Wrapping Paper S0 reams do do do Tea 1,000 sucks Fine and Ground Alum Salt 0 barrels Family Shad and Herring 75 do No 3 Mackeml—5 casks Coppens 60 kegs Madder and Salt Petre 25 barrels chipped Logwood—2,000 lbs for Lead 175 kegs Alum, Indigo, Brimstone and Salaratus 125 kegs White Lead, No 1 and extra 30 casks pure Linseed Oil-44 do Lamp Oil do Train and Whale Oil-5 cask Putty in Bladders 150 boxes 8 by 10 and 10 by 12 Glass 25 bbls Lamp Black-175 boxes German Pipes fort will be spared on his part. Call around 500 dozen Mason's and Blake's Box Blacking and see me, inswediately in the rear of the Court 100 Demijohns, 1. 2, 3, 4 and 5 gallons 125 dozen-painted fluckets—75 dozen Corn Brooms House, in one of the buildings connected with Mr. 80 nests Iron-bound Tubs - 100 Hingham Boxes 90 dox bottles David's Black Ink - 2000 fbs Bar Lead 50 bags Pepper and Pimento—25 boxes gd Pepper 55 boxes Sanger's Mustaid 75 bags Hazzard's Sporting Powder—2 kegs Blast, do 275 bags Shot assorted No's

50 coils Bed Cords and Leading Lines 200 lbs Nutmegs—1°0 lbs Mace 75 doz Leading Lines and Bed · ords 15 bbls Epsom Saits-40 kegs Race and Gro Ginger 25 hoxes Maccaroni-80 mats Cinnamon 275 lbs Cloves - 5 casks old Madeira WINE 30 do Sweet Malaga 45 do Lisbon, Sicily and F Madeira do 25 baskets Champagne, Anchor and other Wine

choice brands 40 tierces pure Cider Vinegar 15 casks Cinnamon and Peppermint Cordial— To which they invite the attention of their castomers and dealers generally. Having been purchased on the best term- they are prepared to offer great inducements in the way of bargains, and invite all who are in pursuit of cheap and desirable goods to give them a call. Their steek of

Boots, Shoes, Mats, Caps, &c. Is unusually large and well selected, consisting of 1,050 Men's, Boys' and Youths' Thick Boots Do do do Kip, Caif and Scal do Men's thick Brogans-Navy and Plantation do Men's Kip and Calf Brogans .- Boys' and Youths' do Women's Morocco and Kid Welt Buskins do do do Ties Ladies' extra fine Kid and Morocco Buskins and Ties, Gaiter Boots, do Buskins Leather Boots, Buskins and Ties, low priced Kid and Morocco Slippers Misses' Leather, Kid. and Morocco Welt and Slips Men's, Women's Misses' and Children's Gum Shoes, i

great variety
175 cases Hats and Caps, comprising Russia, Silk, Beaver, Angola, Drab and Black Wool, with a great variety of Fur and Coth Caps. 162 Hair Trunks, assorted sizes 1500 lbs Shoe Thread, assorted No's, Having the advantage of a purchaser in New England, thoroughly acquainted with the markets, and unsurpassed in his knowledge in Shoes, the undersigned are enabled to avail themselves of every decline in prices, and have in their present stock this inducement unusually low, and every thing seeming to add to the many inducements to our markets. They therefore invite all in pursuit of bargains to call as they are de-

teamined to sell at a small advance, and on the most accommodating terms. McVEIGH, BRO. 4 CO., Princes Street Wharf. Alexandria, Va. Sept. 28, 1848, Hats. Caps. and Fancy Furs. J. L. MCPHAIL & BROTHER,

132 Baltimore Street, MANUFACTURERS & DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF Hats, Caps and Fancy Furs, YALL the attention of Country Merchants and others to their large and general assortment of the above named articles, consisting, in part of Fashionable Beaver and Nutria Hats. Plaint to standon il anti do lo do a mini

Fashionable Brush and Russia do Fashionable Cassimere and Silk do Plain Also, Slouch Hats, various styles and colors, Black, White, and Drab Wool Hats, a superior ar-CAPS.

A general assortment of every style and material. FANCY FURS. A large and general assortment, consisting of London Lustred Lynx Mufts, Victorines and Boas. Brown and Stone Martin do do Dark and Light Fitch do do Light Lynx and Sable do Black and Natural Jenet do do Swansdown and Ermine eo do Also a full assortment of Coney and other low price Muffs, Children's Muffs, Fur Gloves and Foot Comforters. All of which will be sold on the most reasonable terms, and a liberal discount allowed for cash. Hatters visiting the city can always find at our establishment a good assortment of Hats in the

rough, at very low prices. Baltimore, Sept. 28, 1848. FOUNTAIN HOTEL, FORMERLY BELTZHOOVER'S FOUNTAIN INN, Light Street, Baltimore, Md. MO Western and Southern Merchants, and the Travelling community in general. The un-ersigned having obtained the exclusive control of this well known Hotel, has at a great expense, made very extensive additions and improvements, wherehe is now enabled to accommodate his guests with comforts and conveniences not to be surpassed THE subscribers have just received the following by any House in this City, and he hopes to continue to receive the patronage that has heretofore been so his friends that his best exertions shall always be used to render his House cheerful and comfortable

P. THURSTON. Baltimore, Sept. 28, 1818-Gra T. W. & R. C. SMITH. FOUNDERS AND MACHINISTS,
Alexandria, Virginia, EXECUTE orders for high and low pressure

Sheet Iron work, Mushinery of all kinds, Mill Work both wrought and cast, Soop Boilers, and all other Keitles and Pens, Bellsof all sizes, Ornamental Ruil-Rettler and Pens, Bellsof all sizes, Ornamental Railing both wrought and cast.

They keep on hand, and for sale, McCormick, Stewart, Freeborne and Davis PLOUGH CAST-INGS, Spont Snoes and Sash Waights for builders; Fire Brick of superior quality, English refined bar and American Bar Iron, best quality.

The valuable assurment of Graving Patterns, owned by them, offers a great inducement to persons about execting or repairing Mills to give them a call, as they pledge themselves to furnish Castings, &c. for Milis and other purposes, of as good a quality and on as reasonable terms as can be obtained in any section of the country. Printed lists of their Gearlag patterns will be furnished on application by mail.

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N. B. The great saving in transportation via Canal, adds to the many inducements which we are offering to those disposed to patronize our establishment.

T. W. & R. C. S.

Alexandria, Sept. 14, 1848. OR SALE A very superior quality Timothy Seed;
Stone Jars of all sizes;
Hams of very superior quality;
10 Bhis Not Herrings;
1,500 Pounds heavy Side and Shoulders,
Sept 13.

J. MILLER.

S ALT. Just received, a lot of superior Ground Aluman't Fine Sale P. DUNNINGTON. Baltimore & Ohio Rail Road, Sept. 7.



Frederick Female Seminary WILL be resumed on MONDAY, September W the 4th.

This Institution, both in the Preparatory and Cobellegiate Departments, was never in a mere present erous condition integrate vibrations The course of instruction embraces all the branchs, useful and ornamental, of a thorough and extenes, useful and ordamental, of a morough and extensive. Female education, and no pains has been spared in precaring an able and efficient faculty, and competent Tutors.

Ample arrangements have been made in the Seminary for the accommodation of from forty to fifty Boarding scholars. The dormitories consist of separate rooms twelve feet by eighteen, handsomely fitted up with entirely new Carpets, Beds, Bedding, &c.

The price of Board and Tuition in all the branch-

s required for a Diploma, including furnished rooms, fuel, lights, washing, &c., \$200 per scholastic year, payable half yearly in odrance, GIDEON BANTZ, 1 3 3 3 1 DAVID BOYD. CHRISTIAN STEINER. G. M. EICHELBERGER August 17, 1818. REFERENCES. H. N. GALLAHER, J. J. SANBORN. Charlestown,

Dr. B. E. McMurrris, Potomac Furnace Maj. BENJ. MOOR, Harpers-Ferry. Circulars may be had at the "Free Press" Office.



No. 30, Light Street, Baltimore, TAS on hand and intends keeping during the 1 ensuing Fall, one of the largest and most SE-LECT STOCKS OF STOVES that can be found in this or any other city. He invites those who want Stoves to visit his establishment, where they can select from a great variety of every principle and style, just such as are suited to their wants, and at prices that cannot be objected to.

The following is the list of prices for this year: No. 1 Kitchen Companion, with all the fixtures complete, taking 18 inch wood, \$13.00 No.2 do do 20 " " No.3 do do 22 " a 15 00 17 00 do do 21 " " 20 00 do 26 4 4 do 25 00 1st size east Air Tight Parlor Stove, 16 inch wood, do 20 do 6 50 5th do do do 27 do 10 50 He has a variety of Stoves for wood or coal, suitable for School or Meeting Houses, and when sold for such purposes, a liberal deduction will be made. Persons not visiting the city can order per let-

ter, and will have as good an article sent as hough they were present. Address JACOB FUSSELL, JR., No. 30 Light Street, Baltimore Angust 17, 1848-tim.

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Marden's Patent Improved Platform

and Counter Scales. Manufactory Corner of South Charles and Bolone ston Streets, Boltimore. A LL persons in want of Weighing Apparates that is desirable, correct and cheap, can be supplied at my ness. I warrant every aftiele manufactured, equal, it. not superior, to any others in this country, and at prices to low that every purchaser shall be satisfied. Beams and Platforms, from the heaviest tonnage to the most minute Goldand Assayer's Balance

Country Merchants, are particularly invited eall and examine for thems which shall be attended to with despatch.

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Baltimore, March 25, 1848-1v. Forwarding & Commission Business.

THE undersigned having erected a large Ware-House, is now prepared to forward Flour and other Produce at the shortest notice to Georgetown and Alexandria. His Boats are constantly running between Harpers-Ferry and Alexandria, and persons having Produce or Merchandize to boat, would do well to give him a call. Having been engaged in this business for the last 10 or 12 years, he offers his past conduct as a guarantee for inture fidelity. He respectfully invites a call from the public.

Harpers-Ferry, May 11, 1818 v Another Miraculous Cure. DEAD the following letter, and then, if you L are troubled with any disease of the lung,

go and get a bottle of DR. HASTINGS COMPOUND SYRUP of NAPTHAST. Johnsville, New York, Feb. 5. 18/8
Mr. Harrison: Sir—I will trouble your patience a
few minutes by informing you of the great triumph
which your Naptha Syrup has obtained in the case of
my brother. He increased the dose as you directed,
and the result was that he began to raise very freely,
and it scented so badly that it was impossible to stay
in the room where he was, on the fifth day after the increase of the dose. In a day or so after, he began to
get befter, and at this present time is quite revived, has
a good appetite, and goo't cough a quarter as much as
he did previously. A severe cough and immense as
pectoration were the prominent symptoms of the diacase. I think his case was a singular one; none of the
physiciaus here had ever heard or seen any thing of the
kind before. I mention all these particulars, as I am
firm in the belief that, had it not been for the Naptha
Syrup, he could have expected rothing but a speedy
grave, as there was an immense number of tubercles
formed on his lungs, which the medicine fook immediate hold of, and in a few days he threw them up by the DR. HASTINGS' COMPOUND SYRUP OF NAPTHA. liberally bestowed on this Establishment, assuring ate hold of, and in a few days he threw them up by the he improves as fast as he has done, I do not think the he improves as fast as he has done, I do not think the
he will need any more than the six bottles I now send
for. Enclosed are live dollars. Direct the box as before
to Jonas Suell. Care of Charles Kingshand, Railmore
Bepot. Yours respectfully. JONAS GNEEL.
After reading the above, who can doubt that Hast,
ings' Naptha Symp possesses all the virtue that is clamed for it. Er For sale by
JOHN P. BROWN, Charlestown
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October 12, 1818—1y

For Coughs and Colds

USE Hance's Compound Syrup of Hoarhound; for Dyspepsia Liver Complaint Impure Blood, Costsveness, or Singing in the Ears, use his Sarsaparilla or Blood Pills, and for Hoarseness, Sere Threat, or slight cold, try Hance's Hoarhound Candy.

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If Hance's Compound Syrap of Hearhound is unless the first appearance of a Cough, if will immediately cure it, and save the sufferer from an untimely grave price 50 cents per bottle, or \$2,50 for six bottles. Hance's Sarsaparilla or Blood Pills POR Purifying the Blood and curing Dyspensia.

A few doses of these Pills, taken as evacuate the bowels freely, and then regulated so as to keep to bowels slightly open, will enter the worst cases of Dependa. Price 15 cents per box.

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