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EXCHANGE BANK OF SELDEN, WITHERS & CO., WASHINGTON, D. C.

they have formed a co parinership to transact a general Banking and Exchange business in this city, under the firm of SELDEN, WITHERS & CO., and are prepared to deal in. Poreign and Domestic Exchanges, Time-Bills, Pro-

missory No es, Certificates of Deposite, Letters of Credit, Bank Notes and Coin. We undersake to make collections and promptly ternit the proceeds to any designed point within or without the Union.

Mr. William Selbes, a member of the firm, and for many years past, the Treasurer of the United States, will give his careful personal attention to all mancial business which we may be employed to cransact with any of the Departments of the Govern-

The business which our employers may require us to transact, will be conducted with fidelity and promptitude, and soon the most reasonable terms.
WILLIAM SELDEN, Late Treasurer of the U.S.

Of Alexandria, Va. R. W. LATHAM, Of Washington, D. C. L. P. BAYNE,

Of Ballimore, M.J. Washington, Dec. 6, 1850 .- if

National Loan Fund Life Assurance Society of London.

General Agent's Office, 71 Wall street, ? New York, November 11, 1850. NOTICE -In pursuance of a resolution of the Board of Directors, the hitherto existing mode of loans of one half or two-thirds of the common annual preraiums paid by the insured is discontinued, in reference to policies to be hereafter granted.—
And the Board have introduced the following new and favorable system of loans for the future, viz: A party insured for the whole term of life may at any time borrow one-half the amount of annual premium, without aste or security, or deposite of policy, and is entitled to division of profits.

He may at any time surrender his policy, and receive back, as value thereof, one-half the gross sum paid by him in annual common premiutas .s new form of loan applies only to policies here-A party already insured for whole life may, on after to be issued. payment of a small sum, convert his insurance into

a new policy upon the loan system now introduced.

Parties already insured and entitled to a twothird loan are not shut out from said two-third loan, if they prefer it, upon the terms stated in the So-A party may, at a moderate annual premium, insure for life, and if he survive to reach the age of

60 years, the full sum insured up to \$15,000, will be pavi to him, or, if he dies before reaching that age, the fall som insured will be paid to his family or legal representatives. ACTING DIRECTORS FOR NOVEMBER. C. E. HABICILT, Chairman.

S. S. Almer,

Wm. Van 39d J. LEANDER J. K. Rodgers, M. D. Agent for agent Agent. Dec. 27, 1850-3m.

| Henry Ludlam,

tated, and as we evidence that she will be resumed reason to believe testoris and of Virginia! Hence tions, with a collection of the with again defined with Business—of Population and the inerty for preparation, to et the demands the of. In view of the consideration, I shall enually to enlarge my stock of GOODS, both in point of active, variety and durability, which is al-

targe and valuable, having been made with preat care and precision. Country merchants are particularly requested to call and examine my Tin Ware and Stores

of all kinds, patterns and sizes. A large stock of very superior TINNED SAFES, of the most beautiful patterns. A large, and as splendid an assort-ment of BLOCK TIN WARE, as has ever been offered in Alexandria. I would also call the attention of Farmers to Mott's Agricultural Furnaces: they are admirably adapted to the cooking of food for cattle and swine, and are much used for domes-

tic purposes. There is a double kettle, or boiler connected on the top of the Furnace in such a manper that the fire passes between the outer and inner surfaces, and will cook vegetables in less time than boilers set in brick. They are light and portable, and, therefore, possess the advantages of being used in different places. Sizes ranging from 30 to 80 gallons. Also Lend Pipe, of all sizes. SHOWER BATAS & REFRIGERATORS, and a host of other articles, which it is unnecessary to mention. The subscriber also offers his services to execute all kinds of work appertaining to his

Roofing, Spouting, &c. Best price given for old Corper and Brass, at his stand, opposite Wm. Stabler & Bro's., Fairfax street, Alexandria. ENOCH GRIMES. Alexandria, June 21, 1850-tf

To the Farmers

OF THE

VALLEY OF VIRGINIA. THE subscribers would most respectfully inform the Farmers of Virginia that they have on hand a Srave for cooking purposes, superior to anything of the kind ever offered, for its strength, durability, and adaptedness for the use of negroes. It was

made more particularly for the use of the Navy,

and is called a SHIP'S CAMBOON.

The above Camboon has been examined by some of the most practical Farmers of the Valley, and recommended by them to be one of the best acticles that can be put into the hands of negro cooks, owing to its strength and durability. It has two disinct ovens, and every other convenience for cooking at one and the same time, superior to any stove

We have furnished the Navy with quite a large number of the above Camboons, and they are pronounced to be superior to anything of the kind ever furnished before for Ship's use-hence they are better fitted for country use than any other Stove.

Any orders left with H. L. Eav & Son, Charlestown, will be duly and promptly attended to. Satisfaction guarantied in all cases.

HAYWARD & DUKE, Ballimore Store House, No. 39 Light st., Balt. December 27, 1850-3m.

NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS. WE have opened a very large stock of NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS, which has been selected with much care, and will be sold at very low prices. We name in part the follow-

ing benatiful Danss Goops; Rich Brocade and other Dress Silks; Paney Celered French Satin Plain and Figured French Cashmeres; Mouslin de Laines ; Ainaceas all colors: Merinees, all shades and colors;

Canton Cloths, with many other beautiful Dress Goods, which will be sold at the lowest prices. SHAWLS.

A very large stock of Long and Square Shawls, white and Scarled Canton Crape Shawls; Busners. White and Dark Street Bonne's, with all the new styles of Bonnet Trimmings; Bannet Silks and Satins; Velocis, Cut and Uncut, with a general as-

sortment of Millinery Goods, which shall be sold WM. ANDERSON & CC. Harpers-Ferry, Oct. 25, 1850.

Goods at Cost. TYPE have still on hand many desirable and seasonable goods, and as we are anxious to plose our our stock as soon as possible, we are dis-joint to give great ourgains. Call soon and my as. Nov. & J. K. WOODS & GO.

WM. LISLE BAKER, ATTORNEY AT LAW,

PRACTICES, as heretofore, in all the Courts of Jefferson, Berkeley, and Clarke counties. As Commissioner for the neighboring, and all the Western States, he will take the acknowledgment of and AUTHENTICATE under his SEAL OF OF-FICE, any instrument of writing to be used in said

MOTARY PUBLIC FOR JEFFERSON COUNTY, he will administer affidavits, take depositions and acknowledgment of deeds, mortgages, &c., to be recorded in any of the counties in Virginia.

RICHARD M. LEE, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia,

ATTENDS THE COURTS OF Jefferson, Berkeley and Clarke Jan. 3, 1851 -8t.

FRANKLIN THOMAS, ATTORDET AT LAW. DRACTICES in Frederick, Jefferson, and the Office on Water street, near the Farmers'

[Dec. 13, 1850-1y. Bank, Winchester. B. SUDSET ROBISSON: Attorney at Lab.

DRACTICES in the Superior and Inferior Courts of Clarke, Frederick, Jefferson and Warren.
All business entrusted to him will receive prompt

Office, BERRYVILLE, Clarke County, Va. REFERENCES: Thomas H. Crow, Esq. Berryville. John S. Smith, Esq., J. Winchester. Geo. E. Senseney, Esq., Cushing & Bro. John M. Kellogg, Baltimore. Hepkins & Hull,

Long & Byrn, August 23, 1850 .- 1y C. A. S. WOLF, Watchmaker and Jeweller, No. 263 BALTIMORE STREET, SECOND DOOR WEST

BALTIMORE. OLD and Silver LEVER, LEPINE and VERGE WATCHES, and FASHIONABLE JEWELRY OF EVE-Particular attention paid to the repairing of hes and Jewelry. August 9, 1850.

RANDOLPH B. LATIMER-Randolph & Latimer, FLOUR AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, No. 62 South street, (Bowly's Wharf,) a few

doors south of Pratt street, BALTIMORE, MD. REFER TO-Thomas Rutherford, Esq., Richard Duffield, Esq., Samuel Cameron, Esq. st-himore, Oct. 11, 1850.

BALTIMORE DATE BUILD

CAROOSES, of all 4 No. sizes, and patterns. WARE, SHIP PLUMDING, COPPER and TIN WINE OOKING RANGES. Also, Morris Asse, No. 39 LIGHT-ST.

HATS AND CAPS J. L. MCPHAIL & BROTHER, 132 BALTIMORE STREET, WHOLESALE and Retail Dealers in, and Manufacturers of HATS

of their friends, Country Merchants, and the public generally, to their terms. We have open an Invoice of Superior A ways on hand a full supply of the latest fashions of articles in our line. Baltimore, Sept. 13, 1850.

SHIRT ESTABLISHMENT. E of the most extensive in the United States, No. 179 Baltimore st., where 500 persons are employed, and a stock of 1000 dozen Smars always on hand; style and qualities suitable for all parts of the Union. Merchants and others visiting Baltimore are invited to call and examine the largest and best assortment of SHIRTS that has ever been offered in this city, consisting of all sizes and qualities, for Men and Boys, which, for style and workmanship cannot be surpassed. More than usual effort has been made to render the assortment of SHIRTS, COLLARS, LINEN AND COTTON DRAWERS complete and desirable in every re-

T. W. BETTON, 179 Baltimore street, near Light. March 28, 1850-1v.

Notice.

FRANCIS H. WHITING, Esq., of Clarke T county, Va., is duly authorized by the sub-scriber, to attend to preparing Bounty Land Declarations, for claimants, and to forward the same to JOHN S. GALLAHER, JR., Patent Attorney and Claim Agent.

Land Agency at Dubuque, Iowa.

Washington, D. C., Oct, 18, 1850.

THE undersigned is prepared to locate all Land Warrants that may be entrusted to him, on terms most reasonable, and on any of the Public Lands of Iowa. Address, WILLIAM Y. LOVELL, Nov. 29, 1850-6m. Dubuque, Iowa.

REPERENCES: Hon. A. C. Dodge, Senators from Iowa. G. W. Jones, Senators from Iowa.

Messrs, Barton & Williams, Winchester, Va. Miller, Dalam & Shipe, Baltimore, Md. Mr. Fossett, Philadelphia, J. Stewart, Esq., New York. John S. Gallaher, Junior, Washington, D. C.

CARTER'S HOTEL.

PINE new and extensive addition to this estab lishment has been completed together with renovating the entire concern, rendering it one amongstthe largest and most attractive in the Valley. The rooms are furnished with neat furniture, and with an eye to the comfort and convenience o

The Proprietor hopes to merit a continuance of the patronage heretofore extended to him, and by strict personal attention, to increase his business, assuring the public that no exertion on his part will be spared to please, and render the sojourn of guests agreeable. ISAAC N. CARTER, PROPRIETOR. April 11, 1850.

LIFE ASSURANCE.

THE NATIONAL LOAN FUND LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY, OF LONDON. CAPITAL \$2,500,000 - SURPLUS \$412 270. DRINTED statements explanatory of the basi-

bess, and the advantages of Life Assurance, will be furnished on application to B. W. HERBERT. Or in his absence, applications can be made to DR. G. F. MASON, Medical Examiner, Charlestown, DR. JOHN D. STARRY, Medical Examiner, Harpers-Ferry, Da. I. H. Tivion, Medital Examiner, Shepherdstown.

Charlestown, Nov. 1, 1850.

Cash for Weel. WILL pay the Market price for WOOL, in Cash, either washed or unwashed as soon as delivered to me, except Distley or Pure Colsnool. W. L. WEBB. August 23, 1850—if. Shepherdstein Mills. Specie of Jefferson and Martin burg gopers comp.

Hartford Fire Insurance Company, HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT.

Incorporated 1810-Charter perpetual-Capital \$150, 000; with power of increasing it to \$250,000.

PUBLIC Buildings, Manufactories, Mills, Machinery, Dwelling Houses, Stores, Merchandise, Household Furniture, Vessels on the stocks or while in port, &c., &c., will be insured at rates as low as the risk will admit.

Applications for Insurance may be made of

B. W. HERBERT,

Agent for Jefferson County, Va.

In the absence of the Agent from Charlestown, to John P. Brown, Esq., who will attend to them promptly. Persons at a distance address through N. B. On all Church Buildings and Clergymen's personal property, the Agent will present his com-missions in reducing the amount of premiums on

the risks thus arising

December 13, 1850-1y. "A New Hand at the Bellows."

THE subscriber having taken the Blacksmiths
Shop recently occupied by Mr. Hiram O'Bannon, takes this method of informing the public generally that he is well prepared to carry on the BLACKSWITHING BUSINESS

in all its varieties. Having in his employ a hand of long experience in the business, he can confidently say that work entrusted to him shall be done in a manner, not surpassed any where. To the HORSE-SHOEING department he can specially claim attention, as his

workman has had much experience in that line. But he is prepared to execute work in every branch with promptness and dispatch. He therefore invites a call from every one, as his prices will be reasonable, and his terms to suit the times.

THOMAS W. DAVIS. Charlestown, Jan. 17, 1851-2m.

The WAGON MAKERS SHOP, adjoining is offered for Rent. It is an old and good stand for business. T. W. D. for business.

PUMP MAKING. To the People of Jefferson, Clark and

Loudoun. DERSONS in want of PUMPS, made in the best manner, and on the most accommodating terms, will do well to give the subscriber a call .-He will insure all new work done by him, and money will be exacted until all pumps are tested

PIPE LAYING and REPAIRING done at the shortest notice. For repairing, the cash will be required; but for all new work a liberal credit will be given. All communications addressed to the subscriber at Berryville, Clarke county, Va., will be promptly attended to. THOMAS J. BRAGG. Jan. 3, 1851 .- 3m. Spirit copy.

The Union Forever. THE undersigned having just arrived, and loca-Tate & Hoof's Store, would respectfully call the attention of the citizens of Jefferson and adjoining counties, to his finely selected assortment of the finest lot of the most choice brands of Foreign and

Segars, and Tobacco in all its varieties, at Wholesale and Retail. As Also on hand, a fine assortment of STATIONERY, FANCY ARTICLES,

Etherial Oil and Larmy received and promptly attended to. All Goods ordered at this establishment, not giving entire satisfaction, are subject to be returned, in good order. GEORGE W. SWEITZER, Charlestown, Jefferson county, Va.

House, Sign & Ornamental Painting. THE undersigned respectfully offers his services to the people of Jefferson, in the above capacity. Those who will favor him with their custom, may rest assured that he will execute his work in a style that cannot be surpassed any where. He also has a patent WASH for the outside of Houses, which is very durable, and does not rub off. It can be used either on stone, brick, or weather-boarding,

and colored to suit. GEORGE B. MONROE. Charlestown, April 25, 1850. N. B. I wish to employ a JOURNEYMAN

PAINTER immediately

Boating and Commission Business.

THE subscribers baving boats constantly run-I ning to Georgetown and Alexandria, do resend to either market, that they will boat it on reasonable terms. They also have a Warehouse situated on the Chesapease and Ohio Canal, and on the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, and will forward produce to any point on the Baltimore road, or on the Winchester road, at a very mail charge. A supply of Piaster, Salt, Fish, Tar, Shingles, Lathes, Lumber, &c., always on hand and for sale low. WM. H. ELGIN & CO. Harpers-Ferry, Jan. 11, 1849--tf.

Blessing's Oyster Saloon.

TOHN F. BLESSING returns his sincere thanks to the public for past favors, and takes this method of informing them that he is again prepared to serve up OYSTERS in any manner o their liking. He will furnish gentlemen with Oyster Suppers in the best manner and at the shortest notice. All who visit his Saloon shall be accommodated in the best style and with prompt and polite attention. He receives his Oysters fresh from Baltimore every day. Private families or parties furnished with Oysters by the Can or otherwise. Charlestown, Nov. 8, 1850.

THE NEW WOOLLEN FACTORY.

Wool Wanted. TOHN K. WHITE and D. G. HENKLE have their New Woollen Factory, in Shepherdstown, nearly completed. The Machinery is all of the most approved kind, and the most skilful and experienced workmen have been engaged, so that those wool growers and merchants, who patronize this establishment, may rely upon getting the best materials, the best fabrics and fast colors. Rolls carded and other country work done at the shortest notice. We will exchange for WOOL, on the most accommodating terms, our fabrics, viz: Fulled and Plaid Linseys, Tweeds, Blanketing, Flannels, Stocking Yarn, &c .: Also, any other kinds of merchanpreferred to our own make, at the Store of John K. White, where all the wool will be Nothing that can be done on our part shall be left

undone, to render entire satisfaction to those who trade with us, either by exchange of wool or purchase of our goods. WHITE & HENKLE. chase of our goods. WHITE Shepherd town, May 24, 1849. N. B. Hard Soap, Bees Wax, and Tallow wanted at the highest market price.

Spirit and Martinsburg Papers copy.

NOTICE.

HAVING pure virus from the arm of a healthy child, I am prepared for vaccination. I avail myself of this opportunity to state that as I have relinquished my Professorship in the Winchester Medical College, as also all other engagements not strictly connected with my profession, will hereafter devote my attention exclusively to the practice of Medicine. I am resolved hereafter to exercise all my energies solely for the benefit of those who may entrust their lives to my profession-al care, and hope that any loss of practice I may have sustained from the influence exerted upon the public mind by the diversity of my engagements, will be regained by this determination. Persons, at whose houses I have left various instruments, will save me the expense and trouble of a new sup-

ply, by returning them.

JOHN J. H. STRAITH. N. B. Those with whom I bare unsettled accounts, would conduce very much to my interest by coming to a settlement at once. January 17, 1851.

POETRY. THE SWEET BRIAR.

The Sweet Briar flowering, With boughs embowering, de the willow-tufted stream, In its soft, red bloom And its wild perfame, Brings back the Past like a sunny dream!

Methinks, in childhood, Beside the wildwood, e, and list to the blackbird's song, Mid the evening calm, As the Sweet Briar's balm On the gentle west wind breathes along-To speak of meadows, And palm-tree shadows,

bee-hive cones, and a thymy hill, And green wood mazes, And greenward daisies, And a foamy stream, and a clacking mill, Still the heart rejoices, At the happy voices Of children, singing amid their play; While swallows twittering,

And waters glittering, Make earth an Eden at close of day. In sequestered places, Departed faces, Return and smile as of yore they smiled When, with trifles blest, Each buoyant breast Held the trusting heart of a little child.

The future never Again can ever The perished gifts of the past restore: Nor, to thee or me, Can the wild-flower be What the Briar was then-oh never more!

THE WORLD IS BEFORE THEE. BY G. L. BANKS.

> The wide world is before thee, Go revel in its blaze; Life's sunshine may ristore thee The smile of happy days. I would not in thy bosom, One bitter thought should spring; Be like the treasured flossom That wears no secret sting. Soon every strong emption Shall droop within thy breast, The fiercest storms of ocean last are lulled to rest. And o'er the changed scene stealing

A cheering beam appears;

So, in the work of feeling,

Hope follows after pars. MISCELLANY.

[From Arthur's Home Gazette.] WHO ARE THE HAPPIEST!

" What troubles you, William?" said Mrs. Aiken, speaking in a tone of kind concern to her husband, who sat silent and meedy, with his eyes fixed upon the floor, and now following the forms of his plainly-clad children as they sported, full of health and spirits, about the room.

It was evening, and Mr. Aiken, a man who earned his bread by the sweat of his hrow, had, a little while before, returned tion. any thing wrong with you, William?"

"Nothing more than usual," was replied. "There's always something wrong. The fact is, I'm out of heart." " William ?" Mrs. Aiken came and stood beside her husband, and laid her hand gently upon his

The evil spirit of envy and discontent was in the poor man's heart-this his wife understood right well. She had often before scan him in this frame of mind. "I'm as good as Freeman; am I not?"

"Yes, and a good deal better, I hope," replied Mrs. Aiken. And yet, he is rolling in wealth, while I, though compelled to toil early and late, can scarcely keep soul and body together." "Hush, William Don't talk so. It does

you no good. We have a comfortable home. with food and raiment-let us therewith be contented and thankful." "Thankful for the mean hut! Thankful more,' said the rich man, gravely. And it for hard labor, poor fare, and course cloth- was the truth, William. They who get rich

"None are so happy as those who labor; none enjoy better health than they who have spectfully inform all persons having PRODUCE to only the plainest food. Do you ever go hun- out little. They get only their vituals and gry to bed, William ?" 'No. of course not."

"Do you or your children skiver in the cold of winter for lick of warm clothing?" "No: but--."

"William! Do not look beyond your real comforts in envy of the blessings God has given to others. Depend upon it, we receive all of this world's goods the kind Father above sees it best for us to have. With more, we might not be so happy as we are."

"I'll take all that risk," said Aiken. "Give me pienty of money, and I'll find a way to largely increase the bounds of enjoyment." "The largest amount of happiness, I believe, is ever to be found in that external | piness. condition in which God has placed us." "Then every poor man should willingly

remain poor.' "I did not say that, William; I think every man should seek earnestly to improve his wordly affairs-yet, be contented with his lot at all times; for, only in contentment is which he should be thankful. their happiness, and that is a blessing the poor may share equally with the rich. In- I shall not soon forget," said he, when alone to trade, if we can fix it." deed, I believe the poor have this blessing in | with his wife. large store. You, for instance, are a happier man than Mr. Freeman."

"I am not so sure of that." with him in every respect.

have his money." "Ab, William! William!" Mrs. Aiken shock her head. "You are giving place in your heart for the entrance of bad spirits. Try to enjoy fully what you have, and you will be a far happier man than Mr. Freeman. Your sleep is sound at night." "I know. A man who labors as hard as dren entered.

I do, can't help but sleep soundly." "Then labor is a blessing, if for nothing else. I took home, to-day, a couple of aprons made for Mrs. Freeman. She looked pale and troubled, and I asked her if she was not "Not very," she replied. "I've lost so much rest of late, that I'm almost worn out."

"Mr. Freeman has got himself so excited about business, that he sleeps scarcely three hours in twenty-four. He cares neither for eating or drinking; and, if I did not watch him, would searcely appear abroad in decent humble flowers that spring up along your apparel. Hardly a day passes that some pathway, and, like the bee, take the honey thing does not go wrong. Workmen fail in they contain. God knows what, in external their contracts, prices fall below what he external things is best for us; and he will make pected them to be, agents prove to be un-faithful; in fast, a hundred things occur to a blessing, if we are humble, patient and interfere with his expectation, and to cloud contented."

his mind with disappointment. We were far happier when we were poor, Mrs. Aiken. There was a time when we enjoyed this life. Bright days !- how well are L'ey remembered! Mr. Freeman's income was twelve dollars a week, we lived in two rooms, and did all our own work. I had fewer wants then than I have ever had since, and was far happier than I ever expect to be again on this

side of the grave." Just then a cry was heard in the street. " Hark !" exclaimed Mr. Aiken. "Fire! Fire! Fire!" The startling sound rose clear and shrill upon the air.

Aiken sprung to the window and threw it "Mr. Freeman's new building, as I live!" Aiken dropped the window, and catching up his hat, hurriedly left the house.

Mrs. Aiken shook her head. " No, William, the same spirit that makes you restless and discontented now, would be with you no matter how greatly improved might be your external condition. Mr. Freeman was once as poor as you are. Do you think him happier for his riches? Does he enjoy life more? Has wealth brought a greater freedom from ease? Has it made his sleep sweeter? Far, very far from it.-Riches have gut increased the sources of dis-

content." It was an hour ere he returned. Meanwhile, the fire taged furiously, and from her window, where she was safe from harm, Mrs. Aiken saw the large new factory, which the rich man had just erected, entirely consumed by the fieres devouring element. All in vain was it that the intrepid firemen wrought almost miracles of daring, in their efforts to save the building. Story after story was successively wrapped in flames, until, at length, over fifty thousand dollars worth of property lay a heap of black and smouldering ruins.

Wet to the skin, and covered with cinders, was Mr. Aiken when he returned to his humble abode, after having worked manfully, in his unselfish efforts to rescue a portion of his neighbor's property from destruction. "Poor Freeman! I pity him from my very heart " was his generous, sympathizing exclamation, as soon as he met his wife. "He is insured, is he not?" enquired Mrs.

" Partly But even a full insurance would be a poor compensation for such a loss. In less than two weeks, this new factory, with all its perfect and beautiful machinery, would have been in operation. The price of goods is now high, and Mr. Freeman would have cleared : landsome sum of money on the first season's product of his mill. It is a terrible disappointment for him. I never saw a man so much disturbed." "Poor man! His sleep will not be so sound as yours to-night, William."

"Indeed it will not." "Nor, rich as he is, will he be as happy as rep i acrow roll as in the be as nappy wealth I would, rather he making for the

"I'his is not a necessary consequence. If Mr. Freeman turn a blessing into a curse, that is a defect in his particular case." "And few, in this fallen and evil world are free from the same defect, William. If wealth were sought from unselfish ends, then it would make its possessor happy. But, how few so seek riches. It is here, believe me, that the evil lies." Mrs. Aiken spoke earnestly, and some-

thing of the truth that was in her mind, shed its beams upon the mind of her husband. "You remember," said she, smiling, "the anecdote of the rich man in New York, who asked a person who gave utterance to words of envy towards himself-'Would you,' said he, 'take all the care and anxiety attendant upon the management of my large estate and extensive business operations, merely for your vituals and clothes?' 'No, indeed, I would not, was the quick answer. 'I get no in this world, pass up through incessant toil

all the good things of life, in reality enjoy clothes. I have worked for many rich ladies; and I do not remember one who appeared to be happier than I am. And I am mistaken if your experience is not very much A few days after this time, Aiken came home from his work one evening. As he entered the room where his wife and children sat, they looked up to him with a cheer and smile of welcome, and the latter gathered around him, filling his ears with the music of their happy voices. The father

and anxiety; and, while they seem to enjoy

drew an arm around one and another, and as he sat in their midst, his heart swelled in his bosom, and warmed with a glow of hap- white cap. Good morning was soon said on Soon the meal was served-served by the hands of his wife-the good angel of his humble home. William Aiken, as he looked around upon his smiling children, and their true hearted, even-tempered, cheerful

mother, felt that he had many blessings for "I saw something a little while ago, that

"What was that. William?" "I am, then. Look at his face. Doesn't this evening. Mr. Elder is rich, and I have patient expression as I entered. I mentioned my business, when he said abruptly and rudely-

> "As I was turning away, a door of the room epened, and Mrs. Elder and two chil-" I wish you would send them children up to the nursery," he exclaimed, in a fretful, | not the widow but the cowhalf angry voice. "I'm in no humor to be

" I've no time to think of that now."

troubled with them now." "The look cast upon their father by those two innecest little children, as their mother pished them from the room, I shall not forget. I remembered, as I left the house, that "I did not ask why this was; but after there has been a large failure in Market remaining silent for a few moments, she Street, and that Mr. Elder was said to be the loser by some ten thousand dollars-less than twentieth part of what he is worth. I am happier than he is to-night, Mary."

" And happier you may ever be, William, returned his wife, "if you but stoop to the

THE YOUNG MAN'S COUNSELLOR. GENERAL CONDUCT.

Move with the multitude in the common walks of life, and you will be unnoticed in the throng; but break from them, pursue a different path, and every eye, perhaps with reproach, will be turned towards you. What is the rule to be observed in general conduct? Conform to every innocent custom as our social nature requires, but refuse compliance with whatever is inconsistent with propriety, decency, and the moral duties; and dare to

be singular in honor and virtue. In conversation, truth does not require you to utter all your thoughts, yet it forbids you to speak in opposition to them. To open the mind to unreserved communication, is imbecility; to cover it with a veil, to dissev. er its internal workings from its external manifestations, is dissimulation and falsehood. The concordance of the thoughts, such trifling, insipid companions, so ill qualwords, and deeds, is the essence of truth, and

the ornament of character. A man who has an opportunity to ruin a and instructing a family; it is often from rival with whom he is at enmity, without the neglect of exercising the talents which public dishoner, and yet generously forbears, nay, converts the opportunity into a disinterested benefit, evinces a noble instance of by this neglect they lose the sincerest pleasvirtuous magnanimity. He conquers his ures, which would remain when almost every own enmity, the most glorious of all con- other fersakes them, of which neither, for quests, and overcomes the enmity of a rival tune nor age can deprive them, and which by the most heroic and praiseworthy mode would be a comfort and resource in almost of retaliation.

As to an evil report of a neighbor, the opinion of the frivolous is lightly regarded, the calumny of the known slanderer is discredited by all who venerate truth, and the character of the known liar is a sufficient antidote to falsehood. A respectable man, in his good name, offers a guarantee for his sentiments of the soul during a walk over veracity; and, impressed with the benevolent affections and the love of justice, he is the dust. How fit a place for contemplation scrupulous to believe an evil report, and still 'mid the ashes of the departed, the illustrimore so to repeat it.

flows, rises into a stream, swells into a river. ly here, sheds its genial rays mere conselse, symbolically, are the origin and course of ingly 'mid this purified earth. Here may a good name. At first, its beginning is the mourner feel indeed that, small; it takes its rise from home, its natu-tal source, extends to the neighborhood. ral source, extends to the neighborhood, stretches through the community, and finally takes a range proportioned to the qualities by which it is supported-its talents, virtue and usefulness, the surest basis of an honorable reputation. The relatives and kindred of a young man,

by a natural process, communicate his amia-ble and opening character to a wider circle than that of home. His associates and friends extend the circle, and thus it widens till its eircumference embraces a portion more or less of society, and his character places him in the class of respectable men. With good principles and conduct, neither envy nor malice can intercept the result of this progressive series; without good principles and conduct, no art or dissimulation A person commits an error, and he has

sufficient address to conceal it, or sufficient ingenuity to palliate it, but he does neither; instead of availing himself of concealment and palliation, with the candor of a great mind, he confesses his error, and makes all the apology or atonement which the occasion requires. None has a title to true honor but he who can say with moral elevation, when truth demands the acknowledgement, I have done wrong. The events of life are not fortunate or ca-

lamitous in themselves, as they are in their effect on our feelings. An event which is met by one with equanimity or indifference, will fret another with vexation, or overwhelm him with sorrow. Misfortunes encountered with a composed and firm resolution, almost cease to be evils; it is, therefore, less our wisdom to endeavor to control external events, than to regulate the habitual temper of our minds to endurance and resignation. The emotions of the mind are displayed in the movements of the body, the expres-

sion of the features and the tones of the voice. It is more difficult to disguise the tones of the voice, than any other external manifestation of internal feeling. The changing accents of the voice of those with whom we have long lived in intimate intercourse. in the communication of sentiment, are less equivocal and more impressive than even language itself.

[Concluded next week.] WIDOW JONES' COW.

"Widower Smith's wagon stopped one morning before widow Jones' door and gave the usual signal that he wanted somebody in the house, by dropping the reins, and sitting double, with his elbows on his knees. Out tripped the widow, lively as a cricket, with a tremendous black ribbon on her snow both sides, and the widow waited for what was further to be said."

"Well, ma'am Jones; perhaps you don't

want to sell one of your cows, no how, for nothin, no way, do you?" "Well, there, Mr. Smith, you couldn't have spoken my mind better. A poor, lone woman like me, does not know what to do with so many creatures, and I should be glad

So they adjourned to the meadow. Farmer Smith looked at Roan-then at the "I had occasion to call at the house of widow, then at Brindle-then at the widow Mr. Elder, on some business, as I came home | -at the Downing cow-then at the widow again; and so through the whole forty. The that tell the story. Would you exchange often envied him; but I shall not do so no same call was made every day for a week, more. I found him in his sitting room, but farmer Smith could not decide which "No, not in every respect. I would to alone, walking the floor with a troubled look | cow he wanted. At length, on Saturday, on his face. He glanced at me with an im- when widow Jones was in a hurry to get through her baking for Sunday-and had ever so much to do in the house, as all farmer's wives and widows have on Saturday, she was a little impatient. Farmer Smith was as irresolute as ever.

"That Downing cow is a pretty fair creature-but-" he stopped to glance at the widow's face, and then walked around her-"That 'ere short horn Durham is not a

bad looking beast, but I don't know-" another look at the widow. "The Downing cow I knew before the late Mr. Jones bought her." Here he sighed at the allusion to the late Mr. Jones. She sighed, and both looked at each other. It was a highly interesting moment

"Old Roan is a faithful old milch, and so is Brindle-but I have known better." A long stare succeeded this speech—the pause was getting awkward, and at last Mrs. Jones broke out : "Law! Mr. Smith, if I'm the cow you

want do say so?" The intentions of the widower, Smith and

HINTS FOR YOUNG LADIES.

If a young woman waste in trivial amusewents, the prime season for improvement, which is between the ages of sixteen and twenty, they regret bitterly the loss, when they come to feel themselves inferior in knowledge to almost every one they converse with; and above all if they should ever be mothers, when they feel their inability to direct and assist the pursuits of their children they find ignerance a severe mortification and a real evil. Let this animate their industry, and let a modest opinion of their ca; pacities be an encouragement to them in their endeavors after knowledge. A mederate understanding, with diligent and well directed application, will go much farther than a mere lively genius, if at the with that impatience and inattentier which tos often accompany quick parts. It is not fer want of capacity that so many women are ified for the friendship and conversation of a sensible man or for the task of governing they really have, and from omitting to cultivate a taste for intellectual improvement;

every possible situation in life. Mirs. Chapme.

THE GRAVE-YARD. There is something so solemn, so inspiring in a grave-yard, that no pen can describe, no imaginations conceive, no eye explore, the this subterraneous world, this receptacle of ous, the gay, or the serrewful of other days. As a rill from a fountain increases as it The Sun of immortality beams more bright-

> The grave! How many joys, sorrows regrets, noble feelings and heroic sentiments, have gone with their once human possessor to the dust, 'neath the damp and heavy sod which the dews of night, the light of morn, and the hot bearing sunshine of noon, alternately decorate and vivify. But though "Death loves a shining mark," and stays not his hands for art, fortune, " talents, angel bright," what is the grave but the outer gates of life eternal! and what is Death which but entombs the body, but "the tri-umph of the spirit infinite?" This King of Terrors is the Prince of Peace.

A RARE PATRIMONY. A young man of Nuremburg who had no rorune, requested a lawyer a friend of his, a daily visitor, and where there was a handsome daughter, who was to have a large fortune. The lawyer said he did not exactly know, but he would inquire.

The next time he saw his young friend.

he asked him if he had any property at all. 'No,' replied he. 'Well,' said the lawyer, 'would you suffer any one to cut off your nase, if he would give you twenty thousand dollars for it!' What an idea !)

Not for the world !'

"Tis well,' replied the lawyer, 'I had a reason for asking! The next time he saw the girl's father, he 'I have inquired about the young men's circumstances. He has, indeed, no ready

money, but he has a jewel, for which, to my knowledge, he has been offered and refused twenty thousand dollars.' This induced the old father to consent to the marriage, which accordingly took place; though it is said that in the sequel he often

shook his head when he thought of the jewel!-Ex. paper.

MARRIED vs. BURIED. A clergyman who in the lettery of marriage had drawn a share that proved to him werse than a blank, was just experiencing a severe scolding from his Xantippe, when he was called upon to unite a pair in the blessed state of wedlock. The poor parson, actuated by his own feelings and experience, rather than by a sense of his canonical duties, opened the book, and begun-

&c., repeating a part of the burial service. The astonished bridegroom exclaimed-'Sir! sir! I came here to be married, not buried! 'Well,' replied the clergyman, 'if you insist upon it, I am obliged to marry you; but

short time to live, and is full of trouble.'

'Man that is born of woman, hath but a

believe me, my friend, you had better be

REVENCE. The noblest revenge we can take upon our enemies is to do them a kindness, for to return malice for malice, and injury, will afford but a temporary gratification to our evil passions, and our enemies will only be fendered the more bitter against us. But, to take the first opportunity of showing them how superior we are to them, by doing a service, the sting of reproach will enter deeply in their soul; and, while unto us it will be a treble retaliation, our triumph will not unfrequently be rendered complete, not only by blotting out the malice that had otherwise stood against us, but by bringing repentant hearts to offer themselve shrine of friendship.

A SPUNSY WIFE - A middle aged farmer and his wife were enjoying a winter evening cosily together, when the conversation turned upon religious matters, as described in the Bible, which the man had opened before Him. "Wife," said the farmer, "I've been thinking what happy society Selemon must have had in his day, with so many wives, &c , as he is here represented." " Indeed," replied the wife, somewhat miffed; "you had better think of something alse, then .-A pretty Solomon you would make, truly ; you can't take proper care of one wife. What a figure you would cut, then, with a dozen wives, and all of them as spunky as I am !" The farmer took his hat and went to the stable to feed the cattle for the night.

A QUAKER'S LETTER.-Friend John, desire thee to be so kind as to go to one of those sinful men in the flesh, called atterneys and let him take out an instrument with a seal thereunto, by means whereaf we may the widow Jones were duly published the seize the outward tabernacie of George next day as is the law and custom in Mass- Green, and bring him before the lamb-skin achusetts, and as soon as they were 'out-pub- men at Westminster, and teach him to do as hished' they were married. - N. Y. Despatch. he would be done by - Thy friend R. C.



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#### FOR PRESIDENT IN 1652. MILLARD FILLMORE. OF NEW YORK.

PRESIDENT PILLMORE.

The administration of President Fillmore in the midst of the peoplexing and exciting controversies of the day, is winning the approbation of all mod- last erate men (and these constitute the great mass of American chitzens) in all parts of the country. His course has been eminently wise, calm, conciliatory, from, dignified and national. We derive new hope for the preservation of our Union, and the contiated peace, prosperity and happiness of its people, when we see such a man, so peculiarly adapted for the times by his remarkable combination of decision and moderation, raised up by Providence to fill the place of the lamented Taylor. Our country is still under that superior care and guidance which have made it great, powerful and free. The fanatics may rail on at the President, out they " bay " at a luminary which is high as Heaven above their

petty and impotent spite. - Rich. Rep. Mr. Broadhead, a Whig member of the Missouri Legislature, is a speech during the recent Senatorial cleeson, thus handsomely and truly referred to President Fillmore:

"I have been thought that to reverence the Constitution, and abide by its laws, is a cardinal doctrine of the great National Whio Parry. "We recognise as its political head Milliand Farmore, of New York, the man who though

called unexpectedly to the high station which he new fills, at the most stormy period or our historyne a time when the upheaving of the political elethento was well-nigh making a wreck of our glorimes Union -has proved himself equal to the dread responsibilities of that station. He may have sacrificed his popularity in his native State, but throughout this broad Confederacy he is attracting the admiration of all the sober-minded men of all parties. He has allied bimself to no faction, North or South, but belonging to the National Whiz party, and looking to the interests of the whole country, he heeds not the detractions of factionists. and fanaties, North or South, East or West; and if we are to be placed by the gentleman from Howard, by the test of political orthodoxy that he presents to us, in the band of Free-soil Whigs, which is headed by such men as Millard Fillmore, Webster, Clay, and that other illustrious son of Kenand glory in the name of Free-soil Whig. To me, eir, names are nothing."

#### THE SESSION OF CONGRESS.

has characterized the proceedings of the two Houses | would not be left completely out of sight in the race | Mr. McLane, of Kentucky, spoke in favor, of the of Congress, thus far, during the present session are of power and prosperity. We cannot sufficiently establishment of a board of accounts. tween the temper of the two Houses at the last Ses- acts; and while at immense cost she stretches out that the appropriation bills still remain to be consich and the present, though no doubt due in part her ison arms to grasp the rich Ohio Valley, we sidered. to the effect of time upon all human agitations and turn our backs upon it, and refuse the crown of In the Senare, on Minday, Mr. Bright presented excitements, is, we presume, mainly owing to the greatness that is offered us! influence of the pacifying measures comprised in the general phrase the Compromise, with which that much interest is felt in Richmond, some of Mr. Mason presented petitions signed by a ma-

of Representatives, as by the Executive Depart- than Southern merchants can obtain them in vor of the same object. He said that he was opposment of the Covernment, to regard that adjustment Northern cities. But we must have a regular line ed to the prayer of the petitioners. as a final settlement, to be enforced, on the part of of packets between our commercial ports and the In the Horse, Mr. Bayly, of Virginia, chairman the General Government, by all the authority which old World before we can enter fully upon a career of the committee reported certain appropriation the Constitution and Laws placed in its hands, at of permanent prosperity. We have ever contended, bills, which were read and referred to the committhe same time that it enjoined upon the Chief Mag- as we now contend, that, even putting entirely out | tee on the state of the Union, and ordered to be prinistrate of the United States to 'take care that the of the question the interference of abolitionists with | ted. Laws shall be faithfully executed.

that prompthese and activity will be required to en- own industry, and depend upon herself for mangable the two Houses to despatch properly the hostable the two Houses to despatch properly the lines, which awaits their auention. The greatest an abolitionist in the U States thier no man of a resolution, which was agreed to, directing an abolitionist in the U States thier no man of quiry into the expediency of the country of the expediency of the country of the count ing a Board of Accounts, the bill providing for the sense at the North could pretend that any just reason payment of the French Indemnity, the bill for the of complaint would thereby be given to the Northsettlement of hand titles in California, have all pass- ern people, any more than the North has given ed the Sengte and will come up in their order in cause of complaint to the South by pursuing prethe Representative chamber, if not pushed aside by cisely the same course, and buying nothing from the Appropriation bills. The first named bill is foreign countries or from the South which she can then the bill was laid on the table. now under discussion in the House, and there is produce at home. Without reference then to abotime enough for the passage of all of them it prompt- litionism, and in pursuance of the dictate of self-It taken up and considered. The reduced Postage preservation, which "is the first law of nature," we bill which passed the House is likely to undergo trust that the South will push forward every pracwe hope that will prevent the adoption of some ju- her previncial condition and securing her sifestan- insane, was taken up and debated. dictions measure of reduction -Balt. Amer.

# INDIANS ON THE MEXICAN FRONTIER.

The Mexican Mineter, in a very earnest note to

contend with the savages in this condition, would dinary ragages of their ruthless enemies.

subject, after a session of more than two months!

# THE NATIONAL ARMORIES.

ent of the expenses of the National Armories, and the arms and appendages made and repaired thereat during the year ending June 30, 1850, has been laid before Congress, from which we gather the following items: Repairs and Improvements:

'darpers-Ferry, Total Expenditures:

Total, Number of Percussion Arms Manufactured:

Muskets. Rifles. 9,600 2,676. Harrers Ferry, There were also manufactured at Springfield 2000 persussion musketoons.

# SEDOWS' PENSIONS.

"that widows of revolutionary soldiers who have married since the year 1800 may be placed on the same footing as these married prior to that time." Why the gallant services of our Revolutionary heroes should be measured by the period of their marriage, our bumble capacity is at a loss to conceive. Surely, the majority of the committee must consist of churcish old bachelors or crabbed and unfeelings hashands.

#### LUNATICS SUPPORTED BY THE U. STATES.

By a Report of the Secretary of the Interior, laid before the Senate, it appears that there are 38 insane persons supported by the United States in the lunatic assylums of Maryland, at an expense of about 3733 each, and their cost of transportation to the city of Baltimore is from ten to twelve dollars each. How it costs six times as much to transport a lunatic as it does a same person to Beltimore, is not

# BELIGIOUS REVIVAL.

We learn that a great revival of religion has been going on in the Methodis: Episcopa Church in Shepherdstown under the exarge of the Rev. J. Boren, About 55 jamed the Caurch up to Sunday said the the number at this time is donotess 75. Was survivate Aujen to the destruction of Sajan's

#### RESULT OF THE SLAVERY AGITA-

The Baltimore Clipper states that the interference of Normern abolicionists with Southern rights, and the apparent determination of many of them to contime agifation on the subject of slavery, have naturally alienated the feelings of Son berners from the North, so far at least as to cause them to prefer a Southern over a Northern port for commercial

The consequence has been, says the Clipper, that Southern merchants, who beretatore procured their supplies of goods from Northern ports, new resort to Baltimore; and the effect is seen in the following list of clearances from this district for Southern ports, during the months of January, 1850 and 1851 -which is capied from the American of Saturday

Clearances from the District of Baltimore for Southern ports during the month of January, 1850: To Ch. Jeston

Savanaah Apalachicola New Orleans Allakapas January, 1851;

Savannah Mobile Apalachicola New Orleans St Marks " St Augustine "This is a great increase within one year, and exhibits the feeling which prevails at the South Our merchants have no doubt

anticipated and prepared themselves for this change in the trade of the South, by an culargement of their stocks of goods-but there is one more object to be effected by Baltimoreans; and that is, to establish a regular line of packets between this city and Liverpool. This would attract the whole Southern custom to our port. We know . that this important subject has received the attention of the merchants of Baltimore, and that a memorial to Congress has been presented-but we fear, that, unless it be diligently pressed, it may be passed over during the present session Direct importations of goods from Europe would make Baltimore dentials of his successor were received by the Senas a market for Southern custom, all that ate. could be desired; and we cannot see any reason why government should not patronize titled to his seat till his successor appeared and was a Southern as well as a Northern line of qualified. tacky, John J. Crittenden, then I accept the test, packets, as auxiliary to the Post Office De-

We trust that the subject of direct importations The calmness, order and general propriety which the energy and public spirit of Baltimore, if we Lane in the chair. lated to strike the most inattentive observer. "The Baltimore marches forward to a position among of the members to the short time which remains for says that Journal, "be- the first cities of this continent. While we talk, she the transaction of business, and the circumstance

the last Session closed, and to the calm but firm de-fermination shown, as well by the Senate and House goods can be purchased here even more cheaply State Convention, now in session in Virginia, in fa-Southern Rights, it is a duty which the South owes tial independence .- Rich. Rep.

# A SUDDEN DEATH.

With saddened feelings we take up our pen to Mr. Websier, dated the 5th of December, urged the announce the death of one of our citizens-stricken necessity of prompt and active measures, under the down with the glow of health upon his cheek, see provisions of the treaty of Guadalape Hidalgo, to yet Time had made a wrinkle there, and who bid prevent the incursions of Indians upon the popula- as fair to live as the gladsome youth vinose pulse\_ bounds so rapidly through his veins: Cuester yesterday were this morning rejected. A motion From the loss of their crops, the Minister stated, KINNEY, Esq., is no more! On Friday last, about the aforesaid population were actually suffering 21 o'clock, v. M., while sitting in the store-room of from great scarcity of food, and, if compelled to Mr. Wm. G. Sterrett, conversing with an intimate friend, the death-blanche stole upon his cheek and be exterminated, or exposed to more than the or- in a moment he was a corpse-an inclination of the head-a sigh-and he, who had sat there in all the Yet Congress has not taken any action on the consciousness of existence, lay in the calm repose of death. Medical aid was instantly called in, but It is note said the military committee of the House | though applied by skillful hands, the resources of will only report in favor of one regiment of dra- the Art were unavailing -the vital spart had flown. goons for service on this extensive and exposed Oh! who can describe the teelings of the sorrowfrontier i Surely, the mild weather and comforta- stricken wife and her orphaned children. How the fires it of the National Metropolis have dried | could she realize the fact, that he, who but a few up the fountains of sensibility in the bosoms of our moments before, had left his home, would no more return, but be borne thither by kind and sympathizing friends; how could she imagine that be had passed the threshold for the last time-that she had heard his last word spoken, and that no more on earth were they to meet again. But we must forbear-we would not add a pang to those hearts now bleeding at every pore, by this most afflicting dispensation. The heartfelt sympathy of this whole community is theirs, and may He who rules all \$37,129.47 things after the counsels of His own will console 38 173 24 and comfort them under their heavy b reasument. It is supposed that Mr. Kinney died of an affection of the heart. He was in his usual health up to the time of his decease, and had taken a hunting excursion in the morning, from which, we understand, he had returned but a short time, when his career on earth was closed forever. Mr. K. was about 50 years of age, and was followed to the tomb by a large concourse of citizens. He was interred with Masonic and Military honors.

#### [Staunton Vindicator ... THE ADJUSTMENT.

We are glad to perceive a growing disposition throughout the whole South to abide by the adjust-The Committee on Revolutionary Persons in ment of the last session. We rejoice at this fact, the Senare have reported adversely to the prayer | not only because we believe that adjustment, on the cause it affords a platform on which the South can stand with united hearts and united hands. The great weakness of the South, and that which has invited aggressions upon her rights, has been her own divisions and want of concert. If Southern men had always stood together, as they appear now about to stand, the spirit of fanaticism and section would long ago have recoiled upon itself in despair. Let us repair our error by uniting upon that adjustment, which, if it gives no satisfaction to Southera ultras, gives still less to Northern fanaties .-Let us encourage those Northern patriots who are struggling for the Constitution, by standing together in their support, and cheering them by our united approbation .- Richmond Republican.

# CHOICE BEEF.

Our friend, WM. Jourson, presented us, a few to give 82 to the East, and 68 to the West; and the days since, with a cut of t e finest Boef we have Senators so as to give 28 to the East and 23 to the seen this season. The Beef was fed by Mr. Gao. E. Bestel, who is noted for fine Beef as well as for skill in every thing connected with agriculture, and weighed 1090 las. net-gross, 1863 lbs.

# PUBLIC DOCUMENT.

We are indebted to the Hon. James M. Mason, by the Legislature paid in each? county, &c., deof the Smale, for a copy of a Report of the Secre-ducting the taxes on licenses and law process. One tary of War, communicating information, in rela- delegate to be allowed for every seventy fills part tion to the goology and typography of California, of the inhabitants, and one for every seventy-fifth,

#### CONCRESS.

PRIDAY, FEERTARY 7. Mr. Seward presented two petitions from New York, or ving the repeal of the fugitive slave law. Laid on he table.

Mr. Winthrop said that he had received on Wednesday last from the Secretary of the Commingwealth of Massachuseits, a certificate of the chection of Hon. Robert Randoul, ir., to a seat in the Senate till March Sch.

The Secretary instructed him either to present it to the Senate or hand it to Mr. Rantoul on his arrival at the Scat of Government. Mr. R. not having arrived he was unwilling to retain his seat by the act of his discretion. He therefore presented the credentials, thereby understanding that according the East 72; and the West 19 Senators, the East to the report of the Judiciary Committee, the office 17. of the sitting member was terminated. Mr. W.

Mr. Clay raised the question of privilege, and urged the right of Mr. Winthrop to retain his sent till there was evidence of Mr. Rantoul's acceptance. Mr. Davis, of Mass, offered a resolution declaring that Mr. Winthrop was entitled to take the

Mr. Butler contended that the credentials being presented to the Senate, an acceptance of the office by the person elected was to be presumed, and therefore the vacancy had been fitled as provided by the legislature. Mr. Winthrop's right had terminated.

The debate was continued. A motion to lay the subject on the table was rejected -yeas 22, navs 25.

And without any vote the Senate adjourned. The House was occupied in the consideration of the Senate bill establishing a board of accounts, for the settlement of claims, against the Government --Adjourned without coming to a decision. In the SENATE; on Saturday, Messrs. Seward, Chase, and Hamlin, presented petitions praying a repeal of the fugitive slave law.

Mr. Clay presented memorials praying a modifieation of the tariff of 1815. The question of privilege relative to the right of Mr. Wigthrop to continue in his seat was taken up.

The question pending was on the resolutions of Messrs. Davis and Rhett. Mr. Hale moved that the subject be laid on the table. Lost, yeas 1-. Mr Mason was of opinion that the Senator appointed by the Governor held his seat till the cre-

Mr. Baldwin argued that Mr. Winthrop was en-

After some remarks by Mr. Benton, the subject was laid on the table. The House resolved itself into committee of the will not be suffered to sleep in Virginia. It be- whole on the state of the Union, and again took up comes this State, and its Atlantic cities to emulate | the bill establishing a board of accounts-Mr. Mc-

all aded to by the National Intelligencer as calcu- admire the bold and determined stride with which Mr. Bayly, of Virginia, again called the attention

several petitions from Indiana, in favor of a line of

The end of the session is now so near at hand to herself to encourage every department of her whole on the state of the Union, and resumed the discussion of the bill for the establishment of a of fractional silver coin.

On motion by Mr. Mason, the vote by which the Senate rejected the bill for the relief of the captors of the frigate Philadelphia, was re-considered, and

The deficiency bill was then taken up and passed The bill granting ten millions of acres of public land to the several States of the Union according to their geographical area and representation under some amendments in the Senate-none, however, tical measure which may aid in elevating her from the census of 1850, for the benefit of the indigent

Mr. Gwin moved that it be laid on the table as a test vote. Lost, yeas 17, nays 53. The bill was further debated, and after some immaterial amendments, was ordered to be engrossed

for a third reading. Adjourned. In the House or Representatives, the bill to establish a Board of Accounts was the first business in order this morning. The amendments reported to lay the bill on the table was negatived-ayes 95. noes 99. The question on the third reading of the bill was then taken and negatived-ayes 90, noes on their guard. Vaccination should be attended to

A motion to reconsider was carried, 102 to 94. A motion was again made to lay the bill on the Tellers were ordered, and the numbers stood 94 in the affirmative and 89 in the negative.

The ayes and nays were therefore ordered; the Speaker's hammer enforced order; the names were again called over, and the members voting in the affirmative were yeas 100, navs 96.

The usual motion was then made to re-consider the bill, and to lay the motion on the table, which was carried without a division, and the bill is "nowhere," after a protracted and obsidnate contest between its advocates and opponents, which has not been equalled since the passage of the Compromise

# THE CONVENTION.

This body for the last week has been principally engaged in the discussion of the question of Gubernatorial re-eligibility.

On Saturday Mr. Woolfolk offered a proposition to stop debate on the pending question at 2 o'clock; which was laid on the table by a large majority. Mr. Scott, of Richmond, presented the report of the Committee on County Courts.

Messrs. Fullz, Hunter and Willey, presented substitutes therefor; all of which were laid on the table and ordered to be printed. The hour of daily meeting was changed to !!

Mr. Armstrong presented the proceedings of a "White Basis" meeting in the county of Taylor, which he accompanied with the remark that every vote given in that county had been against the bill convening the present Convention. Proceedings

Mr. Goode presented the report of the Committee on the Legislature, comprising 13 pages of MSS. which, together with an amendment intended to be offered by Mr. Carter, was ordered to be printed

The Gubernatorial debate was then resumed. On Monday, the Convention was still engaged in discussing the re-eligibility of the Governor. A report was made by the Basis Committee .-

They were equally divided-twelve for the basis of qualified voters, and twelve for a mixed basis. On this point comes the tuz of war. The Eastern moiety of the committee propose a House of Delegates of 150, and a Senate of 51 members; the Western moiety, a House of 156,

greed to report both of the two plans to the Conven- | dered. The Esstern half of the committee apportion the Delegates (who are to be elected biennially,) so as

After 1862, and at intervals thereafter, of not less than ten years, the General Assembly shall, according to this plan, reapportion representation in both bodies " according to the number of white in aphitants contained and the amount of all taxes taked

# part of the taxes, which last shall be estimated from

the average of theten preceding years. The apportionment of the Congressional districts to be according to federal numbers. The Western hal of the Committee report that

the qualification for the right of suffrage should be uniform throughout the Commonwealth, and an equal number of voters shall be entitled to equal representation. Representation therefore must be regulated and a scenained by the number of quali- Passer to the Jingeship of the 13th Judicial Cirter, a census of the voters to be taken, and an apportionment of delegates and senators to be made accordingly by the Legislature. Delegates to be elected for two years. Senators for four. Until the

portionment for a Senate of 52 members, giving 28 to the West and 14 to the East. On Tuesday, the apparently interminable subject

the re-eligibility of the Governor, was still under

#### LEGISLATURE THE LAST WEEK.

The Manassas Gap Rail Road bill having passed the House of Delegates on the 5th instant by a vote of 66 to 42, it was taken up in the Senate on Saturday last, and, after being discussed and amended so road law, and in other particulars, was passed-

ayes 19, noes 11. In the House, Mr. Lewis of H. continued his remarks in favor of the passage of the Northwestern | District to send him back again to Washington,

Mr. Bolling opposed its passage. For the purpose of benefiting two or three of the counties, it was expected that the prosperity of the whole State should be sapped. The Wheeling and State interest was identical, and if Virginia should part with this right and give it to Baltimore, she would do a thing as ridiculous as the foolish young gentleman who sold his birth-right for a mess of pottage. It was said if Baltimore did not get it Philadelphia would. He cared not for either; what was he to "Heenba, or Heenba" to him. The General Assembly had as soon blow up Norfolk, Alexandria,

and Richmond, as to pass this bill. Mr. Ferguson, as the Central Railroad had been referred to, as one of its riends, proceeded to show that the bill did not conflet with its interest. Messrs, Imboden, Florrnoy, Witcher, Strother, Tompkins and Rives addressed the House in support of the bill, and Mr. Lussell against it.

giving way-the House adjourned. In the SENATE, on Morday, the South-side Rail Road bill was taken up; and being amended in an important particular, waspassed-Ayes 20, noes 11. In the House of Delipares, a large number of

bills were ordered to be eigrossed. The Northwestern Ralroad bill was taken up, and a compromise ryder laving been engrafted upon it, preventing the use of the road until twelve months after the Baltimore and Ohio Railtoad shall laid down one of them, from the point of intersection to the city of Wheeling. Messrs. Burwell an i Hays withdrew their anendments, and then the bill was passed-Ayes 71, noes 16. The House then adjourned.

#### LIEUTENANT GENERAL.

The Board of Officers lately assembled at Washington reported in favor of creating by law the additional grade of Lieutenant General; and that when, in the opinion of the President and Senate. it shall be deemed proper to acknowledge eminent services of officers of the army in the mode already provided for in subordinate grades, it is expedient and proper that the grade of lieutenant general may be conferred by brevet.

The Board report against the propriety of authorizing officers of the army to exercise civil tunctions within the United States to ..... laws of war give sufficient powers in time or FICE DEPARTMENT.

The Postmaster General estimates the aggregate sum required for the service of the Post Office Department for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1551, at six millions four hundred and fifty-three thousand doilars. But there are two additional items, not embraced in the estimates, which he thinks ought to be provided for, namely, for new mail locks \$25,000, and Maps of the leading Post

# PRESENTATION.

The Ladies of Charlestown who have purchased a Banner for Jerusalem Ark of Safety of this place design presenting it on the 221 of February. The ceremonies willtake place in the Methodist Church at half past 6 o'clock, P. M. The presentation speech will be made by a young lady.

# SMALL POX.

This loathsome disease, we learn, is now prevailing in this county. It there'ere behooves all to be

# MESSRS. CLAY AND BENTON.

The Washington Republic of Friday says-The Senate on Thursday presented a scene of inerest, in an animated debue between Mr. Clay and Mr. Benton, upon a billor resolve for giving to Missouri two-fifths of the five per cent. agreed to be paid by the United States to the new States on the sales of land lying in the same, for the purpose of building roads to and through said States. Mr. Bentoe claimed that the same had not been paid; Mr Clay urged that they had been, in the expenditures for the Cumberland road-terminating The interest of the debate lay, mainly, in a dis-

play of the characteristics of the two men as public speakers. Mr. Clay, still laboring under a sold which has oppressed him for some days, shook it oil the moment a subject of interest attracted his larity of the scheme to overcome those little secattention, and his clear voice rang through the tional prejudices which exist against it. Senate chamber with its wonted power and meloa few brief and animated sentences, displaying that combination of frankness, fearlessness, and the Old Dominion" on the free Banking principle force, which have given him such power over the minds and hearts of men, placed the subject clearly before the mind. We have never seen Mr. Clay in better parliamentary trim. Mr. Benton replied with his usual amplitude of illustrations, affording altogether, an excellent specimen of a debate-all the more appreciated, because it was unexpected. it is to encounter a pine board or an oak knot, he actually appeared as well pleased as if he had

CENSUS RETURNS .- The Washington Re- MUTINY AND DEATH OF THE MUTIpublic states that complete returns have been received at the Census Office from eight of the States, to wit: Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, the Territory of Minnesota; and that par- vessel from Manilea to San Francisco: tial returns have been received from all the rest of the States and Territories, except California and Oregon

DECISION IN REGARD TO LAND WARRANTS FOR SUBSTITUTES .- We understand, says the Washington Republie, it has been decided by the Pension Office that, where a soldier engaged to serve six months, and actually served four months, and then hired a substitute who served the residue of the term, both are entitled to bounty land under the provisions of the act of September 28,1850, acand a Senate of 36 members. The committee acording to the actual amount of services ren-

PROMOTION BY THE GOVERNOR OF MD. Maj. Thomas G. Harris, to be Colonei 1st Regimental Cavalry District, in place of Col. McPherson,-Captain Edward Schley to be Lt. Colonel, 1st Regimental Cavalry District, in place of Richard Johnson, dec'd .of Majar Harris, same district.

BET.ER - The Rockville (Md.) Journal curred in the county the past week, and free of the disease.

#### HON. HENRY BEDINGER.

To the Editor of the Spirit of Jefferson:

We copy from the "Spirit," of Tuesday, the following appour coment of this gentlemon, by "Many Chimens of Page County:"-Horre, Page County, Va,

February 3d, 1851.

Rean Sig - As the election of Hon Richard fied voters. In 1855, and every tenth year thereas: cuit has created a vacancy for a member in Congress to supply his place, the question naturally arises, who shad that individual be? In looking around, our minds lead us to centre on a gentle man of e-ment ability and experience, in the person of USERY BEDIXGER, E-q. We think that he deserves it at the hands of the Democra-cy of this District; he has served us in Congress or a short space of time with much ability. As The Western semi-committee also report an ap- a Representation, we of Page have ever looked to the gallent Bedinger with pride and admiration; this we say, not to disparage the claims or pretentions of any other gentleman, we know that there are many in the District who are capable of serving as with credit to themselves and honor to the District, yet we do believe, that when Whiggery was stalking it over the landthe political horizon darkened and all seemed to be overwhelmed in the vortex of Whiggery, there was none amongst us so ready and willing to step forward and resc e the Democracy from so dire a calamity, as HENRY BEDINGER. He has as to put it under the provisions of the general rail do feel grateful to him for past services, and that spent the best of his days in our cause, and we the Democracy owe him a debt of lasting gratitude. We Page people prefer him to any other individual, and hope it may be the pleasure of the to attend to the rights of the people as he has ability and will to do. Are we to have a nom; nating Convention or Lot? Convention or no Concention, you will ever find the Democracy of Page as firm as her everlasting mountains. MANY CITIZENS OF PAGE COUNTY.

#### For the Free Press. LIFE ASSURANCE.

In a former number we indicated that premiums paid on a specific sum on which the assured elects to assure his life-let that sum be what it may in amount-to subserve the laterests of family, friendship or benevolence, it is a sum created by a person's annual savings, profitably invested and cared for by others, whom you have compensated for doing it. They can do it better than you, for it is their vocation, to which their whole time and thoughts are given, while the business man's thoughts are or should be engrossed by his own

Supposing a person 30 years old when he assures his life, according to the Carlisle Table of Mortality, Without taking the vok, on motion-Mr. Russell gives that person a life-ad tition of 31.31\*, though mortuary tables may prove this, so that it is now a law like any of the fixed rules of action governing oar outward life, yet it is different when we come to individual cases. How immeasurably more, then, is it the dietate of wisdom to assure, when it is in one's power to do so, for the awful summons cometh at a time we knoweth not, so let the knock of "pale death" be in the meridian of life or near its set of sun, we are assured, and those who recline on us for support have yet some aid in store to enable them to bear up against so sad an event, and one truly so, if there is no provision made in the

past to meet a future that must cor Some may say, we know the advantages of assurance are vast and palpable, yet how few avail themselves of it? How is it that thousands of our citizens, whose means however large, as well as those whose vocations yield them only a support, salaried men of all kinds whose means expire with them: aye in all the relations of life, for many are the casualities of life even to the rich, as securityship, failures in stock investments, diversions in business relations, faithlessness of friendship, and the thousand and one contingencies of life all are exposed to and into which mutations of life the fortunes of men may be swallowed up, almost in a moment by reverses hitherto deemed at best hardly possible - how is it, that all these intelligent, shrewd men should neglect adopting so obvious, casy a method of placing their families beyond the reach of want and suffering when the heads of these families are no more? To such it may be replied the reasons are thany. Ignorance of the subject, from never having given the morality and science of Life Assurance a proper examination, is doubtless the main reason why so few insure. Another ason is, that faral habit

ing creatures, Man! But these things do not justify such a course, though they may account for it. Nor is there a doubt that the day will come when such improvidence will universally be considered not merely

unwise, but morally guilty Look at the multitudes of men in all the business relations of life who spend nearly or quite the whole year's earnings on that periodic space of time's subsistence of their household. They lavish upon their families every sort of luxury and surround them with all life's embellishments, without setting apart one dollar towards a provision for them in case of their own sudden removal. Can they ask themselves what is to befall these helpless ones, with a host of artificial in addition to their natural wants, totally unused to labor or self-help, if left destitute by the sudden decease of those or whom they had depended? It would seem impossible. And yet what ineffable improvidence! what absolute cruelty!

\* The Carlisle Table does not give the true duration of American Life-it being an English Life Table. Experience teaches that Life in the United States is the shortest, except Irish, among the civilized nations-it being at least four years shorter than what the Carlisle Tables allow, to-wit: 31.31.

FOR THE FREE PRESS. ALEXANDRIA, Feb. 7th 1851. DEAR SIR :- We have but little of interest stirring around us. The opening and completion of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal has induced the most extensive arrangements for the coal trade which, will open early in the spring, will greatly increase activity. The Orange and Alexandria Rail Road is going forward with great spirit, and it is confidently expected that the first 30 miles will

be ready for use by July or August next, The passage of the Manasses Gap Bill through the lower House by a vote so decided in its favor, with its chances of success in the Senate, has imparted new life and hope in the hearts of our citizens enerally, and we are looking with the deepest interest to the action of that body. The indications of its final passage are favorable-a desperate effort however will be made by its opponents to defeat it. We trust, however, in the growing popu-

A Bili has been reported by Mr. Guerrant in the House of Delegates incorporating "The Bank of with a capitol of not less than two huadred thousand dollars and not to exceed one million. The Free Banking system has been found to work well in some of the Northern States, and I have no doubt will become popular with us when fairly tried .--This movement originated with a citizen of this town, whose knowledge and experience in such The decision of the Senate was, of course, for Mr. | matters, gives the premium of success to any insti-Clay; but Mr. Benton smiled at the result, and as tution receiving his support. The mercantile part he always seems like a bullet, not caring whether of the community stands greatly in need of increased monied facilities, and I doubt not but that the "Bank of the Old Dominion," if established, will meet even every want.

that a bloody scene occurred on board the bark Wm H Shaller, of that city, commanded by Capt. Maryland, Kentucky, Wisconsin, and from Wm. H. Gardner, Jr., on the late passage of that Saturday, but on Sunday seemed to have

It appears that the W. H. S. was short handed in the port of M. and could not proceed on her voyage until at least two men were obtained. Through the aid of the Consul an Englishman and a Portuguese, two notorious bad characters, were procured .--When a few days out, one of the pair refused to obey orders, and after a few words clinched Capt. G., and the two fell upon the deck. While down, the second new recruit was observed approaching Captain Gardner with a drawn dagger- The latter instantly drew a revolver and shot the villain with whom he was scuffling through the neck, and then sprang upon his feet just in time to escape the uplifted dirk of the second mutineer, by shoeting bim through the heart. This bloody scene was made quick. All the officers and the rest of the crew were below, and had not time to render any assistance to Capt. G. before the fate of one of them was sealed. Capt Geo Cost Biser to be Major, in place and the other (the one shot through the neck) was rendered helpless. He lingered along and got marly well, until the vessel reached the Bay of San Francisco, when he leaped says that no new case of small pox has oc- overboard and was drowned. Capt Gard ner left his vessel in the last named port. and hopes that they will soon be entirely and returned to Boston, by way of the Isthmus and the last steamer to New York.

# DISCHARGE OF A FEGITIVE SLAVE.

GREAT REJOICING .- Euphemia Williams, the alleged fugitive slave of Mr. Purnell, of Worcester county, Md., arrested in Philadelphia a few days ago, was discharged on Saturday, the court deciding that the claimant had failed to identify her. The

A slight attempt at applause in the courtroom was promptly suppressed. The intelligence of the discharge of the woman was quickly spread to those without, who raised loud shouts of joy. The woman, with her children, was hurried into a carriage, which was driven to the Philadelphia Institute, in Lombard street above Seventh. Here she was introduced to a large audience of colored people, who bailed her appearance with lively joy; several excited speeches were made, and great enthusiasm was manifested in and outside of the building and the adja-

When Euphemia came out, the horses were taken out of the carriage, a long rope was attached, which was taken by as many colored people as could well get hold of it, and the woman and her children were thus conveyed to her home. The procession was accompanied by several hundreds of men. women and boys. They dragged the carriage past the residence of the counsel for the respondent, cheering them by huzzas of the wildest kind, and then took the vehicle and its contents to the residence of the woman, Germantown Road, beguiling the way with songs and shorts. The whole scene was one of wild, ungovernable excitement, produced by exuberance of joy.

The peculiarity of the case excited the most lively sympathies in every breast .-Money to any amount could have been raised to buy the woman's time if the decision had been against her Before the hearing was concluded, T. C. Rockbill and Henry C. Townsend, Esgrs, each tendered Mr. Brown a check for \$500 to purchase her freedom .-There would have been no difficulty in collecting a very large sum about the court room if occasion required it.

MR. CLAY AND THE TEXANS. The Brownsville (Texas) Sentinel contains a letter from Mr. Clay, in reply to one from Messrs. Fauntleroy, Hastings and Dirgan, of that place, expressing approbation of his career and services.

Drawing, as my life is to a close, it is highly consoling and gratifying to-me to know that when I go, I shall leave behind me the friendly and favorable opinion of many of my countrymen, residing in all parts of our Aikansas common country.

With respect to the measures of compromise brought forward at the last session of Congress, to which you allude, I was anxious for their adoption, and indifferent whether that was done by separate bills or by one general bill Finally they all did pass, and substantially as originally proposed. It afforded me satisfaction to be able to concur in such liberal proposals to Texas, as it does to find that, true to her own interests and to the Union, she has acceded to them by

such a large and decisive majority. I cling to the hope that the measures of compromise will ultimately tranquilize the country. On the surface of public affairs here all at present is smooth and quiet; nor do I believe, on the only subject which now upper story, a suite of selve of the building will do I believe, on the only subject which now produces excitement any where. (the fugitive slave bill,) will agitators be able to effect any thing, or to disturb the delibered. Congress.

Of He lgesville, Va, was frozen to death of Hast Tuesday night week, a few miles north last Tuesday night week. That Mr. L had

started in charpaltyannears that Mr. L had man, from Downieville, for the purpose of going to Grass Valley, and while on the road, late in the afternoon, Mr Light complained of being unwell. As he was unable to proceed Mr. Pullman, after leaving him blankets, left for the purpose of reaching Negro Tent, where he expected to get aid. On returning from this place that night, he sought for Mr. L. in vain, although he found the blankets, where he had lain. The snow was about a foot in depth, but the night being rather dark, no traces could be discovered, and concluding that the deceased had recovered from his attack and had gone in another direction, Mr. P. returned to Negro Tent. The next morning Mr. P. went back again, and found the remains of Mr. Light about fifty yards from where he had left him the preceding night. Doubtless Mr. L. was laboring under a slight aberration of mind, and had wandered away from his blan-

The deceased had a small amount of money on his person, which has been brought to this city, and will be sent to his wife. A few days previous to his death he informed Mr. Pullman, that he had \$3 000 loaned in Sacramento, and as no note or bill of deposit has as yet been found, it is hoped that for the sake of a bereaved and helpless wife, the person to whom the money was loaned, will communicate the fact to Mr. Hedges, of the firm of G B. Post & Co., on J street, in this city, who has taken charge of the effects of

#### DEATH OF ATTORNEY GEN. RICH-ARDSON.

Our community was startled yesterday morning by the announcement of the death of the Hon. George R. Richardson, Attorney General of Maryland. It was known that he was sick, but few were aware of his dangerous illness, or had any intimation of the fact, until it was reported that he was dead. Some four weeks since he was attacked with inflamatory rheumatism, but under the medical treatment of Dr. Thomas Buckler, he had nearly recovered. An imprudent exposure then brought on an attack of erysipclas, which, together with a congestion of the lungs, rapidly prostrated him. On Saturday evening Dr. John Buckler was called in as consulting physician, but it was found "hat medical skill could not avert the flat that By private advices received in Boston, we learn had gone forth-he died about 3 o'cleck yesterday morning at his rooms in the "City Hotel" He had been delirious at times on recovered his mental faculties, and was aware of his approaching dissolution. At his request, a number of his intimate friends were sent for, and were with him when death removed his spirit from its tenement of clay. Baltimore Clipper of Tuesday.

# AN EXPERIMENT.

A new light was displayed from the bluff of Staten Island, at Fort Tompkins, Wednesday night, which for brilliancy and clearness surpasses any thing of the kind ever shown in this country. It is an invention of Professor Grant, to whom Congress appropriated \$5,000, for experimental purposes .--From about half past 7, until 15 minutes after eight c'clock, the rays of the light were thrown on Castle Garden,-a distance in a direct line of 81 miles, when the superiority of this light, over any other, at least on our coast, was clearly demonstrated. After that time the light was so arranged as to east the rays, on the light ship, anchored about 44 miles South East from Sundy Hook, with, no doubt, a similar eff at to that wienessed previously.

IT A man named Cru-by, a druggist, at Philadelphia has been crested for describe his pretty young wife and child.

#### LOCUST YEAR.

The seventeen year locusts will appear this vear in all those parts of Maryland Pennsylvania, Virginia and Delaware, embraced in the follow. ing boundaries; commencing at the Delaware river, near Germantown, Penn.; thence southwesterly to the Blue Ridge of the Alleghany mountains along the east side of the Ridge to Landoun and Fanquier counties, Va.; thence easteriy through a portion of Fairfax, across the Potomac, above Georgetown, through Montgomery and upper portion of Anne Arundel counties, Md , to the Patapsco; along the north side of the Patapsco to the Chesapeake Bay; thence to Havre de Grace, through to Cecil county, and Delaware, to the Delaware river; up the west side of that river to the beginning. These boundaries are nearly correct, as they appeared in 1834, though they may now vary. The locust will certainly appear on the South side of the Patapsco, at least, in small numbers, as, during the breeding season in 1834, great numbers were blown over the river by a high wind that prevailed in the height of that season. In Fauquier county, Va., also, this district laps over another district for several miles, and though the Locusts will appear this year on the strip of territory thus doubly occupied, yet they appeared on the same place in 1843, and will appear there again in 1860, thus appearing alternate in 8 and 9 years .-Over the whole of the large tract of country embraced in the above boundaries, the locusts will appear in myliads. They will begin to leave the round about the 20th of May, a few days earlier or later, according to the weather. From the 1st to the 10th of April, their chambers may be uncovered by simply shaving off an inch or two of the surface soil with a spade, in any place where trees or shrubbery stood in 1834. They will resemble small augur holes, 2 to 4 inches apart; and the grub or larvæ may now be found by digging a foot or two deep in the same situaons. Those who have valuable shrubbery, will do well to protect it by covering it with cheap gauze, f om the 1st to the 20th of June. They will do no other harm than that of causing the death of the small twigs, by their perforations

for depositing their eggs. GIDEON B. SMITH, M. D.

# CENSUS OF THE SLAVE POPULATION.

	A STATE OF THE PARTY AND ADDRESS.	
The Philadelphia North	American	gives the
following census of slavery		
	1850.	1840
East Tennessee	19,143	15.855
Middle Tennessee	129,152	108.735
South Carolina, 11 district	s 162,930	135.706
Kentucky	211.237	182,258
Delaware	2,238	2.605
Virginia	475,973	448,998
Maryland	90.144	89 719
Texas, 28 counties	12,372	
Missouri	87.617	48.941
Alabama, 8 counties	33 121	21,868.
Mississippi, 22 counties	86,504	64.546
North Carolina	288,000	215.817

46.000 19.935 1.644,420 1.384,972 The whole number of slaves in the U. States at the date of the last census was 2.487.356 .-. above increase of 259,448 is at the rate of 183 per cent, in ten years, which, applied to the total, would make the present number of slaves

in the Union about 2,933,000. NEW FAMILY HOTEL -Noah's New York Times contains a minute description of the splendid hotel proposed to be erected in that effy:

"Two thirds of the stock is to be in the hands of those who reside in the hotel Resident members are to be voted in as in other clubs-three black balls excluding the applicant. Amore the improvements in the style of building there will be a large play room for young olden in an be a large play-room for youngons, and a gym-

The Hon James McDowell bas none .

himself as a ca-didate for re-election to Cong .... from the Shenandoah District DEATH OF A VENERABLE CLERGYMAN Dr. Wm. McWhir, a Presbyterian elergyman, aged 92, died in Liberty county, Geo. lately. He was an Irishman by birth, and about 1783 settled at Alexandria, Va., where he taught school. He was often the inmateof Gen. Washington's house, at Mount Vernon, and was also the instructor of two of the General's nephews. His name has long been associated with public instruction in

JOHN M. Berrs .- This gentleman says l. will not consent to be a candidate for Congress, except it be the wish of the majority of the whole district : and exhorts the whigs to unite in defeating any anti-compramise candidate that may be presented. He says he will vote for any conservative Union-loving democrat, who was in favor of the compromise, in preference to any whig who was

THE WASHINGTON GLOBE. The Typographical Society of Washington city having raised the wages of journeymen printers twenty per cent, the Daily and Weekly Globe the proprietor says, cannot be printed without a serious loss; therefore they will be dis-

continued on the fourth of March next. CALIFORNIA SENATOR .- The whig triumph the deceased .- Sacramento Transcript, Dec. in Sacramento city. electing three members, gives a whig majority in the Legislature. which will in all probability give California a whig U. S. Senator. The principal caudidates are the Hon. John Wethered, formerly representative in Congress from Baltimore county : Col Fremont; Mr. Crane, editor of the California Courier; W. F. Bryant, and Col. Collier, collector of the port of San

> Success of the Manassas Gap Railroad. -The Senate of Virginia, on Saturday, finally passed the bill, with some slight modifications, for a subscription on the part of the State of two fifths of \$800,000 to the Manassas Gap Railroad Company, by a majority of eight votes. APPOINTMENT .- It is stated that J. S.

Pendleton, of Virginia, (formerly M. C.) has been appointed Charge d'Affaires of New Grenada, to ill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Dr. Foote. BLUE RIDGE TUNNEL .- We hear a report, which we hope may prove true that the exeavators on the other side of the ridge have got through the rock, and come upon clay, and that the indications are.

We should rejoice to hear a confirmation of this report.-Richmond Republican. Too TRUE TO MAKE A JEST OS .- Aunt Phebe says it makes her shudder to read so many advertisements of printers " for boys of good moral character," for she knows that

favorable duat the hardest part of their work is over,

they intend making "devils" of them. Body Found .- The body of Mr. Thomas Attlesberger, who was drowned in Willis' Creek on the 7th of December last, at Cumberland, Md., was found on Sunday week in the lock of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal,

at the edge of that town. Love LETTER .- The editor of the Centreville (Md) Times thus shows up his gallantry :- The love letter sent to the editor the other day in mistake, from a young lady, will be kept a secret. Be more purticular

FARM SOLD .- The farm belonging to Casper Rinker, Jr., known as a part of the Ficklin tract, was sold at public auction, on Monday last, to Mr John Carter, of Clarke cons ty, at thirty nine dollars and one cent per



ton Mr. Samuel M. Chap, ti Miss Marries E. Clip daughter of the late Mr. John Clip all of this coun-On Thursday the 6th inst, by the Rev. Josian Black Mr. J. W. Daving to Miss Sanan E. McQuinces, all of Berkeley county. At Mount Pleasant Frederick county, Va., on Tuesday, the dilibrate, by the Rev Samuel Redgers, Mr. John B. C. Neuron, of Winchester, to Miss Lucina L. METEGAR, dengleter of Daniel Metzgar, Esq. On the 4th agai . by Elder T. D Herndon, Mr. Joseph H. GILBERT TO MISS ANN E. PRANKLIN, both of Loudoug county. On the 24 Stime, in Chichneaw county, Mississippi, Cynus B. Bardwes, Seq., formerly of Lexington, Va., to Miss State 4. Carra.

Died:

On Saturday evening last, Mrs. Mary Lewis, con-62d year of her age. On Friday last at Shenandoah City, Mr. Arsa-LOM Sair, lage 12 years. He leaves a wife and stabiling for 10 or 12 horses, meat house, life house, children Historians were attend to the grave by &c. &c. This Farm adjoins the lands of Col. B. the Musons and Sons of Temperance. Davenport, Geo. Isler, B. C. Washington, J. L. whe Masons and Sons of Temperance. fever, loss Warman, aged 5 months and 20 days, and tion with the Baltimore and Cumberland Railroad, on the 28th alt. J. Carson Warson, aged 5 years, sons and the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal of Philip T. K. and Mary J. Richards, formerly of THE WESTWOOD FAR On the 24th alt, of scarlet fever, at the residence of

Mr. Joan A Grebs, in Frederick county, Eugenia J., daughter of the late Geo. Kitchen, of Clarke county, aged a years and 2 months. On the 31st alt. Mrs, Cathaune, wife of Henry S. of which apwards of 60 is well timbered, and the Baker, of Frederick county, in the 35th year of her age. remainder cleared, but without improvements .-At his residence in Byrkeley county, on the 1st inst.,

Three loads per day to Cameron's Depart two to

Charlestown, or one to H. Ferry, can be made in

Feb. 14, 185 Mr. David Millers, in the 71st year of his age. At Buttstown, Herkeley county, Va., on the 16th ulti-At Darkesville, Berkelev county, on the 15th ult

Miss AMANDA Hours, aged about 25 years-Local Memoranda.

Saturday morning 15th inst, at 11 o'clock.

The last Quarterly Meeting of the Methodist Episcopal Church, for Harpers-Ferry and Bolliar Station is to begin Feb. 36, at 62 r m. The Presiding Elder and other Ministers expected [Jan. 3], 1851.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE

Baltimore Market.

maccolph & Latimer's CIRCULAR OF-PRIORS IN THE BALTIMORE MARKET For the week ouding Feb. 11 1851. Reported expressly for the Pres Press.

Appear -- A good many coming in and they are | Esq. BUTTER - Sale of Poll at 14 to 18 cs -Glades at 12nd 14 to 16 etc-Keg at 8 to 10 ets. Beesway, - No sales, held nominally at 23 cts. emand and sales of Shoulders at 7 to 71 c.s.; Sides at 71 to 81 cts.; Hams at 9 to 11. CATTLE .- The whole number offered was 600 head-425 of which were sold at \$2 to \$3.25 on the hoof, equal to \$1 to \$6,50 nett., and the balance Coux - We have to note a decline in this article. Sales of White at 60 to 62 cts-Yellow 57 to 60.

CLOVERSEED - Sales of new seed at \$5 to \$5,25. Denaskins .- Sales at 14 to 18 cts. Disco Facir. - Apples are selling at \$1 to \$1,12 per bash. Peaches at \$1,50 to \$1,75. FERRIERS -Sales at 28 to 35 cts. FERRIERS -Sales at \$1,40 to \$1,45.

How a lite have been made this week at \$1.50 for Blood and sales at \$5.50 to \$5,75.

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GAZETTE OFFICE Feb. 11, 1851. From - Murket stendy-sales of 300 a 400 bbls. from stores at \$4.50 Wagon price \$1.372, receipts light, and mostly going into store for laster prices. Gann - Receipts of Wheat light. No change in prices. We quote good red at 90 a 98 cts., while 100 a 105 cs. No sales of corn, one cargo 1800 bushels unsold when our report was made up. our last. Live Hogs are selling at \$6.

The following highly complimentary notice of Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry appeared in the Ladies' Magizine and Album, Boston, Mass, Nov. 1548.

\* We have but dittle faith in most of the advertised medicines; but having been, during the last six weeks reverely afflicted with a cold and cough, which nearlydisabled us from attending to our basiness, we were induced to try the Bulsain of Wild Cherry, and are happy to say, that we have been benefitted by its rie; in our hamble opinion ic is one of the best preparations for colds, coughs and of the lungs now in us BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS AND IMITA.

TIONS. The unparallelled and astonishing efficacy of Dr. WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERFY, in all the diseases for which it is recommended, curing many cases after the skill of the best physicians has proved unof similar name and appearance, for the genuine-Balsam mispelling the name and lorging certificates to re-semble those of the true Balsam . Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry is the only genuine. The rest merely imitate the name of the original while they pessess none of its virtues. Remember the original and only genuine WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY, always bears the name of I RUTTS, on the outside wrapper.
BE CAREFUL WHAT YOU BUY.

All imitations and counterfeits, being put up by per-sons ignorant of the diseases of the human system, and the effect of saedicines, are entirely unsafe and danger The gonuine and original article, which has been proved so long, was originally put up by WILLIAMS & Co., Philadelphia, and is now prepared and sold wholesale and retail by Sett. W. Fowle, Boston, Mass., and is now for sale by his agents. Pemember, the original and only genuine article al-

ways bears the written signature of 1. BUTTS on the L. M. SMITH & CO. For sale by Charlestown. L. P. HARTMAN. Winchester, And by Druggists generally every where,

THE REGISTER OF DEBATES.

The undersigned having been elected official pub Aisher to the Vindinia Reform Convention be gives notice that the first number of his REGIS TER OF THE DEBA ES AND PROCEED. INGS of that body will be mailed to Subscribers about Thursday the Jan 23. Those who desire to subscribe to this publication, should do so at once, as back numbers egated he supplied after the first impressions are sincken of. Price \$2 per copy. Jan. 21, 1151. RO. H. GALLAHER.

To the Stockholders

BERRYVILLE AND CHARLESTOWN TURNPIKE CO TOY the special request of the chairman of your Decumilities, appointed at a meeting of the Stockmolders held at Charlestown, to investigate the state of the road, as heances, &c., I hereby appoint Tues day the 20th last, as the day for the meeting of the byterian Courch, have formed themselves into Stockholders in Berry's lie, to receive the report of kaid Commistee. HOWARD P. THORNTON, Prest.

Feb. 14, 1851. Spirit copy. English Carden Seed. JUST received a large lot of Ault's celebrated genuine Euglish Garden Seed, of the same kind that gave such general satisfaction last year. My assortment embraces almost every variety in the

T. RAWLINS.

Bughes' Iron. JUST received another large lot of all the odd sizes of Rounds and Squares, together with a full assortment of Plaugh and Bar Iron, of all sizes. from Hughes' for sale on accommodating termsa discount made always for the eash T. RAWLINS. JUST received Kidd's Orawing Knives, Jointer Birs, Playering and Penning Trewels Files, Slide and Filelog Rules, Ur Balls, Clout Nails, Braits, Thum Latches, Bel Screen, Wagon Bex-

es. Wire and Harrin Bam s. F. RAWLINS. Peb. 14. 15511 Tell Title Bit Set State 10 BBLS MACK BEEL for sale by Feb. 14 H. L. EBY M. SON. WINCHESTER LIME for Same by H. L EBY & SON.

1360 ACRES OF VALUABLE JEFFERSON COUNTY LAND, FOR SALE.

WISHING to make other disposition of my fords. I offer for sale all of my landed property in Jefferson County, comprising unwards of thirdness busined and rinty acres, 520 acres of which is land of the first quality, and very agreeably situated as respects proximity to market, healthiness of location and pleasantness of neighborhood THE BRADDOCK PARM. about a mile west of Charlestown, the County seat

Contains 300 Acres, about 40 of which is in timber and the remainder

divided into fields and loss. The improvements upon it are two dwellings provements upon it are two dwe lings of containing one four and the other the five rooms, with each an excellent well of water convenient to it. One of these (th "old well," said to have been dug by Gea'l-Bradsoft of Dr. John B. Lewis, dec'd, of this county, in the | doc'd's men when on their westward march.) is also convenient to the out buildings, consisting of a new and commodious double com-house with granaries; On Thursday lart, at the tenidence of Mr. George I. Ranson, and others. Three loads per day to the Boltz in Herk 1-5 county, Mrs. Eve Zomeso, in the team can with ease be made to the Dessit of the Winchester and Harpers Ferry railroad as Charles-In Combridge 184, Ind., or the 20th alt. of scarlet | town, or one load to H. Ferry, the point of Janc-THE WESTWOOD FARM

rather more than three miles from Charlestown, and adjoining the lands of R. W. Bayler, Dr. S. Scollay, Mrs. H. L. Alexander and others, Contains 220 Acres.

one day from this farm Without extravagant laudation, I believe as I have before stated, that these lands are omnong the first quality lands of Jefferson; and as such deserving the attention of those desiring to make landed The remaining 840 acres is situated on the East the Shenardoah River and is from four to niles distant from Charlestown, extending back Lif A Protracted Meeting will be held by the from the River to the top of the Blue Ridge Moun-Methodist E Church at Kabletown, commencing on tain, and embracing a small portion of very produc-tive river bottom cleared and comfortably improved, river bill in timber, middle-bottom partially cleared and with several small tenements. These or four

three equal annual instalments with interest from bonds. The deferred payments to be secured | merit a share of the public patronage. by deed of trust on the property hould I be absent, my lather, B. C. Washington residing near Charlestown, will give all necessary information to those desiring THOS. B. WASHINGTON.

February 14, 1851. Frederick (MI.) Examiner and National Intelli-3 times a week for one month and sent this Office

VALUABLE FARM IN

ROCKBRIDGE COUNTY

FOR SALE. O'N Monday the 10th day of March next, I will are selling off a lot of shoes of all kinds at less than cost. Call and see J. McDANIEL Ag't

Valuable Farm

cents.

Cocil demand and sale at 42.05.

Cocil demand and sale at he Alum Spring was never failing streams pasgoel as stone House, a New Bank to the firm will please call and pay him.

one HARD upon the Farm. There is also a good to HARD upon the Farm. The control of the control o until the purchase money is paid. For any information that may be wanted, apply to the subscriber living in Lexington, Va. WM. C. LEWIS, Ex'or and agent for the heirs of C. P. Dorman, dec'd. Feb. 14, 1851-3t.

Share of Shannondale for Sale. BEEF CATTLE -- No change in the markets since | THE undersigned will sell, at Public Auction, at the Court-House in Charlestown, Jefferson v. Va., on MONDAY the 17th way of March being the first day of the March Court of said county, his Stare or Interest in the Stannondale Property, near said town, consisting of one eleventh part of the same. Independently of the valuable Medicinal Springs and Hotel, a part of this property, the Traction which they are situated contains about .

190 Acres Of Prime Jefferson Land, A good portion of which is Superior Bottom. The terms of sale are one-fourth of the purchase money in cash, and the remainder in three equal payments at six, twelve and eighteen months, bearing interest from the day of sale, secured by bond availing, has effected a large and increasing demand, with good personal security. It is deemed unnector it. This fact has caused many imprincipled counterfeiters and imitators to palm off sparious mixtures, known out enquiries addressed to Bishrod C. known out enquiries addressed to Bishrod C. Washington, Esq., President of the Shannondale Company, or to the subscriber, at Charlestown, Jefferson county, Va., will receive prompt attention. ROBERT T. BROWN. February 14, 1851.

The "Ballimore Patriot," and " Notimal Intelligeneer" will publish three times a week until day of sale, and send their occounts to this office immedi-Boot and Shoe Making.

HE nedersigned would respectfully inform the 1 citizens of Shepherdstown and its vicinity, that he is prepared to manufacture to once every description of work in his line, and hopes by strict attention to business, and a desire to please, to obrain a share of the public patronage. Repairing done in the neatest manner Shop on German street, West of Rumsey, JOS. S. FLEWING. Shepherdstown, February 14 1851-31.

MOTHOR To Cattle Graziers and Drovers.

Office of the. Win. d. Pot. R. R. Co., WINCHESTER, Va., Peb. 3, 1851. RRANGEMENTS are now completed by which Cattle loaded in the car at this place passed directly through to Baltimore. They will be carried through from Winchester to Balti-more at 82 per head, when the gross weight does not exceed ? 200 lbs. The excess above that weight, at 12; cents per 100 lbs., through. Dovers with the caute, from Winchester to Baltimore free. J. GEO. HEIST, Agent. February 14, 1851-16.

Ladies' Sewing Circle.

The Ladies of Charlestown, attached to the Presan association for Religious purposes. They therefore sobeit Sewans, &c. The regular meeting evenings will be Mondays. Mrs. Caro Moore. Mrs. C. G. STEWART, will receive articles for the Feb. 14, 1851.

ELECTION NOTICE. NOTICE is hereby given that an Election will be head at the Court House, in Jefferson coun-OFICE is hereby given that an Election will

ty, on Priday the 21st, for the election or one Trustee to all the vacancy in the board of Trustees of the Corporation of Charlestown, occasione by the resignation of James Clothier JOS. STARRY, D. S. for David Humpreys, dee'd. February 14, 1851.

ADLES superior silk lasting Gaiters, and Phil-au-Sphia made shoes, for sale by Feb 14. WM. S. LOCE & CO. CEMENT.—Hydraulic Cement just traceived and for sale by H. L. EBY & SON. FRESH CARDEN SEEDS jon received by H. L. EBY & SON. WINDOW GLASS. - Just received Flebch by 10 to 14 to 26 Also, Paints, Olio, &c. Apolicy by of Yeast Powders in 25 na hages, Salernin- de T. RAWLINS. Feb, 14, 1851;

THE BRITISH PERIODICALS

THE Co partnership, heretoforcexisting between the subscribers under the firm of G. H. Beck-with & Co. has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to the late firm are respectfully requested to make payment to G. H. G. H. BECKWITH Beckwith. SAMUEL SCOLLAY Middleway, February 5, 1851-31. Spirit and Martin-burg Gazette, copy it and send account to this office.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE Of a Valuable Mill and Farm.

BY a decree in the case of Ranson's Executors against David Resemberger, at the last term of the Circuit Court, I am appointed a Special Comnissioner to make sale of the well-known MILL AND FARM now held by David Rosenbergerformerly held by Watson-about one mile from Smithfield, containing about 310 or 350 Acres of Land,

or of so much thereof as will satisfy all claims upon the land. Accordingly, on Monday, the 10th day March, (being the first day of March Court,) bei the Court House, in Martinsburg I shall offer the said property at public' auction, to the highest bid der-first selling the Mill with about 100 Acres thereto attached-and if not sufficient to meet the liens upon the estate, I shall then proceed, at the same time and place, to sell the residue of the tracts - or so much as may be found necessary. I shall before the sale have the fand divided by the Surveyoro: the County, and will exhibit on the day of sale the platt of the same-until this division is made the precise quantity in each lot cannot be specified-but as at present advised, the Mill will be first sold, with the 100 Acres attached. The terms of the sale by the decree, are-one-third in eash, one-third in twelve months, and one-third in two years from the day of sale-the purchaser securing the deferred payments by Trust Deed on

Feb. 14, 1851-ts. - A CARD.

D. H. CONRAD,

Spec'l Com'r.

TIME undersigned having formed a Copartnership under the name and style of WILLIAM S. LOCK & CO., for the purpose of conducting the MERCANTILE Busings in Charlestown, begs leave to inform their respective friends, as well as the customers of the late firm of Wm. S. Lock & Co., that they have now on hand ; general and well selected stock of

Staple and Fancy Goods, GROCERIES QUEENSWARE, HARDwith several small tenements. These or four ords and many fine springs, thence to the top a mountain, well timbered. The growth on two weeks. Having been both raised to the busiand embracing chestnut, locust, pine, oak, ness, and one of the firm been engaged more than v, and other woods. This land, as the low- 20 years in the purchase and sale of Goods, and become more sparcely timbered, must ad- possessing facilities to purchase on the best terms. vance in value. It can be sold entire or divided. - they flutter themselves that they will be able to The Terms of Sale are-Onethird of the purchase | sell Goods as cheap as they can be purchased in money to be paid in hand, and the remainder in any place West of Battimore. They hope by strict attention to business, and a desire to please, to WILLIAM S. LOCK.

AMBROSE W. CRAMER Jefferson Boot and Shoe Factory.

CITY made Ladies Shoes just received; Ladies Kid shoes; Morocco shoes; Kid slippers, and a full stock of misses and children's shoes, which, with the work of our own manufacture, makes our stock very complete.
500 pair of shoes 25 per cent, less than cost. We

for S. RIDENOUR. upon the waters of Whistle Creek, of which Gen'l.
C. P. Dorman, died seized. This Tract contains materials of the best quality, and is always ready to manufacture all kinds of work promptly at the shortest notice, and warranted to give satisfaction. Februar 7, 1851.

Notice. THE Co-partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the name and firm of the name of the firm in settling up. Those indebted to the firm will please as a line of the firm will please as line in the firm of the firm will please as line in the firm in the fi

"SHENANDOAH CITY." THE proprietors of the "Gulf Mill" property, near Harpers-Ferry, Va., have adopted nandoah City " as the name by which it shall hereafter be known. They therefore request that all communications intended for them shall be addressed to "Shenandoah City," Harpers-Ferry, Va. Post Office. THE PROPRIETORS.

Feb. 7, 1851-3m. OREM, HOPKINS & ROSE,

Importers and Jobbers of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS, TRIMMINGS AND GOODS GENERALLY ADAPTED TO MEN'S WEAR, Have taken Warehouse NO. 238 BALTIMORE STREET,

(Four doors west of Charles street.) BALTIMORE, F OR the purpose of conducting the above business in all its branches. They will be above ness in all its branches. They will be able to show as large and desirable a stock of goods, in their line, as can be found in the United States. February 7, 1851-6w.

Dissolution of Partnership. THE partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the name and firm of Win. sek & Co., was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of February. Win. S. Lock is authortzed to settle the entire business of the late firm. WM. S. LOCK. JOHN D. LINE.

NEW FIRM. TOHN D LINE having this day deawn out as

J a partner I have associated with me in the Marcantile Business Mr. Ambrose W. Cramer, The business will be conducted as heretofore in the name and under the firm of Wm. S. Lock & WM. S. LOCK. February 1, 1851.

LIFE INSURANCE. IE subscriber. Agent (in place of Mc.J.J. Miller) for the Penn Mutual Life Instrance Company of Philadelphia, is now prepared to re-ceive applications for insurance on life. The Company is based on the muroal Insurance system, without liability beyond the amount of premiums, Individuals insured in this Company become members of the corporation and vote for trustees. All profits of the Company are divided annually among the insured for life.

LAWSON BOTTS. Feb 7, 1851 -2m Notice. NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislature, for a charter to construct a Toll Bridge across the Shenandoah River at the Gulf Mills. I. GREGORY.

Feb. 7, 1851. Tobacco. WE have just received a superior article of chewing lobacco, of various brands, which we invite the lovers of the weed to examine; Lynch-burg smoking ditto, for sale cheap by

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TATE & HOOFF

Lynchby

H. L. EBY & SON. TATE & HOOFF.

Winchester Female Academy monce the 15th of February, 1851. The course of Study. Terms, &c., may be seen by reference to Catalogue, which will be furnished to any one wishing information relative to the School. February 7. 1951-3t. PAKER, PRINCIPAL

NOTICE. LL persons having claims against the estate of A Welter Shirley, dec'd, will please present them immediately, properly authenticated, for adjustment, in order to an early closing of the estate. GEO W. BRISCOE, Admir. February 7. 1851-31.

Bank Stock for Sale. TTALLEY BANK STOCK for Sale. Applica-V tion may be made to Mr. WM N. CRAIGHILL. for particulars. Should the above stock not be sold privately before Monday the 3d day of March next it will then be offered at public sale before Taylor's Hotel. Winchester, at 4 o'clock, P. M. Feb. 7, 1851.

CLOVER SEED —Just receive a lot of prime Clover Seed, raised in the County—for sale by Feb. 7. TATE & HOOF. GLASS, D by 10 and 10 by 12 for sale by H. L. EBY & SC H. L. EBY & SON L ONG Handle Shovels and Manure Forks, for H. L. EBY & SON H. L. EBY & SON

FARMER'S GUIDE, LEONARD SCOTT & CO., NO. 54 GOLD ST., NEW YORK, Continue to publish the four leading British Quar-terly Reviews and Black wood's Magazine; in addition to which they have recently commenced the

publication of a valuable Agricultural work, called "Farmer's Guide to Scientific and Practical Agriculture,"

By HENRY STEPHENS, F. R. S. of Edinburgh, au-thor of the "Book of the Fund" &c., &c.; assisted by John Po Norton, M. A., New Haven, Professor Scientific Agriculture, &c. &c. This highly valuable work will comprise two large royal octave volumes, containing over 1400 rages, with 18 or 20 splendid steel engravings, and more than 600 engravings on wood, in the highest style of the art, illustrating almost every implement I husbandry now in use by the best farmers, the best methods of ploughing, planting, having har-vesting &c., &c., the various domestic animals in their highest perfection; in short, the picterial feature of the book is unique, and will render it of incalculable value to the student of agriculture.

The work is being published in Semi-monthly Numbers, of 61 pages each, exclusive of the Steel engravings, and when not taken in connection with the Reviews or Blackwood, is sold at 25 Cents each, or \$5 for the entire work in numbers, of which there will be at least twenty-two.

The British Periodicals Re-published are as fol-LONDON QUARTERLY REVIEW (Conservative) EDINBURGH REVIEW (Whig), NORTH BRITISH REVIEW (Free-Church), WESTMINSTER REVIEW (Liberal), BLACKWOOD'S EDINBURGH MACAZINE (Tory.)

Although these works are distinguished by the political shades above indicated, ret but a small portion of their contents is devoted to political subects. It is their literary character which gives them their chief value, and in that they stand confessedly far above all other journals of their class. Blackwood, still under the masterly guidance of Christopher Nortà, maintains its ancient celebrity, and is, at this time, inusually attractive, from the serial works of Bulwer and other literary notables, written for that magazine, and first appearing in its columns both in Great Britain and in the United States. Such works as "The Caxtons" and "My New Novel" (both by Bulwer), "My Peninsular Medal," "The Green Hand," and other serials, of which numerous rival editions are issued by the leading publishers it this country, have to be reprinted by those publishers from the pages of Blackwood, after it has been issued by Messrs. Scott 4. Co., so that Suberibers to the Reprint of that Magazine may always rely on having the earliest reading of these fase pating tales.

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13 00 four 14.00 allfive [Payments to be mide in all cases in Advance.] CLUBBING. A discount of twenty fire per cent, from the above prices will be allowed to Ciubs ordering four or nore copies of any ofe or more of the above works.

Thus: 4 copies of Blackwood or of one Review will be sent to one address for \$9; 4 copies of the four Reviews and Blackwood for \$30; and so on. [ F. Remittances and communications should be always addressed, post-paid or tranked, to the Publishers. DEONARD SCOTT & CO., 79 Fulton Street, New York, Feb. 7, 1851. Entrance 54 Gold st.

CHARLESTOWN DEPOT. Reduction of Commission.

Promis recite to the Charlestown Depot, since promis recite at the Charlestown Depot, since The set at the chartest of the profits have been made by the profits of the profi

commissions to three cents per hundred on all mer-chandise delivered in the town, and on other consignments the commissions will correspond with the rates at Winchester. In making this reduction, however, the duty is imposed on me of requiring the commissions on all goods, of every description whatever, to be paid for on delivery, without respect to persons. The cash will also be required for all articles for sale at the Charlestown Depot. February 7, 1851. VINCENT W. MOORE.

Rotices WILL sell, at Public Sale, in front of Sapping-I ton's Hotel, on FRIDAY the 14th day of March. for eash, the following shares of Stock in the Berryville and Charlestown Tormpike Company: 1 share held by J C. Bonham; 10 by L N. Carter; 1 by O. Cromwell; 1 by H. Ellis; 1 by S. Heflebower; 6 by John Leek; 5 by J. J. Miller; 4 by Susan and Willian McPherson; 2 by G. W. Ranson; 1 by G. V. Spotts; I in the name of Wm. T. Roper, dec LAVSON BOTTS, Treasurer.

Feb. 7, 1851-Sprit copy ts. MOTICE. DURCHASERS at the sale of the late Isaac Strider, are reperfully reminded that their Strider, are repectfully reminded that their Notes are now due, It is to be hoped, punctuality will be observed, for it is all important that every note should be pad immediately, as there are heavy demands unde upon the estate. Those having open accouns will please close them. MERIDITH HELM,

Er'r. of I. Steider. dec'd. Dissolution! THE Partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of T. PARKER & Sons, is this day dissolved by munal consent. Thus, D. Parker is authorized to settle the business of the late firm.

T. PARKER. H. C. PARKER THOS. D. PARKER. January 25, 1851. THE Tin, Copper, Sheet Iron and Brass Making L business will be continued by the undersigned who respectfully solicits a continuance of patronage so liberally bestowed upon the late firm.

THOS. D. PARKER. January 31, 1851. 50 BBLS FLOUR, Welches' first Premium;

H. L. EBY & SON. VINEGAR. 1 HHD. Prime Cider Vinegar, warranted pure. Feb. 7: JERE. HARRIS. THE subscriber wishes to buy a large quantity of CORN, for which the highest cash price

l have a Negro girl—good house servant—about 19 years of age, to hire until Christmas next. Old Hams

January 31 Fresh Crackers.

SODA. Water and Sugar Crackers, just received and for sale by H. I. FRV & CON H. L. EBY & SON. January 31, 1850. Hughes' Iron. WE have just received another supply of the above Iron which makes our assortment complete, and for sale at the lowest rates.

H. L. EBY & SON. Domestic Goods. 7-8 TWILLED OSNABURGS; 7-8 Plain 4-4 Brown Shirting : 3-4 Penitentiary Plaids. The above goods were purchased before the late

advance and will be sold at a small profit. CHANE E BROWN. DRIME C der Vinegar, warranted, for sale by 1 Jan, 31 PURE MUSTARD, for sale by H. L. EBY & SON. THEREAL OIL, just received by Jan. 31. H. L. EBY & SON. PRIME TEAS, Black and Green, for sale by H. L. EBY & SON. 10 BOXTS Tobacco, low prices, for sale by Jan. 3 H. L. EBY & SON. SEGARS and Snuff, on hand and for sale by H. L. EBY & SON.

PREHMAN. HODGES & CO. IMPOSTANT TO BRICK MAKERS AND BUILDERS. IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS, Administrator's Sale. 58 L BERTY STREET, NEW YORK.

WILL be sold, at the Brick Yard of Wm. Collins, decid on the Winchester and Potomac Railroad, about two miles above Harpers-Perry, on SATURDAY, the 15th day of February next, commencing at 18 Gelock, A. M., about 100,000 Good Bricks, sold together, or in lots to suit purchasers ;

of all Cash Purchasers, and will make it an object for them to give us a call, as we are determined to sell our assortment, for Cash, lower than ever before offered in this market.

Milliners can supply themselves with every article in their line, at about the cost of Importation 2 substantial Brick Clamps or Kilns; 2 good Benties, 2 large Sheds, and a lot of lose Boards, comprising altogether about 12:000 feet of Lumber; 16 Wheelberrows, 4 Moulding-Tables; 1 Augus, Chisel, Deaw knife, Axe; A let of Fire Wood, and a complete as-

ortment of Shovels, Spades, Hors, Slashes, Seives, Lutes, Tubs, Moulds, Scoops, and other tools necessary to the making of Bricks. ALSO, 1 Store and Pipe; A lot of Ovens, Pots, Kettles, Skillets, Buckets, Frans, Barrels, and other domestic

THRMS OF Sale .- A credit of six months will be given on all sums above \$5, the purchaser to give ond and approved security. Under that amount, cash. No property to be removed until the terms W. R. COLLINS, Administrator. January al 1851 .- Spirit copy and charge F. P.

DRUG STORE FOR SALE. WILL self the Drug Store formerly owned by Dr. J. G. Havs, dec'd, at private sale. This presents a rare chance to enter the business with a small capital. The stand is a good one. Persons withing to purchase must apply soon. A bargain car be had as it must be sold. A credit of 6 months will be given the purchaser giving bond with approved security, with interest. · GEO. THOS. HAYS. Harpers-Ferry, Va., Jan. 31, 1851.

Fresh Oranges, Lemons, &c. FINHE subscriber has just received from Balti-I more, a large stock of Oranges and Lemons; Raisins, Figs and Chrons;

Malaga Grapes; Prunes; Dates; Atmonds, Filberts, Peacon Nuts, Palm Nuts, English Walnuts, &c., all of which may be I cheap, at the Confectionary store of Jan. 31, 1651. J. F. BLESSING. Jan. 31, 1851.

Domestics, Domestics, ERE. HARRIS has just returned from Balti-J more, and is receiving his supplies of Spring in lots to suit purchasers; say 20 half acre Lots Corross, such as Osnaburgs, Twilled and Plain; 4-1 Brown, Plaid and other Cottons, that can and of the North River Canal, some will be sold as low as any House in town, and on the most liberal terms to good men. Jan 31, 1851.

Groceries, Groceries. TEW Orleans Brown Sugar, new crop very prime Crushed and Loaf Sugar:

N. O. Molasses, first runnings; Rio Coffee, of the first order; Tea, Green and Black, all which was purchased to accountage, and will be sold quite cheap, JERE. HARRIS. Jan. 31, 1851.

Groceries.

JUST received prime N. O. Sagar; superior N. O. Malasses; fine Crushed Sugar; fine Loaf, common Loaf do; Lump and Refined; Rio and other Coffee; superior Green and Black Teas; fine pearl Starch; Soda and Salaratus, 20 boxes mould and dipped Candles, made in Winchester; best Etherial Oil, for sale at the very lowest prices by Jan. 31. WM. S. LOCK & CO. Domestics.

JUST received 20 pieces Patansco and other twilled Cottons; 20 pieces 3-4 7.8 and 4-4 Osnaburg, for shirts; 20 pieces best Lenitentiary and other striped Cottons. Also a targe stock of 4-4 heavy brown Cotton; 4-4 fine brown do,; 3-4 7-8 and 1-4 bleached do. All of which we pledge ourselves to sell as cheap as they can be bought in this or any other market. WM. S. LOCK & CO. Jan. 31, 1251.

Fresh Fruit.
O'the Fruit received and for sale by EBV & SON.

TATE & HOOFF.

Candles. 20 BOXES Candles just received and for sale low by the box. H. L. EBY & SON. 100 KEGS of Nails, assorted sizes; 25 kegs of Rock Powder; 2000 fect safety Fuse,

just received and for sale tow by H. L. EBY & SON. LOUR by the barrel, Bacon, Beans, Dried Apples Printers Land for set beans, Dried Apples. Potatoes, Lard, for sale by SALAL OIL just received and for sale by Jan. 31. H. L. ERV & SC H. L. EBY & SON. TAR of hand and for sale by Jan St. H. L. H. L. EBY & SON.

BUCKEV HEAT FLOUR, Dried Apples, and White Beans, for sale by Jan. 313 H. L. EBY & SON.  $B_{\mathrm{Jan}}^{\mathrm{ORA}}$  for sale by H. L. EBY & SON. NEW EROP New Orlaans Sugar, for sale by H. L. EBY & SON. WALE TINES .- Just received a fine assort-

mess of Valentines. For sale by an. 24 GEO. W. SWEITZER. TUST Serived, "SHANNONDALE" by Mrs. Southworth and "Woman's Recompense" by Grace L. M. SMITH & CO. Arguilar. Jan. 217 store Room for Rent. HE Store Room recently occupied by P. O. Little John at Harpers Ferry, adjoining the

store of F. C. Conrad, is offered for Rent. Possession given immediately, if desired. Apply to Jan 24 1851-5t. JAMES A. BECKHAM. DRIME Cider Vinegar for sale by TATE & HOOFF. FINE set of white Tea China containing 42 pieces, and a general assortment of Glass and Queensware, for sale cheap by TATE & HOOFF. Jan. 24. Pine Plank.

LOT of Pine Plank, just received at Duffield's A. DUFFIELD. August 234 1850

Hooppoles for Sale. A SUP NICH lot of Hickory Poles, for sale at &c.

Jan. 31.

V. W. MOORE. Ja

SHOES. WE invite the Ladies to examine our stock of Shoes among which will be found kid slipin the the Ladies to examine our stock of pers, walking do and a lot of leather Shoes which

we will sell for whatever they will bring. A fine assortment of Gum Shoes, for sale cheap by TATE & HOOFF. HOPS A fresh lot of Hops for sale by Jac. 24. TATE & HOOFF. COAL STOVES. THE sastribit agent, has for sale a fine lot of COAL STOVES, of the egg shape, man-

ufactured at Alexandria. They are of superior cast. In my absence, Mr. Israel Russell will show JOHN A. GIBSON. Harpers Perry, Oct. 4, 1850. ROCK SALT, for Horses, Caute, &c., for sale KEYES & KEARSLEY. Groceries.

PRIME N. C. Sugar, loaf do., cru hed do., clarifed do., N. C. Molasses, Sugar House do., Cloides Serup. Rio Coffee, Java do., just received and for sale cheap by TATE & HOOFF. HATS & CAPS.—We invite the Gents to exand a fine assorment of Caps. It will afford us pleasure to show them, if we fail in selling.

Jan. 24. CHOCOLATE and Cocoa, for sale by H. L. EBY & SON.

COD LIVER OIL.—Just receives a large sup-ply of Rushion's Cod Liver Oil. For sale by L. M. SMITH & CO. CANDIAS - Sperm Candles, Adamactine do. Monki do., the sale by the 1b. or beg Jan. 21. Sal.T. - so the sale of bushel. TATE & HOOFF. CALT .- 416 satios G. A. and fine salt, for sale by

CHOIGE JEFFERSON LAND

(BETWEEN BROADWAY AND NASSAU,)

A RE now receiving a rich and beautiful assort-ment of Faner Silk and Millinery Goods, to

which we would particularly invite the attention

or Auction prices. Many of our goods are manu-

actured expressly for our own sale, and carnot be

Crapes, Crape Lisses, Tarletons and Illusion

Janux Lind Caps, Party and Opera Head Dresses.

Embroidered Capes, Collars, Culfs, and Chein-

Embroidered Edgings and Insertings, Swiss and

Thread, Brussels, Valenciene, Silk and Lisle

Embroidered, Reveire and Plain Linen Cambrie

Gloves and Mitts, Kid, Silk, Lisle Thread and

Swiss, Jaconett, Book Muslins, and Bishop

Embroidered, Damask and Plaia Canton Crape

All wishing to avoid paying long prices will

nake money by calling and satisfying themselves.

A VALUABLE PLANTATION,

NORTH RIVER.

ADJOINING THE TOWN OF LEXINGTON

FOR SALE.

IN LOTS TO SUIT PURCHASERS.

THE FAR. 18

on which I reside, on the North River, adjoining

300 ACRES,

80 ACRES, OR MORE

supposed to yield 75 cords to the Acre;

and some 200 acres cleared Land, in fine cultiva-

to the undersigned, or his agent J. D. Davidson in

will be offered for sale.
WM. H. CARUTHERS.

Tavern Stand

a lumber and coal vard on the Potomac.

For TERMs; apply to the subscriber.

Jan 24, 1851. Pres't Va. of Md. Bridge Co.

TERRITARY CARLO

Wagon Making, &c.

He will make or repair Wagons, Ploughs, Har-

siness, with great promptness, and in a substantial

manner. His materials shall be of the best quality,

at large he invites a portion of their custom.

ALFRED O'BANNON.

REMOVAL.

THE undersigned takes this method of informing

his customers and the public generally, that

BLACKSMITHING IMPLEMENTS

s usual, and as many new ones as may favor him

with their custom. The various branches of his

business shall be conducted in a manner enual to

any other establishment in the county, and upon

the most accommodating terms. He therefore con-

fidently expects a liberal patronage. He will en-

VALUABLE MILL AND LAND

THE subscriber offers for sale the valuable

MILL DALE MILL, and 27 ACRES of

LAND, situated on Thurston Branch, Warren

The improvements are a large and convenien Mu.L.

county, Virginia, about 4 miles from White Post.

with overshot Wheel, capable of making from 40

to 50 barrels of Flour per day. Also, a good Dwel-

ling and other out-Houses. This property is sit-uated in one of the best Wheat-growing counties in

Virginia. A further description is deemed unnec-

essary, as any one wishing to purchase will, of course, view the premises. Mr isaac Harrison, the

present Tenant, will show the property to any one wishing to purchase. For Terms, which will be

liberal, please apply to the subscriber in Baltimore,

Jan. 17, 1851-\$2 No. 32 North Howard St.

CAUTION:

HAVING sustained much injury from persons trespassing upon our lands, we now give

LAST NOTICE.

Shepherdstown, Jan. 3, 1851-tf.

TAYNE'S EXPECTORANT;

Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry;

Aver's Cherry Pectoral:

Heuisler's Cough Syrup;

Duncan's Expectorant;

Fitch's Pulmonary Balsam;

Louden's

Keeler's do.

Wistar's Lezenges;

For Coughs. Colds, &c.

Barrett's Cough Candy.

These are the best remedies in use for the relief

f Coughs, Colds, &c. For sale by Jan. 17, 1851. L. M. SMITH & CO.

Carpeting and Rugs.

WE have received a new snoply of handsome Brussel and Ingrain Carpeting; Also, a few Rugs and Table Covers, which we can sell at

Dec. 6, 1850. CRANE & BROWN.

January 17. L. M. SMITH & CO.

LBUMS, PORT FOLIOS .- Just received a

SUSAN MCPHERSON.

SAMUEL ELDER.

For Sale.

HIRAM O'BANNON.

Charlestown, January 24, 1851.

and a good job given.

he has removed his

deavor to deserve it.

by mail or otherwise.

The public's humble servant,

Charlestown Jan. 21 1851.

January 24, 1851-1m (\$4.00.)

OF WOOD LAND,

D my health, I now offer for sale,

ON THE

A Full assortment of Strew Goods.

French and American Artificial Flowers.

With a large variety not mentioned above.

Rich Hat and Cap Hibbons, a large variety.

Trimmings for hats, Caps and Dresses.

Searts, Cravats and Dress Hkfs.

surpassed for beauty or low prices

Silks and Satins for Bonnets.

Mushe.

Thread Laces.

sewing Silk.

Jan. 24, 1851 -- \$5.

Shawls.

At Private Sale. THE subscriber offers at Private Sale his small FARM upon which he now resides, situated 21 miles Southeast of Charlestown on the road leading to Beeler's Mill (and a part of the original tract of B. Beeler, dec'd.) containing about

SI Acres. The improvements consist of a new Frame Bui ding, 20 by 32, with Dining-room and Kitchen in the basement, and four rooms upon the upper floors, with fire places and flues in all the oms. There are about & Acres of Orchard, upon which the house is situated There is a sufficiency Timber for fuel and other purposes. The Land is of the very best quality for a farm of that size.—
It is a rare chance that purchasers wanting a small. farm can get, and of so good a quality and so conregient to market.

ALSO, 3 good farm Horses; I three horse Wagan, nearly new; 2 Setts wagon and plough Gears; 1 Burshear, 1 Shovel, and 3 Double-shovel Ploughs:

1 new Harrow; 1 Wheat Pan; I two horse Barouche. The Terms, which will be accommodating, will be made known upon application to me. GEORGE G. GROVE Jan 3, 1851.

PUBLIC SALE.

DURSUANT to a decree of the Circuit Court of L Jefferson county, in a cause therein pending, in which Isaac W. Moss and others are plaintiffs and John H. Beard are others are defendants is Chancery, pronounced on the 31st day of October, 850, the subscriber, who is by said decree, appointed a commissioner for the purpose, will expose to sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder, On the 1st day of February Court, 1851, being the 17th of February,

before the front door of the Court House of Jefferson House and Lot

in the papers and proceedings in said cause mentioned, which is situate on George street in Charlestown, in said county, and was conveyed to said John DEING anxious to remove South on account of H. Beard by William Reid and Ann his wife, by deed dated March 29th, 1811, which is of record in the Clerk's office of the county court of said county. The House is of brick, two stories high, with a two story Portico in the rear, and outbuildings, inthe limits of the Town of Lexington, containing cluding a Stable and Ice House; and the lot on which they are built adjoins the Tavern lot of Isaac N. Carter and the lot of Andrew Hunter. The terms of sale will be, one third in cash, and tacing on the Plank Road and River at the head he balance in two equal payments at nine and ighteen months, with interest from the day of sale; purchaser to give bonds with approved personsecurity, for the deferred payments. Possession to be given on the 1st day of April, 1851, the property being now rented to E. S. Tate. WILLIAM C. WORTHINGTON, Com'r. tion and mostly in clover. Early application is invited, before the first of February, by proposals

Charlestown, Januar: 10, 1851-ts. One of the most Desirable Farms Lexington. Whenever proposals are accepted to cover the property, survey and division will be made accordingly. Possession given in Septemin the Valley of Virginia, FOR SALE.

ber, reserving the right to remove growing crops. If not sold by that time, in Lots, the whole Tract THE undersigned offers for sale his valuable I. Farm, situated in the fertile county of Jefferson, about five miles from the flourishing towns of Charlestown, Harpers-Ferry and Shepherdstown, and containing about Five Hundred and Fifty Acres.

And other Property for Rent. It is as productive as any land in the Valley .-There are about forty acres of rich meadow, and THE Virginia and Maryland Bridge Company the balance of the cleared land, except the part in offer to rent, from the 1st day of April next, Wheat, is well set in grass-a fair proportion is in he TAVERN now occupied by Mrs. Bowers, near wood, for fencing and fuel. The finest Cumberland Coal, can always be procured at prices which make the Bridge; also the STONE DWELLING in the occupation of Mr. George Entier, and the small Dwelling between the other two buildings, together with it cheaper than wood.

The Elk Branch, a stream of sufficient volume about twelve Acres of Land immediately on the Canal, five or six acres of which are well set in o propel several Mills, flows through the centre of the Farm; and the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road rimothy. This affords one of the best situations for follows its course. There are Store-Houses a De-pot, and Dwellings-apart from the Mansion-Also, the BRICK WAREHOUSE, at present

which rent for more than \$600. n possession of Mr. Moore, on the Virginia bank The improvements are comfortable, embracing the Mansion and the usual Out-Houses, and a never failing branch of water, are numerous. Whether viewed in reference to quality of soil, beauty of scenery, refined society, or facilities to market, it may with touth be said to be one of the most desirable Farms in the Valley of V

THE subscriber has removed to his new shop opposite the Episcopal Parsonage, where he is better prepared than ever to serve the public in his It could be conveniently divide three Tracts. The time of travel from is only about five hours. rows, &c., as indeed every article in his line of bu-All communications addressed to the subscriber, (post-paid.) at Duffield's Depot, Jefferson county, Virginia will receive attention RICHARD DUFFIELD. October 25, 1850.

To his old customers he tenders his thanks for the liberal support heretofore extended him, and hopes for a continuance of their favors. To the public Остовен 22, 1850. TO THE EDITOR-DEAD SIR:-I have understood that there is a report in circu-lation in the county, that I have some claim to the tract of find which I conveyed to my father some years ago. My of ject in writing this note is to eay that I have never said or done any thing to induce any one to think that I had the slightest claim whatever, to the land in question. All the claim Lever had, I sold to my father some years since, and I think he paid me a full and fair price for it, and the BLACKSMITHING IMPLEMENTS Deed is of record in the Clerk's Office of the to his new building opposite the Episcopal Parson- County Court of Jefferson. I have have now no age, where he is prepared to serve his object stomers

> JOHN W. D. DUFFIELD. OHIO LAND FOR SALE.

land, either in law or equity.

claim of any sort kind or description to the said

OFFER for sale, a small Farm in Clermont county, Ohio, containing a little upwards of One Hundred deres, within 2 miles of BATATIA, the county seat of Clermont, and about 20 miles from Cincinnati-imirediately upon the plank road, leading from Chilicathe to Cincinnati, and within a few miles of the Ran Road from the latter place to Columbus. Further particulars and information given, on pplication to the subscriber, living in Charlestown, efferson county, Virginia, or Richard H. Ranson, Esq. Cincinnati, Ohio.

March 7, 1850,-tf. -- AI,SO--TY HOUSE AND LOT in Charlestown, now being thoroughly repaired and improved.
ALSO, one-fourth of the "PIEDMONT FARM" ituated one and a Ball miles from Charlestown the Winehester and Petomac Rail Road and Baspers-Ferry, Charlestown and Smithfield Tumpiles, passing by and through the farm. Tennis liberal. Apply by letter, post-paid, or in person to the subscriber at Charlestown, Jefferson ounty, Virginia.

JAMES L. RANSON.

Possession given on the 1st of April, 1851.

JAMES L. RANSON.

May 2, 1850.—Spirit and Nat. Intelligier copy tf TRUSTEE'S SALE. Y virtue of a Deed of Trust, executed by George

notice that the law will be enforced against all who may be found trespassing in any manner-more particularly those throwing down fences, gunning, &c. SUSANNAH McPHERSON, B Backhouse, dated on the 24th day of December, 1839, and duly recorded in the Cerle's Office of the Country of Jefferson, the undersigned as the surviving Trustee therein named, will proceed to sell, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, for eash, on Monday the 17th day of Provincy next, 35 much of a certain TRACT OF LAND, situated in the country of Jefferson on the South east side of the Y several Cards requesting those persons in-delited to me to call and pay have been neg-Shenand on river, adjoining the lands of Roper, Howell and others, and now occupied by said Backected by many, and lest some have come to the conclusion they were not embraced in the call, I now assure each and every one that this notice is house, as will produce, besides the expenses of sale, intended for every person owing me little or much. the sum of \$149.85. TATE & HOOFF.

Those neglecting this call will have themselves only to blame for any addition to their debts in shape of Costs.

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The whole of said Tract contains about 415 only to blame for any addition to their debts in shape of Costs.

The whole of said Tract contains about 415 only to blame for any addition to their debts in parposes aforesaid, will be sold off of the South west side thereof. Such title only as the undersigned has power to sell, will be made to the curchaser. It is believed,

> ANDREW HUNTER December 27, 1850. Surviving Trustes. Store Bouse for Rent. IN FENDING to remove my Store to the West end of the Market House on the 1st of April next, the Store House now occapied by me, will be FOR RENT. Possession given on the 1st of April next. It is one of the best stands in town. Apply to THOS. RAWLINS, Trustee

Sale to take place in front of Carter's Frotel in

however, to be indisputable.

Charlestowe, about the hour of 12, M.

Charlestown, Dec. 13, 1850. WASHINGTON HOUSE, WINCHESTER, VA.

A LBUMS, PORT-FOLIOS. And fine assortment of Albums, Port-Folios, and Stationary at the Doug and Book Store of M. SMITH & CO. A P. FITCH respectfully informs his acquainA tances and the public generally. That he has taken charge of the above establishment situated on Lordonn street, in the centre of the business portion of the town, fortuerly occupied by Mr. John Live and is now ready to accommodate those who Charlestove, Jan. 19, 1851.

DOMESTICKS.—Heavy eville: Osnahurg cortions, for servants' pants. Plain do, brown cottons, Pentientiary plaid, bleached cottons, knilling cotton assorted, just received and for sale by Jan. 24.

LINN and is now ready to accommodate those who may favor him with a call. From his long experience in Hoel keeping, be flatters himself that he will be able to give general satisfaction. His charges for Board and Lodging are very moderate.

The office of the Washington, Alexandria, Romany and Hages flown Stages is kept at this house.

Jan. 24.

TATE & HOOFF.



Picit ANNUM,
Payable half yearly; but Two Doucass will be taken in payment in full, if paid entirely in advance.

The Whenever payment is deferred beyond the expiration of the part interest will be charged.

Subscriptions for six months, \$1 25, to be paid invariably in advance.

The terms of advertising are, for a square or less \$1, for three insertions-larger ones in the same propersion. Each continuance 25 cents per square. time will be continued until forbid and charged accordingly.

Mr. V. B. Patanca, American Newspaper and Advertising agent in the cities of Philadelphia, New York and Bost o, has been appointed Agent for receiving and for warding subscriptions and advertisements for this paper, at his offices in those cities

respectively, vir PRIMADELENIA, N. W. Corner of Third and Chesout Streets.

NEW YORK, No. 30, Ann Street. Borron, No. 14, State Street.

BALTIMORE AGENCY. Mr. WILLIAM THOMSON, S. E. Corner of Balti, more 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, lerins, &c., can be found on file at his

# VARIETY.

WHY DON'T YOU TAKE THE PAPERS!

BY N. P. WILLIS. Why don't you take the papers? They're the life of my delight; Except about election time, and then I read for spite. Bobseribe, you cannot lose a cent-Why should you be afraid? For cash thus paid is money lent

On interest four-fold paid. Go then, and take the papers, And pay te-day nor pray delay; And my word it is inferred

You'll live till you are gray. An old newspaper friend of mine, While dying from a cough, Descred to hear the latest news,

While he was going off. I took the paper, and I read Or some new pills in force; He bought a box -- and is he dead ?

No-hearty as a horse. I knew a printer's debtor once, Racked with a scorching fever, Who swore to pay her bill next day, If her distress would leave her.

Next morning she was at her work, Divested of her pain, Bus did forget to pay her debt, "Till taken down again.

" Here, Jessie, take these 'silver wheels,' two pay the printer now!"

She spoke, and slept, and then awoke With health upon her brow. I knew two men as much alfke

As e'er you saw two stumps, And no phrenologist could find A difference in their bumps. One took the papers, and his life Is happier than a king's; His children all can read and write,

And talk of men and things. The other took no papers, and While strolling through a wood, A tree fell down upon his crown, And killed him "werry good."

Had be been reading of the news Athome like neighbor Jimpe I'll sat a cent that accident Would not have happened him. Why don't you take the papers?

Not from the printer sneak, Because you borrow of his boy A paper every week. For he who we

And pays his bills when due, Can live in peace with God and man, And with the printer too.

oded the Sengte and THE LOCOMOTIVE. - Not niment, I was returning from Buffalo, I was amused while the cars made a momentary stop, at a demonstration made by a crazy man, on his way to the State Lunatic Asylum, at I tien. He was standing on the wildly at the locomotive, and assuming a boxing atcitude: but look o' here: I can Bashan, and broken their horns off! Say! den't you stand there, whistling and smoking. like a black guard in a bar room ; jest jump to me, and I'll take the conceit out of you, you blamed old cooking-store on wheels !

A little girl, who had been visiting in the family of a neighbor, hearing them speak of home, addressed him thus -" Pa, are you a widower ?" "Yes my child. Do you not know your mother's dead ?" "Why, yes, I knew ma was dead but you

always told me you was a New Yorker." Scene - A Country GROCER'S SHOP .-Boy-please, sir, to tell me the time of day? Grocer-Twelve o'clock. (Exit boy, who returns in a few seconds, and again inquires

the time of day ) Grocer-Did I not just tell you that it was twelve o'clock? Boy-Yes, sir, but that was for another woman, and this is for my mother? The editor of a paper somewhere out in Penassippoia, has been traveling in the

country, and having got stuck in the mud, he tore of the following -The roads are not passable, Not ever jackassable— And these who will travel 'em-Should turn out and gravel 'em!

We Rin A young man and a female upon a time stopped at a country tavern .-Their awk world appearance excited the atten- made to the taste of gentlemen. My object is, if tion of one of the members family who commenced a conversation with the female, by inquiring how far she had travelled that day. Travelled! exclaimed the strangers, business, I call say with confidence, that I can now semewhat indignantly, we didn't travel, we combine taste with comfort, and that my Journey-

A Monke Entron -A correspondent of In a word, I am now prepared to suit all tastes, and the Baston Museum thus speaks of Mr. ing one of Farker's sermons, all at the same | greatly less than heretofore.

III " Sensy can yes cipher in two sylla-" I'eth thir and spoll in the rule of three all day longil " Smart boy. Now see if you can tell what a pint of cold slaw will come to at a cent a

IF A Son of Erin, while bunting for rabbits, came apross a jackers in the woods, and

By my sawl and St. Patrick," he exclaim el. " I've kile the father of all rabbits!"

to death, one being executed, 'See,' the other trother said, 'what a lamentable spectacle my brother makes! in a few minutes I shall be turned off, and then you will see a pair of spectacles?

ren to hide bohind a wall; being asked the cause, he replied:— It is so long since I have been sight, that I am asheded to look a laysician in the face."

lever writing to his sweetheart, says " Belectable dear - You are so sweet that heavy would blush in your presence, and moternes visua sprailed.

Mevelch, Brothen & Co., Wholesale Grocers. LEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA, September, 1850, T) ESPECTFULLY make known to their cus-

La tomers and dealers generally, that they are now in receipt of their regular PALL STOCK OF GROCERIES, 4c., received direct from New York and Boston, per Packets "Empire" and "Calhour," consisting in part as follows, viz: 205 thes. St. Croix, P. 175

Ricoand N. O. Sugar, 25,000 Principe, La Nor-9 boxes single and douma and Steam Boat, ble reined Loaf do., with other brands of 65 lozes white and brown Havanna Gigars, Havanna de... 50,000 halt Spanish, de. 75 bbls pulverized and 45,000 American do. crushed do., | 20 tiernes "tresh brat" 275 hhds., tierces and Rice. bals. N. O., Porto Rico | 105 bores Rosin Soap,

and Muscavado Mo- 25 " Almond, Rose and Toilett do., insses. 518 bags green Rio Coffee 20 " Castile, do., Old Gov. Java, 75 " Shaving, great Maricabo and Anvariety, 150 boxes Mould and gostura 116" Laguira and Por-Dipped Candles, to Rico do., 75 " Sperm, " Hydraul-169 chests and i chests - ic Pressed. G. F. Imperial and Y. 35 " " 11 lb. boxes Hyson Teas. for family use,

b packages prime Pow-60 " Adamantine do., tong or Black Tea, 210 boxes Cheese, 263 hoxes 5s, 8s, and 12s | 165 " Starch and Choc-Plag Tobacco, 185 " extra Cavendish. 105 Reams No. 1 and 2 110 " Cobb, Neal's and faint-lined Cap Paper, other choice brands, 110 " Letter 65 kegs Garrett's Scotch 75 plain Letter and Cap, 510 Reams double and 10 bbis. in Bladders do., single wrapping, do., 85 jars Rappe, (scented.) 140 " double and single 60 " Maccaboy, do, Tea ,000 sack Factory filled 25 cases preser'd Ginger, 60 boxes Rock Candy, Pine and G. A. Salt,

25 baskets Salad Oil, 75 kegs Madder and Salt Petre. 75 bales Almonds, Fil-5 casks Copperas, 35 bbis, chip'd Logwood, 116 kegs Epsom Salts, 500 bags Shot, assorted 150 " Salaratus, Ginger Nos. 75 coils Bed Cord and and Alumn, Leading-line Rope, 115" Brimstone and In-

Bunch Raisins.

lish Walnuts,

and Cloves,

Vinegar,

20 bbls. Rosin,

Sherry do.,

digo, 185 " White Lead-No. 500 lbs. Nutmegs, Mace 1, pure and extra, 2,000 lbs. Bar Lead. 35 bbls. Sperm Oil, 10 casks Putty in Blad- | 60 " Train (o., 10 " Linseed, do., 150 boxes Win. Glass- 50 casks Prime Cider 8-10 and 10-12, 75 boxes Camphor,

10 bbls. Lamp Black, 225 doz. Mason's and 10 bbls. Chalk and Span-Blakes chal Blacking, | ish Whiting, 200 boxes Pipes, 150 Demijohus-2, 3, 4 45 gasks Old Madeira and 5 Gallons, 250 dez Painted Buckets, Wine, 60 " Pale and Brown 40 Nest's do. Tubs, 150 doz flat Corn Brooms | 50 " Sweet Malaga and 70 bags Pepper and All-

Muscat do... 65 " Lisbon, Sicily and 60 boxes Ground Pepper, F. Madeira do., 85 " Sanzer's Mustard, 75 baskets Champagne-210 kegs Hazzard's Ken- | Star, Anchor and other | tucky Rifle Powder, choice Brands do., all of which have been purchased on such terms as to enable them to offer as great inducements as

can be met with in any of the Northern Cities .-The Canal having been thoroughly repaired and placed in fine navigable order, offers great inducements to dealers in the way of transportation .-They respectfully solicit a call from all in search of bargains. McVEIGH, BRO. & CO. Prince street Wharf.

WINDOW-SASH FASTENERS. THE undersigned have obtained Letters Patent I for a most valuable Air-Tight Sasu Fasten-ER, by which you are enabled to raise the windowsash to any required height and hold it fast, without cutting holes in the frame, and at the same time to let down the upper Sash so as to let the heated air escape at the top and admit the cool air at the bottom, and also make the Sash perfectly air tight and keep it from rattling. Who is it that has not had his test broken by the clattering of the window-sash in a stormy night, to say nothing of the amount or air admitted thereby ? This Fastener has great adcomplete control of the sash; and will acc itself to any state of the weather, wet or dry-the back of the sash being grooved, and a strip inserted which is forced out against the frame, thus accommodating itself to the frame, and behind this strip is an eccentric or can fixed on a lever which passes through the sash, and raising or depressing the lever fastens or loosens the sash and enables you to lock it fast at any point. Such is the estimate put on this discovery that we have applied them to several hundred windows, notwithstanding but a few weeks have elapsed since we got the fix ures and track, in front of the 'iren horse .' 'You | even before we obtained the patent, and many more

think you are something ! he said, looking have been engaged as soon as we can procure fas-We would now say to the public that we have made arrangements for our castings with Mr. whip you I've flogged the fiery bulls of Rodgers of No. 40. High street, Old Town, Baltimore, Md., who, by the by, we would recommend to such as may want eastings done-for the promptness and the manner in which it is done-and with Mr. Wernwag, of Harpers-Perry, the most distinguished machinist of our country as any one will admit if he will call and see his shop, and the machinery he has on hand. He has undertaken to finish our fastenings by machinery so that they will require no assorting, but can be put together with the greatest despatch. Such as may wish to purher father being a widower, on her return | chase State or County rights can apply (post-paid) to either of us, NATHANIEL MYERS, Charlestown, Jefferson county, Va. or F. C. SMITH. Harpers-Ferry, Va., Patenters. The fastenings can be forwarded from Harpers-Ferry to any point with the same facility as they could from any of our Atlantic Cities, it being immediately on the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, about 80 miles from Baltimore, and in telegraphic communication with the East

and West, &c. To such as may be acquainted with either of the gentlemen whose names are given, we would say write to them and satisfy yourselves that it is no humbug:--A. Hunter, I. N. Carter, G. W. Sappington, H. Keyes, N. S. White, John Yates, James L. Ranson, G. S. Gardener, (post-paid,) who have them in use and many others who are waiting to have them put in their windows. NATHANIEL MYERS, Patentees.

F. G. SMITH, July 5, 1850.

A CARD.

T HAVE just returned from New York where I made arrangements with Mr. Geo. W. Farnham, to be furnished regularly with Garments cut in the latest fashion, and the "Reports" for the same regularly received. Gentlemen may feel assured that all work given me will be cut and finished in the best style and upon terms satisfactory to all .-COATS, VESTS and PANTS of every style will be possible, by all means to please. GARMENTS made in the city of New York are now in my Shop, and the public are invited to examine them. Having men are every way competent, and feel a just pride in finishing their work in a workmanlike manner.

only ask a fair trial by the public. Grateful to the public for past patronage, a con-Wright, editor of the "Chronotype." He tinuance is respectfully solicited. From persons at a distance, no less than at home, I should be hapand on two different subjects, rock the cra-be with his feet, and Whistle "Hair Colum-that Cloths, Cassimeres Trimmings, &c., will be bia" for the swin-babies, while intently perus- | sold on the most favorable terms, and at prices JOHN R. A. REDMAN. Nav. 8, 1850.

Notice-For Hire. A LL persons indebted to the estate of J. J. H. Ganaeli, are notified to make payment. Those having claims will present them, properly authenticated, for adjustinent. For hire, for the ensuing year, a number of Negross of all ages and sexes.
THOS, HITE, Eccenter.

Dec. 20, 1850. To the Public. THE undersigned having been appointed a Con-stable for the Southern District, respectfully tenders his services to the public in that capacity .-He will give every attention possible to the collection of all claims placed in his hands, and pay over precaptly when collected. All he asks is a trial fand he pledges fidelity to his patrons. THOMAS JOHNSON. Charlestown, March 21, 1850.

Notice. THE purchasers at my sale are hereby notified that their Notes will become due about the 28th instant, and that I have placed several of said Notes in the hands of John F. Smith, in Smithfield, for occilection. Prompt payment is denranged. GEO. HETT.

Schecz County, Ohio Dec. 20, 1850. TARPER'S MAGAZINE FOR JANUARY.

Just received at the Drug and Book store of
E. M. SMITH & CO.

Charlestown, Jan. 19 1851. CODA, for Baking and Washing for sale by H. L. Esy & SON.

For the Removal and Permanent Cure of all NERVOUS DISEASES, And of those Complaints which are caused by an impaired, weakened or unhealthy condition of the

NERVOUS SYSTEM. This beautiful and convenient application of the mysterious powers of GALVANISM and MAGNETISM, has been renounced by distinguished physicians, both in Europe and the United States, to be the most valuable medicinal discovery

DR. CHRISTIE'S GALVANIC BELT

MAGNETIC FLUID.

is used with the most perfect and certain success in all ceses GENERAL DEBILITY Strengthening the weakened body, giving tone to the various organs and invigorating the entire system. Also in First CRAMP, PARALYSIS and PALSY, DYSPEPSIA or INDIGESTION, RHEUMATISM, ACUTE and CHRONIC, GOUT, EFILEPSY, LUMBAGO, DEAFNESS, NERVOUS TREMORS, PALPITATION OF THE HEART, APOPLEXY, NEURALGIA, PAINS in the SIDE and CHEST, LIVER COMPLAINT, and CURVATURE of the SPINE, HIP COMPLAINT, DISEASES of the KIDNEYS, DESICIENCY OF NERVOUS and PHYSICAL ENERGY, and all NERVOUS DISEASES, which complaints arise from one simple cause—namely, arise from one simple cause-namely,

150 boxes and half boxes A Derangement of the Nervous System. (17- In NERVOUS COMPLAINTS, Drugs and Medicines berts, Brazil and Engfig- in NERCOUS COMPLAINTS. Bruge and Medicines increase the disease, for they weaken the vital energies of the already prostrated system; while under the strengthening, life giving, vitalizing influence of Galvanism, as applied by this beautiful and wonderful discovery, the exhausted patient and weakened sufferer is restored to former health, strength, elasticity and vivor. elasticity and vigor. The great peculiarity and excellence of

Dr. Christie's Galvanic Curatives, consists in the fact that they errest and cure disease by out-ward application, in place of the usual mode of drugging and phsicking the patient, till exhausted Nature sinks hopelessly under the infliction. They strengthen the schole system, equalize the circulation of the blood, promote the secretions, and never do the slightest injury under any circumstances. Since their introduction in the United States, only three years since, more than

75,000 Persons including all ages, classes and conditions, among which were a large number of ladies, who are peculiarly subject to Nervous Complaints, have been ENTIRELY AND PERMANENTLY CURED, else been tried in vain !

when all hope of relief had been given up, and every thing To illustrate the use of the GALVANIC BELT, suppose To illustrate the use of the GALVANIC BELT, suppose the case of a person afflicted with that bane of civilization, DYSPEISIA, or any other Chronic or Nervous Disorder. In ordizary cases, stimulants are taken, which, by their action on the nerves and muscles of the stomach, afford temperary relict, but which leave the patient in a lower state, and with injured faculties, after the action thus excited has ceased. Now compare this with the effect resulting from the application of the GALVANIC BELT. Take a Dyspeptic sufferer, even in the worse symptoms of an attack, and simply tie the Belt around the body, using the Magnetic Fluid as directed. In a short period the insensible perspiration will act on the posithe worse symptoms of an attack, and simply tie the Belt around the body, using the Magnetic Fluid as directed. In a short period the insensible perspiration will act on the positive element of the Belt, thereby causing a Galvanic circulation which will pass on to the negative, and thence back again to the positive, thus keeping up a continuous Galvanic circulation throughout the system. Thus the most severe cases of DYSEPISIA are PERMANENTLY CURED. A FEW DAYS IS OFTEN AMPLY SUFFICIENT TO ERADICATE THE DISEASE OF YEARS. CERTIFICATES AND TESTIMONIALS Of the most Undoubted Character,

From all parts of the Country could be given, sufficient to fill every column in this paper ! AN EXTRAORDINARY CASE. which conclusively proves that "Truth is stranger than Fiction."

CURE OF Rheumatism, Bronchitis and Dyspepsia. REV. DR. LANDIS, A CLERGYMAN of New Jersey, of distinguished attainments and exalted re-

Putation:

Sidner, New Jersey, July 12, 1848.

Dr. A. H. Chaistie—Dear Sir: You wish to know of me what has been the result in my own case, of the application of THE GALVANIC BELT AND NECKLACE. My reply is as follows: what has been the result in my own case, of the application as followery yet tain permanent refiel from the NECKLACE. My reply is tain permanent refiel from whatever. About fourteen years shallering from the whatever. About fourteen years shallering from the pastoral duties, I became subject to a severe Chronic Rheumatism, which for year after year, caused me indescribable anguish. Farther: in the winter of '45 and '46, in consequence of preaching a great deal in my own and varietis other charches in this region, I was attacked by the Bronchits, which soon became so severe as to require an immediate suspension of my pastoral labors. My nervous system was now thoroughly prostrated and as my Bronchitis became worse, so also did my Dyspepsia and Rheumatic affection—thus evin cing that these disorders were connected with each other through the medium of the Nervous system. In the whole pharmacopæia there seemed to be no remedial agent which could reach and recuperate my Nervous System; every thing that I had tried for this purpose had completely failed at last I was led by my friends to examine your inventious and (though with no very sanguine bopes of their efficiency.) and (though with no very sanguine bopes of their efficiency,)
I determined to try the effect of the application of the GALVANIC BELT AND NECKLACE, with the MAGNETIC VANIC BELT AND NECKLACE, with the MAGNETIC FUID. This was in June, 1846. To MY GREAT ASTONISHMENT, IN TWO DAYS MY DESPENSA HAD GONE; IN EIGHT DAYS I WAS ENABLED TO RESUME MY PASTORAL LABORS; NOR HAVE I S'MCE OMITTED A SINGLE SERVICE ON ACCOUNT OF THE BRONCHITIS; AND MY RHEUMATIC AFFECTION HAS ENTIRELY CRAFFED TO TROUBLE ME. Such is the wonderful and happy results of the aventiment. sults of the experiment.

I have recommended the BELT and FLUID to many who have been likewise suffering from Neuralgic affections. They

have tried them, WITH HAPPY RESULTS, I BELIEVE, IN EVERY I am, dear sir, very respectfully yours, ROBERT W. LANDIS.

To Mothers and Married Ladies. In all cases of Female Diseases, the Galvanic Belt is of inestimable value. It would take many columns, were we to give the numerous testimonials which have been received from the highest and most respectable Ladies in all part of the Union. Weakness, Irregularities, Low Spirits, Pain in the Breast and Side, Chlorosis, Fluor Albus, Prolapsus Uteri or Falling of the Womb, Costiveness, Obstructed or Difficult Menstruation, General Prostration of the System, and all affections of similar character, are immediately and permanently relieved by this simple and beautiful invention. The enervating nature of cur climate renders some natural stimulant necessary for the preservation of Female health, and surely nothing can be so safe or efficacious as the stimulant which Nature herself has provided. This is Geleanism, and its application by the Galvanic Belt and Magnetic Fluid is in every respect pleasant and agreeable. No inconvenience attends its use, and the most feeble and delicate can wear it with entire ease and safety.

DR. CHRISTIE'S GALVANIC NECKLACE Is used for all complaints affecting the Throat or Eead, such as Bronchitis, Inflammation of the Throat, Nervous and Sick Headache, Dizziness of the Head Neuralgia in the Face, Buzzing or Roaring in the Ears, Deafness, which is generally Nervous, and that distressing complaint called Tic Doloreux.

Palsy and Paralysis. All physicians acknowledge that these terrible diseases are caused by a deficiency of Nervous Energy affected limbs. Dr. Christin's Galvanic Articles will apply this ent power, and a complete and entire cure is thus

1000 Cases of Palsy and Paralysis have been reported to Dn. Christis: and his Agents within the last two years, which have been entirely restored.

(R2)—Cap. Annexw J. F. Tomes of Brooklyn, N. Y., had not been able to walk a step for near four years, and was so helpless that he had to be fed. The most celebrated physicians gave him up. In five days after he commenced wearing the Galtanic Belt, Necklack and Bracklets, he walked across the room, and in three weeks he had perfectly recovered his health. Captain Tomes is seventy years of age.

Severe Deafness Cured. The following is an extract from a letter lately received from a distinguished physician in the State of Virginia:

"A. H. Christie, M. D.— Dear Sir.: One of my patients, unknown to me, obtained your Galvenic Belt and Necklace, with the Magnetic Fluid, for a serious affection of Deaf ness. The case was that of a lady whose Nervous system was much disordered, and her general health poor Much was done previously to the application of the Belt, but with very little success, and I feel it only right to tell you, that since she commenced wearing the Belt and using the Fluid, but a few weeks ago, she has ENTIRELY RECOVERED HER HEARING, and her general health is better than for several years." fit - Every case of Deafness, if it be Nerrous, as it generally is, can be cured by this wonderful remedy.

DR. CHRISTIE'S GALVANIC BRACELETS Are found of rast service in cases of Convulsions or Fits, Spasmodic Complaints, and general Nervous Affections of the Heal and upper extremities: Also in Palsy and Paralysis, and all diseases caused by a definiency of power or Nervous Energy in the limbs or other organs of the body.

Tic Doloreux and Neuralgia. These dreadful and agonizing complaints are immediately relieved by the application of the Garranic Bell. NECKLAGE AND FLUID. The Belt discuss the Electricity through the system; the Necklace has a local effect, and the Fluid acts directly fipon the affected nerves. In these discussions are considered to the contract of the contract tressing afflictions the application NEVER FAILS. tressing afflictions the application NEVER FAILS.

17-No trouble or inconvenience attends the use of DR.

CHRISTIE'S GALVANIC ARTICLES, and they may be worn by the most feeble and delicate, with perfect case and safety. In many cases the sensation attending their use is highly pleasant and agreeable. They can be sent to any part of the country.

Prices:

Three Dollars.

The Galvanic Belt, Three Dollars.
The Galvanic Necklace, Two Dollars. The Galvanic Bracelets, One Bollar Each One Dollar The Magnetic Fluid, (3- The articles are accompanied by full and plain directions. Pumpblets with full particulars may be had of the PARTICULAR CAUTION. 6.3- Biserre of Counterfeits and Worthless Initations

D. C. MOREHEAD, M. D. GENERAL AGENT FOR THE UNITED STATES. L. M. SMITH & CO. Authorized Agent for Charlestown, Va. ANDERSON & CO. Harpers-Ferry; Va. November 8, 1850 .- eowly.

Machine Shop and Iron Foundry. Agricultural Machinery.

THE subscribers are now prepared to manufacture at their establishment. Charlestown, Jefferson county, Virginia, AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY of every description. THRESHING MACHINES.

OF THE LATEST AND MOST IMPROVED PATTERNS. Fitz's celebrated Thresher, among others, warranted to thresh from 300 to 400 bushels per day. Also, Thresher with cleaner attached, completing the whole process in one operation, Also, Forder Cutters (Royers' patent) the very best now in use .-Corn Crushers that crush from the consistency of hommony to fine meal, if desired, with capacity from 30 to 40 bushels per hour. Corn Chellers, with capacity from 150 to 1000 bushels per day. Wheat Drills, of the most improved patterns. Wheat Reapers, of the latest and best kinds, (Hussey's and McCormick's.) Also, Bamborough's celebrated Wheat Fax, which has taken 29 premiums and 4 medals, warranted to be the best separater in the U. States. In fact every thing that the Farmer may need to aid him in his operations. Orders filled at the shortest notice and Machinery sent to any part of the State. All Repairs promptly attended to. CASTINGS of all kinds, Mill Irons included, done in the shortest, neatest, and most durable manner.

MANUFACTURING PRICES. THRESHER with Cleaner complete, six-horse power, \$250 Thresher without Cleaner, from 160 to \$175 Cera Crushers, Fodder Cutters, Cora Shellers, from \$25 to Hay and Straw Cutters from \$10 to 25 All other machinery at proportional rates. All warranted to work well.

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Charlestown, Dec. 27, 1850.

 $25\,{}^{\mathrm{HHDS.\,Porto\,Rico}}_{\mathrm{leans\,SUGAR}}$  and new crop New Or-25 boxes double refined Loaf do. 15 bbls New Orleans (small loaves) do do 25 " crushed and pulverized 20 hhds Porto Rico and Cienfuegos Molasses 350 bags 'new crop' Rio Green Coffee 75 " white Laguyra and Angostura do 50 chests (part sup.) Gunpowder Tea Young Hyson do " Powcheng do

150 boxes and butts lb. lump %s and 8's Tobacco 20,000 Havana, Principe, and Half Spanish Segars 10 tierces fresh beat Rice 150 boxes Mould Candles Sperm and Adamantine do

Rosin Soap Sanger's Mustard 100 Window Glass, 8 by 10 and 10 by 12 20 kegs refined Salt Petre Saleratus 20 "Carh. Soda 50 Fowder

100 bags Shot (assorted Nos.) 10 boxes Italian Maccaroni 75 kegs pure Lead .- With ageneral assortment of Spices, and a variety of other goods, too tedious to enumerate, recently received, and in store, for sale at moderate prices, and m reasonable terms. All orders from our customers and dealers, generally, will be promptly and faithfully executed McVEIGE BRO. & CO.,

rince street Wharf. Alexandria, Jan. 10, 1851.

Boarding and Day School in Shepherdstown.

Mrs. E. W. PHELPS wil re-open her School on Monday the 16th of Systember. Her course of instruction embraces all the branches usually taught in the best Institutions. It is the effort and aim of Mas. Phenes, that each Pupil committed to ner care should possess every advantage of acquirener care should possess every advantage of acquire-ment that city schools present. She is careful to se-cure accomplished associate Teachers. She labors constantly in her school, believing a necessary to general success in a school, that he Principal should be acquainted with the tended lies and qualities of each individual mind. Much attention is paid to History. Each child pursues a systematic course of historical reading. Weekly Compositions are required. The older girls are frequently required, as a weekly exercise, to make Abstracts from our the frequency such as Mileon, Sbakespeare, &c. The fengious such as Mileon, Sbakespeare, &c. The fengious struction of the Pupils, to which all other will use for the infusion of moral or religious truth. Some of the older girls are members of a weekly Bible class, conducted by the Rev. C. W. Andrews.

Terms: Board & Tuition for the Scholastic year, \$125,00 Tuition in every English Branch, Children under 12 years of age, -.12,00 French, - -. 12.00 French and Latin, (when both are learned,) 18,00 Drawing and Painting. -A portion to be paid in advance.

August 30, 1850. PARTNERSHIP.

THE undersigned have this day associated themselves in the Daug and Boor Busikess, under the name of L. M. SMITH & CO. at the stand heretofore conducted by L.S. Eighelengen, one door West of Sappington's Hotel, Charlestown, Va. They will be prepared to urnish Medicines to Physicians and others, at the lowest rates and at all times. The greatest care wil be taken in the selection of Drugs. Arrangements have ben made by which Books and Music will come tchand at the shortest L. M. SMITH, L. S. ECHELBERGER. notice.

Charlestown, Jan. 1, 1851. N. B .- I . S. EICHELBERGER takes this opportunity to call upon all persons indebted to him to come forward and settle up as he wishes to close his former business

Farmer's Stove, or Ship's Camboose.

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WE wish to call the attention of the Farmers and others who wish a leavy Gooking Stove that will stand the rough usage of negro cooks, to this Stove. The plates are double the thickness of Cooking Stoves in general use. It is one of our own getting up and was originally designed for the use of the Navy and Shipping, and is particularly adapted to the Vitginia market. Its capacity and many other advantages can be seen by cailing on our agents, Messrs. Keyes & Kearsley, who will keep them on hand, and furnish them at Baltimore prices, (transportation added.)
HAYWARD, BARTLETT & CO.

Baltimore Jan. 10, 1851. To Contractors for Public Work.

THE subscriber wishes to contract with some A person or persons, to clear the boat way and straighten he boat course, in the Sher andoah River, from Little's Falls to the forks of said River, a distance of about forty-five or fifty miles; the boat course to be cleared thirty feet wide, so as to give three feet of water in depth. Any person wishing to undertal e the work will call on the subscriber at Castlem in's Ferry, Clarke county, Virginia, who will take pleasure in showing the river and all places that may want any work done. JAMES CASTLEMAN.

Pres't of the Shenandouh Sleamboat Co.

Dissolution.

THE Co-partnership existing under the name | TR. HENRY BROWN, of HARPERS-FERRY solved by mutual consent on the first instant.— pressillowerly Land Declarations, and to forward Those indebted to the firm will be expected to make the in on to my care. Claimants will do well to call payment—and those having claims will present at once upon Mr. Brown, who has all the Forms payment-and those having claims will present them for adjustment. The Books, &c., are in the and Instructions, necessary for the obtaining of hands of V. W. Moore, who is authorised to make | Bounty Land. M 3. MOORE, V. W. MOORE. settlement t Jan. 3, 1851.

The business at the Depot will be carried on by he undersigned who will use his best exertions to accommogate the public. V. W. MOORE. Jan. 3, 1851.

Shaving Cream. Hair Dye, &c. ULES HAULES celebrated Shaving Cream; Hair Dye; Dipilatory;

Ean Lustinte Lily White, Fersian or Chinge Powder Rouge, Hair Oils, Pomades, Labius elegant Extracts, Florida and Rose Water, Bay Water, Cologne, and Lavendar Water, Toilet Soaps, &c. Shell and Builalo Ornamented Tuck Combs; Side, Twist, Neck and Children's Combs; Hair, Cloth, Nail and Shaving Brushes;

Tooth Brushes in great variety on sale by
T. DALTON HAMMOND.
September 6, 1850. Farmers, Attention! TOR SALE, TWO HEAVY SPIKE BEATER M. CHINES, nearly new, and warranted to work well. Prices varying from 3175 b 5200.

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SARSAPARILLA

IN QUART BOTTLES. OR THE REMOVAL AND PERMANENT CURE OF ALL DISEASES ARISING FROM AN IMPURE STATE OF THE BLOOD, OR HABIT OF

THE SYSTEM, VIZ: Scrofula, or King's Evil, Rheumatism, Obstinate Cubineous Eruptions, Pimples, or Pustules on the Pace, Blotches, Biles, Chronic Sore Eyes, Ring Worm or Tetter, Scald Head, Enlargement and Pain of the Bones and Joints, Stubborn Ulcers, Syphilitic Symptoms, Sciatica or Lumbago, and Discases arising from an injudicious use of Mercury: Ascites, or Dropsy, Exposure or Imprudence in Life. Also, Chronic Constitutional Disorders will be removed by this Preparation.

In this preparation are strongly concentrated all the Medicanal properties of Sarsaparilla, combined with the most electual aids, the most salutary productions, the mest potent simples of the vegetable kingdom; and it has been so fully tested, not only by patients themselves, but also by Physicians, that it has received their unqualified recommendations and the approbation of the public; and has established on its own merits a reputation for vacue and Efficacy far superior to the various compounds bearing the name of Sarsaparilla. Diseases have been cured, such as are not furnished in the records of time past; and what it has already done for the thousands who have used it, it is capable of doing for the millions still suffering and streggling with disease. It purifies, cleanses, and strengthens the fountain spring of life, and infuses new vigor throughout the whole animal frame.

ANOTHER CURE OF SCROFULA. The following striking and, as will be seen, permanent cure of an inveterate case of Scrofula, commends itself to all similarly afflicted:

SOUTHPORT, Conn., Jan. 1, 1818. Messes, Sands: Gentlemen-Sympathy for the af-flicted induces me to inform you of the remarkable cure effected by your Sarsaparilla in the case of my wife.— She was severely afflicted with the scrofula on different parts of the body; the glands of the neck were greatiy spilaged and her limbs much swellen. After suffering over a year and finding no relief from the remedies used, the disease attacked one leg, and below the knee suppurated. Her physician advised it should be laid open, which was done, but without any perma-nent benefit. In this situation we heard of, and were induced to use Sand's Sarsaparilla. The first bottle produced a decided and favorable effect, relieving her more than any prescription she had ever taken, and be fore she had used six bottles, to the astonishment and delight of her friends, she found her health quite restored. It is now over a year since the cure was effected, and her health remains good, showing the disease was thoroughly eradicated from the system. Our neignbors are all knowing to these facts, and think very

highly of Sand's Sarsaparilla. Yours with respect, JULIUS PIKE. Extract from a letter received from Mr. N. W. Harris, a gentleman well known in Louisa county, Va .: "Gentlemen-I have cured a negro boy of mine with your Sarsaparilla, who was attacked with Scrofula, and

of a scrofulous family. Yours truly, Fredericks Hall, Va., July 17, 1848." SAND'S SARSAPARILLA. - It seems almost unnecessary to direct attention to an article so well known, and so deservedly popular, as this preparation, but patients often who wish to use the extract of Sarsaparilla are induced to try worthless compounds bearing the name, but confaiging little or none of the virtue of this valuable osot; and we think we cannot confir a greater benefit on our readers than in directing their attention to the advertisement of the Messrs. Sands in anothe column. The bottle has recently been enlarged to hold a quart, and thos; who wish a really good article will find concentrated in this all the medicinal value of the root The experience of thousands has proved its effeecy in caring the various diseases for which it is & D Sarties, Drugging, New York. Sold also by Druggists generally throughout the United States and Canadas. Price \$1 per Buttle ; six Bottles for \$5. L M SMITH & CO. For sale by

Charlestown. L P HARTMAN, Winchester. January 3, 1851 .- 3m.

Desirable House and Lot FOR SALE.

THE DWELLING AND STORE, on the Main street, in Charlestown, for many years occupied by the late W. W. Lane, is offered at Private Sale. It is supposed to be so well known as not to require further description. The house and out-buildings, and fencing are in good order, and will be sold at a price to make it a good investment, and on satisfactory terms. Possession given on the 1st of April, 1851. JOHN W. KENNEDY. Oct. 18, 1850.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION. The Bounty Land Bill Passed.

War of 1812, &c. THE Bill granting BOUNTY LAND to the Solders (whether regulars, volunteers or mi-litia) engaged in the War of 1812, 213 and '14, and in the Florida or Seminole War of 1836, '37. 38, &c., and Gen. Wayne's Indian War, or any War since 1799, having finally passed Congress, the un-dersigned being in possession of all the forms, and understanding fully all the requirements of the varions offices of the Government, will attend promptlu to procuring the same for claimants. In case of the death of the Soldier, the Widow or Those Soldiers who engaged to serve twelve

Minor Children will be entitled. months, or during the war, and actuality served nine months, will receive one hundred and sixty acres; and those who engaged to six months, and actually served four months, will receive eighty acres; and those who engaged to serve for any, or an indefinite period, and actually served one month, will receive forw acres.

As the claimant or warrantee, is not allowed the privilege of selling or assigning away his certificate

or warrant, but instead, is compelled to locate, or have his Land located; and as considerable delay and risk in procuring good and advantageously located Land, will be the consequence, the subscriber in order to obviate this difficulty, has made arrangements with competent and responsible gentlemen in the West, to select and locate Lands specially, thereby securing prime farming and marketable Land; after which, the Patent for the same, or the Land, can be sold if desired, at full value; thus saving \$50 to \$100 on the claim, besides guarding against Land Speculators, and many unforeseen and inevitable difficulties that will otherwise occur. Forms and Instructions furnished-the Warrant or Certificate obtained-the same located, and the Patent or Land sold at full price; the Fee for the whole services will be quite moderate. All business attended to promptly. A share of

patronage is solicited. Address. post-paid, JOHN S. GALLAHER, Junior. Washington, D. C., Oct. 11, 1850. Notice.

and frm of M. H. & V. W. Moore, was dis- 111 is only authorized by the subscriber, to pre-JOHN S. GALLAHER, Junier,

Patent Accorney and Claim Agent. Washington City, Nov. 1, 1850.

THE subscriber being grateful for the success he has experienced since his commencement in business, returns his sincere thanks to the inhabitants of Harpers-Ferry and its vicinity for their very liberal encouragement, and can assure them it will always be his greatest study to merit a continuance of the same. He would respectfully in-form them that he has just received an entire new stock of Drugs and Chemicals of the most genuine quality. Also an extensive assortment of Patent Medicines, Perfumery, and Cutlery, along with a great variety of Fancy articles, Paints, Oils, Dye Woods, Window Glass and Putty. Physician's Prescriptions prepared with the greatest accuracy either night or day.
T. DALTON HAMMOND,

Apothecary and Chemist, Harpers-Ferry, September 6, 1850. Chloride of Lime. JUST received a supply of this indispensable and valuable article, one of the most powerful disinfecting agents.
T. DALTON HAMMOND.

September 6, 1950,

The Scholastic Exercises of the

Frederick Female Seminary

Will be resumed on Monday the 2nd of Sept. next. THE Board of instruction consists of nine Pro-L fessors and Tutors, abundantly qualified to fill their respective stations with credit, and to impart a full and extensive course of instruction, from the incipent stages of an education to the completion of the collegiate course. Ample arrangements have been made for the ac-

commodation of Boarding Scholars. The dormitories are well ventilated and elegantly furnished .-There is also attached to the building a commodions Play-ground and Bathing Establishment. The price of Board and Tuition in all the branches required for a Diploma, including furnished rooms, fuel, lights, washing, &c., \$200 per scholastic year, payable half yearly in advance. For circulars or further imformation, address

H. WINCHESTER, President. Frederick, Md. August 2, 1850.

REGALIA. Odd Fellow, Masonic, Red Men's and Sons of Temperanee, Extensive Regalia and

Banner Depot. G Baltimore, Wholesale and Retail Manufacturers of Odd-Fellows, Masonic, Red Men's, Sons of Temperance, American Mechanics, Rechabites, and every other style of Banners, Flags, Signals, Pennanis, Robes, Costumes, Sashes, Caps, Jewels, and all other articles of Paraphernalia, suitable to the various Orders and Societies. Merchants and Brethren of the different Orders, at a distance, visiting our city, and wishing to equip themselves with REGALIA, suitable to their re-

spective office, or desirous of procuring such, suita-Lodges, Encampments or Divisions, which they may represent, will find our House offers great inducements; from the fact of having recent-V ENLARGED OUR MANUFACTURING DEPARTMENTS, making our arrangements complete, we are enabled at all times to keep on hand a large and well selected assortment of Regalias, Sashes, Caps, Robes, Costumes, 4-c. November 8, 1850.

Cash for Negroes. THE subscriber is anxious to purchase a large number of Negroes, of both sexes, sound and likely. Persons having Negroes to dispose of, will find it to their interest to give him a call before selling, as he will pay the very highest cash prices. He van beseen at the Berkeley Courts, at Martinson the 2d Monday, and at Berryville on the 4th Monday in each month, and usually at his residence in Charlestown. All letters addressed to him will be promptly at-

tended to. WM. CROW. Charlestown, Feb. 12, 1848-1f. CASH FOR NEGROES. AM desirous to purchase a large number of NEGROES for the Southern markets, men, women, boys, girls and families, for which I will give the highest cash prices.

Persons having slaves to sell will please inform me personally, or by letter at Winchester, or A. P. Strayer at Martinsburg, which will receive prompt

attention; or B. M. & W. L. Campbell, No. 242, West Pract street, Baltimore. ELIJAH McDOWELL,

Agent for B M. 4. W. L. Campbell. Martinsburg, August 2, 1850-1y. CARRELL'S HOTEL.

MRS. CARRELL respectfully announces to h public that the Hotel is still aveiling place modation of persons results are line in the Hotel is still aveiling place. Cassinets, all pices; injudgeys, very cheap; injudgeys, very cheap; cent lower long cassinets, all pices; injudgeys, very cheap; cent lower long cassinets, all pices; and very cheap; injudgeys, very cheap; cent lower long cassinets, all pices; and very cheap; and very Harpers Ferry, Sept. 20, 1850. THE undersigned having reases.

Shop of Mr. George Eichelberger, on "Cat-Tail," offers his services as a Blacksmith. He will do all kinds of Farm Work, Mili Irons, Edge Tools &c. The shortest notice, and for the very

are not done to order, and of the best materials, may be returned free of charge. He invites a trial from the public. GEORGE CLOSE. April 11, 1850,-1v.

lowest prices. Articles manufactured by him which

EXTRA FLOUR. THE undersigned has always on hand Extra FLOUR, No. 1, for sale and in exchange for a good article of Wheat. The above Flour is kept on hand in Charlestown, by John K. Woods & Co. and Eby & Son; and by different merchants at

Harpers-Ferry. SAWING. I have also my Saw-Mill in good repair, and bills will be furnished at the shortest notice. MARTIN EICHELBERGER. Rock Spring Mills, May 9, 1850 .- tf.

Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps. MCVEIGH, BROTHER, & CO., ALEXANDRIA, VA., SEPTEMBER, 1850, DESPECTFULLY make known to their customers and dealers generally, that they are now in the receipt of their regular Fall Stock of Beots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, &c., purchasel directly of the Manufacturers in New England, at such prices and on such terms as to enable them to compete fully, with any of the Northern Cities. They invite attention to the following, as comprising only a portion of their stock:

2,505 Cases and Cartoons, containing Men's Thick

and Heavy Brogans; Men's do. do. Oak Bottom, round and nat seam: Do. Navy and Planters, do.; Do. very heavy and extra sizes, do.; Do. unbound, do.; Boy's and Youth's, do.; Men's Monroes-Calf, Kip and Seal, do.; Boy's and Youth's, do.; Men's Double Sole Thick Boots ;

Do Tapp-Sole, Boy's, Youth's and Children's do. ; Men's Calf, Cork-Sole, (war. water-proof,) do.; Do. Fishing, Do. Kip and Grain, Do. Kip half Welt, Do. Fine Calf Morocco Stitch, do .: Women's Morocco and Kid Welt Buskins;

do. do. Ties: Ladies' extra-fine Morocco and Kid Buskins and Ties; Half do.; Leather Bootees: do. Buskins and Ties; do. De. Low priced Kid, Seal, Calf and Morocco Misses Leather, Kid, Calf and Morocco Slippers

Children's Boots and Shoes, in great variety;

and Buskins;

205 Cases Hais and Caps. Comprising Beaver, Silk, Russia, Cassimere, Angola, Drabb and Black Wool, with a very large and general assortment of Navy, Travelling, Giazed and other fashionable styles of Cloth and other Caps; 925 Hair and Black Leather Trunks; 2.000 pounds Shoe Thread; with a variety of Men's

do. Bootees;

Women's Misses and Children's Metalic Over Shoes and Boots. They respectfully invite an early call from all in pursuit of bargains. McVEIGH, BRO. & CO. Prince street Wharf. Alexandria, September 6, 1850.

Notice.

FITHE repairs that have been going on for several I months, have at length been completed, and we are pleased to announce to our friends along the line, that the Canal is now in fine navigable order. We hope, therefore, that our customers and dealers generally, will not let the delay to which we have been subjected in forwarding Goods, prevent their coming to our market to purchase their Fall supplies, as we are now prepared to offer very great inducements in the way of bargains.

McVEIGH, BRO. & CO. Alexandria, Sept. 6, 1450.

Willow Hill Bearding School, One mile from Kerneysvill THIS Institution has been in successful operation 1 for more than three years, and affords thorough instruction in the Latin and Greek languages, and the different branches of a complete English education, including the higher Mathematics, &c.

The ensuing term will commence on Monday,
September 9th.

September 9th.

Board, Tnition, &c., \$60 per Session. Tuition, \$6 to \$12 per Session.

Rev. J. L. FRARY, PRINCIPAL. Willow Hill, August 16, 1950.

Notice to Passengers.



THE rates of fare on the Winchester and Polomac Railroad, are as follows, viz: From Winchester to Harpers-Ferry, do and return From Winchester to Halltown, From Winchester to Charlestown, and return 1 25 From Winchester to Cameron's do and return 1 00

From Winchester to Thomson's do and return do do and return From Winchester to Wadesville or Op. B. From Winchester to Stephenson's do and return From Halltown to Harpers-Ferry
Do do and return
From Charlestown to Harpers-Ferry

From Cameron's to Harpers-Ferry
Do do do and return From Thompson's to Harpers-Ferry
Do do and return 1 00 From Wadesville or O. Bridge to H. Ferry 1 00 From Stephenson's to Harpers-Ferry do and return 1 25 Do do do and return 1 50

The reduced charge for going and returning will be extended, only, when tickets are taken; and passengers who take such tickets will be sentenced. sengers who take such tickets will be allowed one

privilege of one intervening day.

Persons who do not take tickets, will be charged six cents per mile, for whatever distance they may travel on the road. The same rate will be charged between any two depots on the line of the road. By order, &c.,

J. GEO. HEIST, Agent.

May 24, 1850. Purchasers, look to your Interests! GREAT REDUCTION OF PRICES. THE undersigned having lately returned from the Eastern Cities with a large and splendid

is prepared to manufacture and furnish every arti-cle in his line of business, of the best material, and in the neatest and most substantial manner, at greatly reduced prices, and upon such terms as cannot fail to suit purchasers. He is not forgetful of the past kindness and patronage which have been so liberally extended to him by his old customers, and would avail hirself of this means of returning them his sincerest thanks for their supportwhilst he hopes, by renewed energy and attention to their wants, to merit a continuance of their

patronage. He may at all times, in business hours, be found at his old stand, one door North of Wm. Dorsey's Drug Store, and opposite John W. Boyd's Store. J. VINCENHELLER.
Martinsburg, April 18, 1850.—1y.

NEW AND CHEAP FALL & WINTER GOODS.

THE undersigned has just returned from the Eastern markets with a complete assortment of Fall and Winter Goods, which have been selected with great care, and will be sold at small profits, adopting the old adage that "the nimble sixpence is better than the slow shilling." His stock consists in part of the following articles: Canton Cioths, for Lacies' Dress;

Alpacas, (figured and plain,) assorted colors; Mouselains, (figured and plain,) a good assortment Ladies' Shawls, all patterns and sizes; Ladies' Gloves, of superior quality. Sill and Kid; Gentlemen's Buskin, Beaver and Kid Gloves; A beautiful assortment of Fall and Winter Bonnets; Superior Trimmings for Ponnets;
Jenny Lind Trimmings for Dresses, all colors, and
A large assortment of Dress Silks, all

Embroidered do., (all colors, a beautiful article; Mericoes, assorted colors;

cheap; Fall and Winter Calicoes, beam, Flow, Flow, very cheap;
very cheap;
Laces, Edgings Unds, very low;
Laces, Edgings American;

A large assortment of Ladies Misson deen's Shoes; A large assortment China, Glass and Queens. Hardwire; A complete stock of Tinware Gentlemen's Hats, Fall fashion, very enperier; Wool Hats, very low; Santa Fe Water Proof Hats, 50 cts.;

A complete stock of Groceries ; Flour, Bacon, and in fact every article that is usually kept in a retail store. His friends and the public are most respectfully invited to call and examine his stock before making their purchases, as he makes no charge for showing Opposite the Arsenal, Shen'h st., H. Ferry.
Harpers-Ferry, Oct. 18, 1850. his Goods.

Warehouse at Shepherdstown.

Wheat, Corn, &c., Wanted. THE subscribers respectfully inform the citizens of Jefferson and Berkeley counties, Va., and those of Washington county, Md., that they have rented the large and commodious Brick Warehouse at Shepherdstown, on the Potomac river, (under the name and firm of LUCAS & MOORE,) where they will at times be prepared to furnish transporta-tion, in their superior line of Canal Boats, for any and all freight destined for the Markeis of the District. Terms reasonable, and such as will make t the interest of all to give them a trial. The highest market Cash price will be paid.

generally. Farmers and others will find it to their nterest 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 in the Plaster, Fish, Salt, &c.,

or from five to twenty thousand bushels of WHEAT

-to be delivered at such times as the parties may

agree, and in parcels to suit the convenience of thosa

interested. Also, the highest market price will be

paid for CORN, OATS, and Country Produce

Will be kept constantly on hand, and disposed of on the most reasonable terms by the cargo, or smaller quantity. ROBERT LUCAS, JR., SAMUEL MOORE.

Fall and Winter Clothing. AT THE LOWEST PRICES!

THE most superb stock of READY-MADE

CLOTHING ever offered in Harpers-Ferry,

Shepherdstown, Nov. 8, 1850-1y.

has just been received by the subscribers, for the present Fall and Winter trade, at their Clothing Emporium, where purchasers can be accommodated with the following assortment of READY-MADE CLOTHING, Sack and other Coats, Pants, Vests, Shirts, all qualities, Drawers, Boots, Hats, three qualities, Rough and Ready Hats, Caps, a very large supply, all of which will be sold on reasonable terms and prices that cannot fail to please. Also, a superior lot of Silk, Cotton, and Gingham Pocket and Neck Handkerchiefs, Cravats, Gloves, Socks, Suspenders, Umbrellas, Canes, Pen Knives, Razor Strops, &c.

TRUNKS, VALICES AND CARPET-BAGS. This being the largest and most fashionable stock of Ready-Made Clothing ever offered in Harpers-Ferry, they ask a call from all purchasers desirous of being served on reasonable terms, either holesale of relail. N. B. Persons that cannot be accommodated with our present stock of Clothing, are informed that we are prepared to have Clothing made to order at short notice, and a guarantied FIT at the same low prices: . \* We return thanks for the very liberal patronage heretofore extended to us-and we assure the public that Goods sold by us will not be interior to

those of any other establishment in the country .-All we ask is a call, feeling assured that no one will leave our establishment without being convinced that cheaper and better articles of Clothing cannot be had this side of Baltimore-and not even there. R. WALTER & BRO. Harpers-Ferry, September 25, 1850.

CARTER'S HOTEL .. RESTAURANT.

THE subscriber has opened in the basement of his hotel a RESTAURANT where can be found (except on the Sabbath.) all the delitered of the season. He has engaged the services of a competent caterer from Baltimore to take charge of the same. A room adjoining the Ladies Parlor has been fitted up for the purpose of accommodating parties of Ladies and Gentlemen.

Nov. 22, 1850.

Houses for Rent. HAVE some half dozen houses for rent. Pos-session given on the first day of April next. Ap-BENJ. TOMLINHON. Jana 10, 1851.



September 20, 1850,