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CHARLESTOWN, JEFFERSON COUNTY, VIRGINIA, THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH 31, 1853.

THE undersigned. Agent for INSURANCE COMPANY of the VALLEY of FIRGINIA at Winchester and HARTFORD FIRE INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, of Hartford, Connectical, will receive Applications and regulate Premiums on all risks in the former Company, and Insure Property and deliver Policy on the Property Insured as soon as Premium is paid in the latter Company.

SUBSCRIPTIONS

Received for the following Newspapers and Peri-Daily, tri-weekly & weekly National Intelligencer. Baltimore American.

weekly Episcopal Recorder. weekly Littell Living Age Boys and Giris Magazine. Youth's Cabinet and Mentor. Dec. 30, 1852 -1y. B. W. HERBERT.

#### U. S. HOTEL, HARPERS FERRY, VIRGINIA.

MRS. ELI B. CARRELL. ESPECIFULLY announces to her friends and the travelling public generally, that DINNER is daily in readiness at 24 o'clock. express ly for the Passengers on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, in the down train-going east, and for the spe ial accommodation of Passengers in the Win-

Breakfast at 8 o'clock. A. M. which is in time to afford an hour to remnin before the departure of the Baltimore 9 o'clock train. Supper at 9 o'clock, P. M., which gives time sufficient to stop two hours before

the Winchester train leaves on its return. Oysters at all hours for those who prefer Mrs. E. H. C. avai's herself of this occasion to offer her grateful acknowledgements to those who assures them and all others that she is determined

#### [February 3, 1853. FOUNTAIN HOTEL.

THE undersigned having purchased, some months since, the lease and effects of that old establish-The Fountain Hotel,

LIGHT STREET, BALTIMORE, MARYLAND, and having repaired and refurnished it at a heavy outlay, now offers to their friends and the travelling public an establishment second to none in

COMPORT AND CONVENIENCE. . The Ladies Ordinary and the suites of rooms attached will be found to afford the comforts of Manufacturers and Importers of guarantees quiet repose to all its patrons. It is the most desirable situation for the man o business, being in the centre of business, affords as convenient access to all the Railroad Depots and steamboat landings as any other Hotel in the city. it will be the desire and pleasure of the Proprietors to promote the comfort of the guests of the horse. CLABAUCH & BROTHER. November 11, 1852-1v.

## CITY HOTE.

CORNER OF WALL & MAIN STREETS, RICHMOND, VIRGINIA. THE nearest Hotel in the City to the Depots of the Central & Danville Raid Road and the James River Steamers.

T. M. B. ROY, Proprietor. ASSISTANTS WM. JACQ. TAYLOR. WM. WILLIAMSON. April 22 1852.

# CONGRESS HALL,

PHILADELPHIA, JULY 1, 1852. HE subscribers take pleasure in informing their friends and the if aveiling community generally, that they have this day taken possession of that well established and favorably known hotel CON-GRESS HALL. Third and Chesnut Streets. They have had the house thoroughly repaired. and all the modern improvements introduced, and furnished in a style of elegance which will at once render it unsurpassed for comfort and convenience. This is decidedly the best located house in the

city, being in the immediate victnity of business, the Exchange, Custom House, and many other Lines of Canibusses leave for every part of the city every few minutes, their head quarters being within one square of the House. The subscribers are determined to spare no pains in making this a convenient and comfortable home

to the raveller. NORRIS & JACKSON, Late of Virginia, Proprietors. July 15, 1852. James E. Norris who is well known to many of the business men visiting the city, lately in the Hardware house of James J. Duncan & Co., Twitt, Brother & Co., and formerly proprietor of the Virginia Hotel, St. Louis, will have the management of the House assisted by pelite and competent

## PERUVIAN GUANO.

persons.

TETHE undersigned, beg leave to inform the Farmers of this State, that they have made arrangements with Messrs. F Barreda & Bro. Amints of the Pernyian Government, for the exclusige importation of PERUVIAN GUANO into this city, direct from the Chincha Islands; and, also for the establishment of a large Depot for the purpose of having always on hand a quantity suf fient to meet the demand, and at prices within the reach of every consumer. The tariff of rates fixed by the Agents of the Peruvian Government. is as follows :-1 ton or less

43 50 1-to 5 tons 43 00 12 50 10 to 25 tons 25 to 50 tons 42 00 50 tons and upvaris 41 50 Put up in good bags, with the brand of the Agen's of the Peruvian Government, which is aufficient guaranty of the purity of the article. FOWLE & CO.

A CARD. THE undersigned have formed a partnership in I the legal profession. They will attend the County and Superior Courts of Berkeley Jefferson

Morgan, and Frederick, and the Superior Courts of other counties in such cases only in which they tany be specially retained.
CHAS. JAS. FAULKNER, FRANKLIN THOMAS. Martinsburg, April 8, 1852-1y

#### WM. T. DAUGHERTY. Afterney at Law and Notary Public, HARPERS-FERRY. VA.,

RACTICES in the Courts of this and the ad joining Counties, and will take Affidavits, Depositions and the acknowledgement of Deeds. an ewhere in Jefferson County; and will also protes: foreign bills of exchange Feb. 21, 1851 .- Spirit.

# 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 ask prices. He was beseen at the Berkelev Courts at Martins-burs, on she'd Monday, and at Berryville on the 4th Monday in each month, and usually at his residence in Charlestown
Alletters addressed to him will be promptly attended to.

Charlestown. Jan. 13. 1853—y.

## 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 Gharlestown, by John K. Woods & Co. and Eby & Son: and by different merchants at Harpers-Ferry.

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, 1860.—tf.

Cash For Negroes HOSE persons having Negroes for sale, can be the highest price by calling on the satura-ber at Charlestown. Application is person or by letter will be promptly attented to. July 94, 1851.

C. G. BRAGG.

97. C. B. HATCH & CO., 97. INSURANCE COMPANY Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, NO. 97 WILLIAM STREET. WAY BETWEEN MAIDEN LANE & JOHN STREET, BEW YORK:

MERCHANTS will find at this establishment a full assortment of the latest styles. (embracing the most approved London and Paris fashions)

Shirts, Stocks, Cravats, Suspenders, Limin Collers,
Dressing Robes, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Under
Garments, Maney Belts, Gloves, Shoulder
Praces, &c., &c.
And every description of Goods appertaining to the
Furnishing Business, which will be sold at the December 23. 1152.-4m.

DUNHAM & KEARFOTT. IMPORTERS AND JOBPURS OF English, Greneb, German an American

DRY GOODS, No. 285 BALTIMORE STREET, Second Door East of Sharp Street,

January 27, '53-1y. BALTIMORE.

## WATCHES, GOLD & SILVER WARE

L. H. MILLER & CO., WHOLESALE WATCH & JEWELRY HOUSE, No. 227 Baltimore st., S. E. cor. of Charles street, TMPORTERS of English and Swiss Watches And Tools of every description. Watch Case dise, Household Furniture, Vessels on the stocks Makers and Manufacturers of Fine Gold Jewelry. We call the attention of Southern and Western dealers in Watches, Jewelry and Silver Ware, to our very extensive stock assuring them that in no have so liberally patronized the U.S. Hotel, and article in our line shall we allow any establishment to make the house, in all respects, the stranger's branch of trade in Baltimore, and shall use every fair means to induce Southern and Western mer chants to open accounts with us. Our terms shall be as liberal and accommodating as can possibly be found in the United States. We will take great pleasure in showing our goods to Southern and Western merchants, wheth-

er they open accounts with us or not L H MILLER & CO., Imperiers of Watches, Baltimore, Md. January 27, 1853-1v.

## HOWELL & BROTHERS, PAPER HANGINGS, No. 207 BALTIMORE STREET,

BALTIMORE, MD., NVITE attention to their very elegant and extensive assortment of Paper Harigings, embraeing fine gold and velvet decorations, fine French, in plain and rich colors, with an immense assortment of ordinary Satin and common papers. Also Curtain Papers. Borders, Fire Prints, Tester and H & B. were awarded, at the late fair of the Maryland Institute, A GOLD MEDAL for the superiority of their Paper Hangings. January 27, 1853-3m.

#### WHOLESALE AND RETAIL Importing, Finding and Leather ESTABLISHMENT.

NO. 16, SOUTH CALVERT ST., BALTIMORE. THE undersigned announces to the Public that they are prepared to furnish at the shortest notice, and lowest rates, the largest and most superior assortment, comprising of SOLE and UPPER. GALLOUNS, RIBBONS, LACES, of al shades and colours, necessary for the trade, low for cash by DARRAGH & ROSE. Baltimore, Jan. 13, 1853 .- 6m.

RANDOLPH & LATIMER General Commission Merchants. 62 SOUTH St. BOWLYS WHARF.

A TTEND particularly to the sale of FLOUR,
WHEAT CORN and all kinds of COUN-TRY PRODUCE, and are prepared to furnish bags to farmers wishing to consign to them. Baltim re, Nov. 25, 1852.

## CLOTHING WAREHOUSE. DAILEY & CO.,

MANUFACTURERS & WHOLESALE DEALERS IN READY-MADE CLOTHING, No. 324 Baltimore street, near Howard, BALTIMORE,

Keep constantly on hand, a large stock of CLOTH ING, suitable for all sections of the country.

## GENERAL AGENCY SEAT OF GOVERNMENT.

THE subscriber having established a GENE-AL AGENCY in Washington City, D. C., for the prosecution and settlement of every description of Claims against the United States, enders his services to the public. Revolutionary Claims Suspended Pension and Bounty Land Cases, and also Suspended Claims for Lost Horses, receive prompt attention, as do all other cases that are placed in my hands Ro. H. GALLAHER, Late of Virginia.

REFERENCES :- President FILLMORE : Secretaries STUART, CORWIN and CONRAD; JAS. E. HEATH, Esq., Commissioner of Pensions; JNO. S. GALLAHER, Esq., Third Auditor of the Treusury; CHUBE BROTHERS, Ban-kers, and Hon. JACKSON MORTON, U. S. Senate.

NEW BOOT AND SHOE

MANUFACTORY. THE subscribers would respectfully inform the citizens of Harpers-Ferry and Bolivar, that they have commenced the above usiness in Harpers-Ferry, on High Street a few doors above Stenandoah, where they will manufacture in the very best manner, and out of the best material, all kinds of Boots and Shoes. All work will be warranted to be of the best quality, both in material and workmanship. REPAIRING will also be neatly and substantially done, and on the shortest

All work guaranteed to qual in stile, beauty. finish and material, any that is manufactured in the County.

JOHN T RELEY. A G McDANIEL Harpers-Ferry January 20, 1853.

#### WM S ANDERSON MARBLE STONE CUTTER.

Frederick City, Md , It son and adjoining counties for the liberal patronage extended to him in his line of by siness; respectfully gives notice that he is now prepared to execute all kinds of work is his line-such as Monuments, Tombslabs, Head and Foot Stones, &c.,

at the shortest notice, and upon the most reasona-ble terms; and his work shall compare with any other in the country. All Stones delivered at my own risk and expense.

Ali orders thankfully received and promptly at-WM. S. ANDE BON

J. W. McGINNIS, deint. Charlestova, Va, er JOHN G. RIDENOUR, Agent.

Jan. 39, 1853.

To the Citizens of Jefferson, Berkeley, Fred-erick and Clarke Counties. I AGAIN appear before you as a Punit Makes, and as I hope you have not forgotten the in that capacity, you will, one and all call on siz should you need any thing in that way. Please call on me at Charlestown, or my son Thomas P Brado, living near Mr. George E. Beall's on the Charlestown and Shepherdstown Road. As I have employed him to do the work, I pledge myself that all makes will be promptly attended. C. G. BEAGG.

Valley et Virginia. CHARTERED MARCH 17, 1802. Capital \$80,000, with power to increase the same to \$200,000.

THIS Company, having been duly organized, is now ready to receive Applications and issue Policies, and offers to the citizens of Virginia the inducement of a home Company for the safe insurance of all kinds of Property, Merchandize, &c., at fair and equitable rates. The Directors assure the public that this Company the public that this Company will be conducted with a view to permanency, and on the strictest principles of equity, justice, and a close regard to economy and the safety of the Insured.

JOS. S. CARSON, President. C. S. FUNK, Secritary.

O. F. BRESEE, Allery. DIRECTORS. Jos. S. Carson Wm. L. Clark, James P. Rieley, James H. Burgess, Lloyd Logen, N. W. Richardson, John Kerr. Office on Piccadilla Street, near Valley Bank

B. W. HERBERT. Agent for Jefferson County. July 29, 1852-1v. Hartford Fire Insurance Company, HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT

Incorporated 18:0 - Charter perpetual - Capital \$150, 000; with power of increasing it to \$250,000. DUBLIC Buildings, Manufactories, Mills, Ma-

or while in port, &c., &c., will be insured at rates as low as the risk will admit. Applications for Insurance may be made to B. W. HERBEET,
Agent for J. ferson County, Va. to surpass us, either in quantity, quality or low In the absence of the Agent from Charlestown, of JOHN P. BROWN, Esq., who will attend to them

Persons at a distance address through N. B. On all Church Buildings and Clergymen's personal property, the Agent will present his commissions in reducing the amount of premiums on the risks thus arising July 15, 1852-1v.

#### DISSOLUTION. THE Co-Partnership heretofore existing in the 1 management of the Charlestown Depot, un-

The Notes. Books, Accounts, &c., of the concern fully, turning her fine black eyes contemptu and how pale he looks was whispered from collection, and all persons indebted are potified to never speak with such as hm, Miss Beamake immediate settlement, as it is desired to close up the business of the concern at the carliest day J. G. MORRIS. V. W. MOGRE.

The Charlestown Depot. THE undersigned have formed a Co-Partt ership in the management and basiness of the Charlestown Depot, and hope the liberal patronage and confidence extended to the old firm, may be continued to the new. We are prepared to afford every facility for transacting a'll

Receiving and Forwarding Business at the shortest notice and in the most punctual We are determined to leave no effort unspared to accommodate the old, and all the new Customers who may favor us with their patronage.

We will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of articles suitable to the wants of the farming community, such as SALT, FISH, TAR, PLASTER: 4c., which will be sold on the very lowest teams for cash sired. V. W. MOORE & BROTHER

#### January 6, 1853. EXCHANGE BANK OF SELDEN, WITHERS & CO.,

WASHINGTON, D. C. THE undersigned respectfully announce that L they have formed a co-partnership to transact a general Banking and Exchange business in this city, under the firm of SELDEN, WITHERS & CO., and are prepared to deal in Foreign and Domestic Exchanges, Time-Bill's. Pro

missory Notes. Certificates of Deposite, Letters of Credit, Bank Notes and Coin. We undertake to make collections and promptly o remit the proceeds to any designed point within Mr. WILLIAM SELDEN, a member of the firm, and for many years past, the Treasurer of the United States, will give his careful personal attention to all financial business which we may be employed to

transact with any of the Departments of the Govern-The business which our employers may require us to transact, will be conducted with fidenty and promptitude, and upon the most reasonable terms. WILLIAM SELDEN. Late Treasurer of the U. S.

JOHN WITHERS. R. W. LATHAM, Of Washington D. C. L. P. BAYNE, Of Baltimore, Md

Washington, Dec. 6, 1850 .- ti Coats. Pants and Vests.

IF you want a suit of CLOTHES, of sound material and of excellent style and make, all or WILLIAM J STEPHENS Merchant Tailor corner of Shenandoah and Bridge streets, near Mrs Carrell's Hotel, Harpers-Ferry. Va , where will be found at all times a large assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres & Vestings and other seasonable goods for Men's wear, which will be manufactured to order in the best sivle and

Also, a large assortment of CLOTHING, of superior quality, to which the attention of gen lemen s particularly invited, as much of it is botten up n a style not inferior to the best ordered work Also, a great variety of Furnishing Articles such as Shirts, Drawers, Cravats Gloves, Suspenders &c., comprising a complete assortment of every thing necessary to complete a gent eman's wardrobe. All Clothing purchased at this establi hment warranted well sewed and all rips will be sewed without charge. My stock is now full and complete, and no pains will be spared to render satisfaction, to all who may favor me with a cal WILLIAM J. STEPHENS. Harpers-Ferry, Oct. 21, '52.

Fall and Winter Clothing. JOHN STRAUSS,

DESIROUS of sustaining the high reputation of giving good bargains and satisfaction, in the sale of READY-MADE CLOTHING, invites the attention of the public in general to his large and superior stock

It is utterly useless to attempt to enumerate the various articles which compose my stock, as I have everything necessary to furnish a gentleman's wardrobe, including Hats and Cape of every style

I would especially impress upon your mint the fact that these Clothes will be sold at much lower prices than they have sold herelofore. Purchasers will look out fer my name. F. JOHN STRAUSS.

New Carrell's Hotel, Harpers-Ferry, Virginia.
Oct. 21, 1852.

## Shenandoah Iron Foundry.

THIS Foundry, situated on the Winchester & Potomac Railroad, 13 miles from Harpers-Ferry, has been rented for a term of years by the subscriber, who would respectfully inform the public that he is now prepared to do, in a style of workmanship, which cannot be surpressed if equalled, in this Valley, every description of Machinery and Plough Castings, at short notice.

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

Old from taken in exchange for Castings.

HENRY C. PARKER.

## POETRY.

CREATION'S HEART. I stand among old earth's green hills,

The sun is setting alow—

Around me are the lengthening shades,

Above, the purple bow;
I hear a deep and murmuring sound,

Though all the hills are still,
It swells up through the trembling air,

The conscious heaven doth fill;

Great heart of earth! throb on; throb on;

Each pulse is calm and deep,

And I may sink upon thy breast,
In quiet, trustful sleep.

The stars in shining train, come out
Beyond the depths of blue;
Bright worlds in jue wide spaces crowd,
And shat the aching view;
I gaze till sight in soul is lost;
Beyond this burning wall
Ten thousand rise, far, withdrawn,
Ten thousand, yet not all;
Each orb is throbbase strong and lone,
Yet of the whole a part;
And all forever throb as one,

And all forever throb as one, Creation's mighty heart. I hear the sound; a deep, glad tone,

From every heart of love, And from the whole, gives answer to The One that throbs above; A mighty anthem-rolling wide, A mighty anthem—rolling wide,
And deepening from afar—
The throbbing of creation's heart,
From every shining star—
Through years and ages, centuries,
The drops of time's deep river,
Flowing from houndless sea to as

Flowing from boundless sea to sea-Goes up to God forever.

# MISCELLANY

## THE LITTLE BEGGAR.

"AN OWER TRUE TALE." 'Miss Beatrice, I shall tell your mams, if

come hurry. Faugh! his rags make me battles. Oh! how my spirit soars higher, sick; he smells of the gutter.' little lady tripping along; 'he said he was nature. I a beggar? No! there is that very hungry, and I told him to some to within me shall bring a world's homage to

father's and get some bread.' · Why! Miss Beatrice, you den't go to Blazing lights-ferms of houri leveliness. have passed into the hands of J. G. Monais for ously on the ragged child. You should ear to ear.

to the sky, and then towards Miss Prue lic, like furren folks, and sleep in straw -He's a human pig my dear, and I dare say his sty is in some old cellar or garret, here- ing the surges of his troubled passions .abouts La! me! it's well there are classes Hope, half-drowning, climbed over its frail and instiction made between folks that is something or else one-half of the world wouldn't be better than the other half .tainly put a stop to this practice of speaking added the mocker in light merry tones. to everybedy on the road.'

But what cared the forsaken child for whole frame, spite of the cruel cold? Never the sake of one sweet smile.' had he seen anything half as beautiful as told him to come to her father's house -How happy he felt, holding one crimson foot and then the other from the biting frost. What a bright sunbeam played over

Peor miserable child! who can he be ?-How dismal he looks through the snow!' · Oh! mama! it's my litle beggar boy; do ask him in -no! let me;' and before her mother could speak. Beatrice had raised the as his half frozen limbs would allow

'This way,' she cried. leading him by his numb hand from Miss Prue's indignant he saves me from peril?' · did I ever?' The poor boy's heart leaped to the measure of the quick flame shooting | generous man. True, he is not rich; but in red flashes up the wide chimney The has that riches never yet bought, she added, shining floor, clear, bright windows, and rows | rising and speaking with animation - a soul of lustrous silver-fer so the tins ranged | really great and noble He is a cabineton circular shelves seemed to him-looked | maker's son-yes! and a gentleman; I have as a glimpse of heaven might, to some poor seen but few who equal him. I would give prisoner, whose life had been passed in a more for the love of such an one ever if he

What makes my little Atty so merry toright?' asked her father, as the child with Besides, he who in the moment of universal sparkling eyes and busy fingers heaped her terror, rises superior to that self-interest place with delicacies from the supper-table, natural to human nature, stands forth in my and with shy, happy glances, hurried from eyes, the crowning triumph of manhood-a

'Oh! nothing, only taking it upon her-self to supply all the beggars in creation. I heaven for my lot.' really think Atty ought to be apprenticed to

Hannah Fry.'

With an exclamation as wild, the parents rushed down into the kitchen. Sight of horrer! their child was nearly enveloped in | sir?' finnes, from out which looked the half-wired

tege, her clothes had caught from a living | myself a name, sir. coal-but the boy sprang to his feet, and while the sook stood wringing her hands, closed his arms about her, and fercibly held her face against his breast, felding her clothes so tightly that the fire only barmed himself. Gallant, brave boy! His hair was burnt-for he had bent his head to shield here: his hands, his arms, were raw and and the fire was put out.

couch: may the Lord forgive me for calling in the heat of the day.'
you a human pig You are the dearest lit. 'Mr. Marion, my kind friend,' said the you a human pig You are the dearest little beggar brat that ever I knew I declare daged limbs, from the room.
How is he Prue? asked Mrs. Marion

Oh! delightful ma'am; his fever's all ' Mama,' sobbed Beatries, laying her head on her mether's lap- I'll love him all my Twelve years had relled on. The boy of nige was the man of twenty one; the case

bathed his sight in her resplendent beauty. For him sounded these liquid notes? Or did the exquisite whose dainty fingers dallied with the music sheets, to show the flash-

' Yes; do ou believe the rumor of her engagement with her father's protege ?

Lawrence grew breathlessly attentive. 'No; Beatrice Marion is too proud to ally herself with a beggar. You know her family is one of the most aristocratic in New England. To be sure this fellow saved her

Deathly pale grew young Lawrence. 'And is it thus I am regarded?' he thought, with swelling heart, and the passions of a noble nature warring in his bosom. 'I a beggar? Hang I on the hem of this man's charity ?-Never-never shall such be said of me again. Never, never; I will go from here, though the love I bear that girl, sunder soul and body. In beggar-and that within me that you talk to that mean child any longer - could lead an army through ten thousand than these painted things-how far above 'I was only giving him a penny.' said the you brainless fop, I know myself placed by

my feet ' der the name and firm of John G. Monais & Co, for a moment! exclaimed the nurse scorn many and happy—all were passed unheeded;

Uncouse outly he had wandered near a little group of which Bestrice was the centre · Why! didn't God make him?' asked \_\_the star. He shrank back, that unebservthe child, lifting her sweet face reverently ed. he might for the last time grave her beauty upon his tortured heart. Even of 'Yes, but such as he was made to eat gar- you. peerless daughter of a proud family, will I yet be worthy !" The thought came like a life-boat, breast-

sides, and was safely harbored there. 'Ha! ha! a sentimentalist; cried a gay girl, shaking her fan at Beatrice. Come. Come, Miss Beatrice! your mama must cer- all you knights, listen while she speaks; 'How many yards of tapestry have you woven to-day, fair lady?' simpered an ele-Miss Prue's scorn! or the harsh name of gant but foppish young man, who had been beggar that grated on his ear? Had not an her shadew during the evening. Tell me angel said a kind word to him, such as he the color of your favor, fair lade uposal he not feel the light of these clear eyes, ble part. Give me the searf as ladies did shining down into his heart warming his of old, and I will shiver a dezen lances for

Quicker than thought Beatrice snatched that bright cheek, or the golden curls that from her music book a black ribbon, and with tinted a forehead pure as snow. And this mock gravity held it towards him The beautiful being so far above him. had stopp- sareasm provoked a universal titter; and the ed to say a word of comfort to him-had | self-possession of the young exquisite sank like the mercury when brought in contact with ice.

He bowed however, as he accepted it. But you don't mean to say,' continued the first gay speaker, 'that you are in ear-Here Annie, Nellie-Mrs Graves and all -here is the first ene who has openly commended Bell Falconer for marrying the cab-

inet maker's son' 'Is she not indebted to him for her life?' sash and called the child, who came as fast | asked Beatrice, while a warm flush mounted to her cheek, making her more than levely?"

'Am I to marry a scullion then, because Mr Dale is not a scullion, but a brave, came from the deepest obscurity, than that of a duke with millions at his command noble of God's own creating. Would I leve What is she doing ?' he added, turning such an one -- her beautiful eyes flashed, and she spoke with mingled sweetness and

Why that start. Beatrice ?-that rich flush the city missionary. She is delighted at an | and sudden paller? Every eye turned in old garret, and nothing suits her like pick | the direction of her momentary glance .-ing up lame, sick and hungry children. I Lawrence was leaning breathlessly forward shouldn't wonder if she makes a regular | - his eyes unearthly bright, his lips compressed and pale Surely never looked forth 'Inasmuch as ye did it unto one of these | a more beaming face. One glauce of almost the least of my brethren, ye did it unto me" | rapture at the sweet, womanly creature--said Mr Marion in a tone of slight re- and the young man faint with happiness, proof. He had hardly speken, when a turned away and sought the quiet of his thrilling shriek burst from below; a cry of room. He was vindicated; nobly, gloriousmother mother, in tones of piercing age | ly! and the murmur that now ran through the apartment was not without cause

'To leave us? Have we treated you ili. God ferbid such a thought, my more than face of the little beggar-boy.

Steoping to place the food before her prodilated with a noble pride—'I wish to make

'Are you ashamed of mine, young man?' 'Ashamed, sir, Mr. Marion-what a ques-

Because sir, I intended to take you into bleeding, but he flinched not till help came, I shan't let you go, sir; no you are not going to leave us yet. I shall give up most Oh! you blessed little savage' muttered of my business to you, and a hope you want of my business to you, and a hope you want consent to bear with an old man, the burden the heat of the day.'

> young man in faltering tones, the blessing arms tightly folded ever his heaving chest turned away to hide his emotion and Beatrice at that mement came to the

hemeless child of poverty—the neble feeterson of affluence; the ragged, unlettered outcast—the ripened scholar. Around his brown nebility had wrenght her living crown. In his eye sparkled the fire of poesy. Tall, graceful, handseme, perfectly self-possessed, he atood in the splendid parlors of his home factor on the night of a brilliant hall. It was the eighteenth birth-night of Beatrice.

Leaning against the marble mantel, he take that blush. Take her, my son.— Leaning against the marble mantel, he take that blush. Take her, my sen.drank in the music of her glorious voice- His blessing be upon both my children." Esader, yender poor child treated per-charge, with indignity, and insult, may rise as far above you in genius and honors, as Etha towers ever the surrounding plains ing light of her diamonds—did he aspire to the thought that this gifted being was ready to bestow her heart for the asking?

Beatrice looks queenly to night, said stands to day inche halls where famous men have done their country bonor, and his name will be reverenced through all coming

> [M. A. D. A WORD ABOUT GARDENING.

How many of our readers have selected their seeds and made all the necessary preparation for gardening? The season is life years ago, but an act like that never yet rapidly approaching when garden seeds should be in the ground. Many require to be planted early, in this latitude, that the plants may be matured before they are exposed to early frost.

A first and an important consideration in the formation of a kitchen garden is The Situation-It is perhaps better. all things considered, that it should have a gentle inclination towards the south east; yet a northern aspect is, for some purposes, perhaps preferable. Some vegetables, such as culiflowers, peas, spinach, &c . yield more abundantly when not exposed to the direct action of the sun.

A moderate elevation is preferable to either hill or valley. Convenience of access should also be duly considered. But the most important matter, in selecting a location, is as to

Soil-This should be a rich sandy leam. A depth of two or three feet is desirable If this cannot be obtained, and a stiff clay C, giving some remarkable statements about the leam. A sandy soil is improved by the addition of lime, plaster, ashes and vegetable the same Rappers made to a well-known young manure; while a stiff clay soil demands such vegetable and animal manure as tends to the separation of its particles. Hence the necessity of litter, and other animal and vegetable matter. Lime and plaster also her seeing or hearing them. He asked operate favorably, and charcoal is estcemed by many as a very fine fertilizer. It has How old was he? And what was his prothe power of absorbing various gases from the atmosphere and readily yields them to growing plants. But remember that manure of some kind is essential to the garden; with it the gardener can do every thing,

without it nothing. Depth and Mellowness of the Soil-This of several feet Downing remarks :- "I five feet down in rich soil, and these plants bore a crop of fruit five times as large, and twice as handsome and good as the common product of a soil a foot deep.

A deep leam has other advantages. It not only permits the escape of water after a heavy rain, but by its capillary attraction moisture during a protracted drought. In fact the only soil suitable for the garden is

penses of cultivation turnips and radishes do not swell ;-onions | vals in beauty and expense Audubon Bird's decay; cauliflowers die off; and, in dry seasons become stinted or covered with in sects, even in rich, deep soils Copious waterings is the evenings, during the dry seasons, would produce that fullness and succulency which we find in the vegetables in the Low Countries, in the March Gardens at Paris, and in England at the beginning

and latter end of the season." Selection of Seeds - After you have gone to the expense and trouble of laying out and preparing your garden, be careful in the seless; they are either of an inferior variety. or have lost their vitality. This is exceedlar seedsman, may be able to supply you -

If not, you are liable to be deceived. Garden Tools-We need scarcely remind the reader that the gardener should be well provided with the implements of his art -Of these, the spade, the hoe and the rake are indispensible. Others will be found valuable assistants, and in their selection. much discrimination should be exercised -And see to it that they are kept in a conspicious position, and at the same time kept bright and clean. Remember the old standard maxin :- have a place for every thing. and every thing in us place." - Ohio Farmer.

NEWSPAPER READERS. If subscribers to journals, like church

members, in "stopping their paper," were before they could subscribe for another. there would be some curious developments Presty well, too, young man! I tell you I to allow him six columns for a personal vinam overrun with the calls of my prefession.

I shap't let you go six. -as, for example: "We certify that A B per because the editor did not publish the obituary notice of a relative, which was never sent to him, but which he ought to have detected in some of his exchange papers. We certify that E F. wishes to transfer his patronage to another paper. be-I shall always love the whole brotherhood of the orphan's God be on you. What might cause having taken this paper six years my lot have been but for you? and now you without paving a cent, he felt himself in the same were flowing freely at sight of the ban-offer me a competence, fame, everything—sulted by having a bill sent to him by way all I ask' he could say no more but with of reminder, postage unpaid. We certify that B B, in his own opinion, is a poet of the first water; but the editor, unfortunately differing from him in his opinion, is re-garded by him as wholly unqualified for his office. We certify that I J. has stopped door. In confusion she was turning back, office. We certify that I J. has stopped but her father said. some here, Essenice. his paper because the editor had the temer-And you young man, come here; I have ity to express an opinion on a certain mit watched you both this many a year. To no ter without having previously ascertained man, sir, could I catemat the happiness of the spinion of this particular subscriber."

# BINGULAR CIRCUMSTANCE:

Two or three weeks ago, a respectable married woman residing in the eastern and of this county gave birth to twin country. which addition increased the little response bilities of the household to nine. Seme ber 6 days after the event, the bushand, who occupied a bed in the same reem. was awakened by her, when she complained bitter y of her hard lot in having such a large home-hold to care for. The husband seethed her as well as he could, and then fell asheep. In about an hour he awoke, and found that his wife had left her bed. Immediate search was made in and around the house, but the woman was not to be found. The alarmed man fearing that, is her weak condition about period before she could go for members to aid in searching for her. The party scan discovered foot-prints in the snow, and they followed the track to a creek, where she had crossed and re crossed the atream thr e times, in water to the depth of three feet. From there they tracked her along the creek, through fields and woods, for a distance of nearly three miles, and at length found her sitting in a fence corner, with a piece of rope and a nail in her hand. When interrogated as to her intention for leaving her home, she declared it was her intention to commit suicide. It was then suggested that she was laboring under aberration of mind, which she undoubtedly was, but this she stoutly denied. The straige part of this occurrence is, that the woman, after walking barefooted, and with nothing on but thin cotton ight clothes, a distance of three or four miles, through snow, slush, and cold water, and that, too, only six days after giving birth to two children, is now as well as ever she was in her life This may appear strange, especially to medical men, nevertheless it is true.

## [Hollidaysburg (Pa.) Standard.

THE SPIRIT RAPPERS. We published, a few days since, (says the Richmond Dispatch.) some extracts from the editorial er grevel soil is selected, see to it that it is revelations to Col. Thompson by the Rappers in corrected by a judicious admixture of fine | Washington city. The Charleston Standard gives some account of a different sort of revelations by lawyer of South Carolina. The Standard says:

He was put in communication with one of her spirits. He wrote his questions and required the spirit to answer them without when he the interrogator was bern? -fession?

To the first it answered that he was bern in 1842-to the second, that he was 45 years old-and to the third, that he was a butcher by prefession. On his anneuncing these answers to the company, Mrs. Fox seemed astonished, and insisted that he had must be secured; it is the scoret of all successful gardening. The roots of garden delicate horns have been traced to the depth was not near 45 years old, and that, being a talented and successful young lawyer, he, as have seen the roots of strawberries extend | least, was no butcher, however justly some others, of his profession, may he so consid-

LIBERAL DONATION. The Boston Daily Advertiser states that gentleman, whose name is withheld, has donated to the Boston Athenceum a large absorbs and therefore furnishes a supply of number of books, unequalled in value by any previous gift of books to the library since its foundation. The works thus prea deep mellow loam. A cold clay soil, of a sented are all of a most costly and splendid few inches in depth, resting upon a clay sub- character, and include several which are not stratum, is not worth the trouble and ex- to be found in any other public library in America. Among them it a complete set Water-In the selection of a site for a in 29 folio volumes of the works of Piranegarden, it is well to have reference to water. | si, a very fine copy of Champollion's great As abundant supply of water is absolutely work on Egyptian Antiquities, under the necessary. Leuden remarks, that: - "Many auspices of the French government in four kitchen crops are lost or produced of very | folio volumes, Perring's spleudid volumes on inferier quality for want of watering Let the Pyramids of Gizeh, and a copy of tuce and cabbage are often hard and stringy Gould's Birds of Europe, a work which ri-

## VEGETABLES FOR THE LONDON

The London correspondent of the National Intelligen-

cer, in his last letter, says : The extent of the gardens round London. required to supply the two millions and a quarter of eaters, there will hardly be credned. Within a radius of fifteen miles of London there are two hundred thousand acres of land in the hands of market gardenlection of the choicest seeds Many of the era, all laboring for the Louden market seeds annually offered for sale are worth- Ten thousand leads of turnips. 100,000 sacks of peas, 20,000.000 beads of celery, 40.000,000 cabbages, and 1000 tons of water ingly vexations to the gardener, and we cresses are said to be sold annually in Covknew of ne way of avoiding it but by know- ent Garden market alone, to say nothing of ing from whom you procure your seeds - | the potatoes, carrots, beets, chions, herbs of Possi ly an enterprising neighber, or regu- all kinds, &c, which are sold in immense

TRUMP CARDS.-We take the following rom the Wilmington (N. C.) Commercal. It is the most sensible thing we have seen for a long time. The Fleurings would do well to keep a sharp look out for spurious

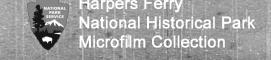
A Model Hotel .- The following Card, issued by the proprietors of the American Hotel at Columbia, S. C , is well worthy of the attention of the Editoria Corps. Others, too, cannot fail to receive good entertainment from such sensible people: When you visit Columbia, stop with us as our guest, not as eur box ders; register your name as an Editor, as we make no charge against that useful class of fellowcitizens. This rule is not adopted as payequired to produce an editorial certificate ment for our advertisements, but as one of the standing rules of the house. Yours res-SARLIT FLEMING. pectfully,

J. T FLEWING Married, at Podunk, on the 23d ultime. by the Rev. D Willis, Mr. H. Hoe with Miss Ann Handle all of that city. How useless a Handle without any Hos,
And useless a Hoe without Handle No better a winter without any stow, Or a candlestick minus a candic:

But here, joined in one, the Handle and Hos,
With life's rugged journey an ooth over;
And each prove a helper in this world below.
'Till death shall hoe both to another.
[Ceveland Herald:

fry The Wheeling Intelligencer says: The Broad Tree Tunnel, on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, will be completed in about ten days, thus removing a serious impediment to quick transportation now

The long bridge over the Peternae Washington is in course of repair, and the passable in about sixty days. and Medesty is a store of int flects of



## Oirginia Free Press. BY H. N. GALLAHER & CO. THURSDAY MORNING.

MARCH 31, 1863. To the Voters of the Third District in Targinis for electing a Commissioner of the Board of Public Works.

WASHINGTON, FREEDARY, 17, 1652, GRETIEMEN: Since declining again to ran for Conpool, I have mexpectedly received solicitations, from
the parts of the third district, to become a candidate
for the Board of Public Works. If you think I can be
at service to you in this new position, you are at liberty
to command whatever of shifting I may possess to promote
in that connexion the best interests of my native State.

Most respectfully.

Most respectfully, your obedient servant, JAS. M. H. BEALE. BENATORIAL EXTRAVAGANCE

The Senate of the United States roted, at the clese of its regular session, the sum of £950 extra to ito clerks, pages, messengers, &c., and at the ex. | de un session a similar sum was voted to other ?m. ployees. Altogether not lete then 250 000 have been expended in those Ellras. And the House of Representatives voted probably twice this sum, dusing their convivial moments at the close of the

A poor old soldier, or the widow of an old soldier, may knock at the door of Congress for years, and be compelled to go to the poor-house before obcaining a paltry pension of twenty dollars a year!-The following paragraph, cut from the Wabash Express, with the comment of the editor, gives a try is now amply able to redeem its pledges. just view of the shameful neglect of Congress. Too Ban -There is in one of the county poor houses of Alabama, an old man of over 90 years. who was ferryman for Washington and his army when he crossed the Delaware, just prior to achieving the great victories of Trenton and Princeton A sac trutic. Better provision should be made for the old veteran and his wife, who shares his hum-

There is a revolutionary soldier in Vigo, who is placed on the U. S. pension list, at the rate of twenty dollors a year, in lard cash! Uncle Sam is bound to break, if he encourage any such extravagance !!!

#### [Express. SCHOOL COMMI SIONERS.

We ask the attention of those who may feel an interest in the matter to the following statement .-An election was directed by the Board of School Commissioners of the County to be held in the different districts for the year beginning on the first day of April. The election was directed to be held on the 19th of March-and the reports to the Board, of the results in the different districts, show the state

There are 27 districts, -and in the districts where wlections were held there were taken about 537 votes. In two other districts new elections were ordered. The highest number of votes taken in any district war 78-several districts polled-4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 15, 18, 20, 20, 29.

The number of those entitled to vote for the office is estimated from 1800 to 2000, yet but little least \$13,000 000. over 500 votes are cast at one of the most important elections for which the people of Jefferson are interested. A tax of about \$8000 is annually levied If the tar-payer, and those sending children to school, do not exhibit more interest in the manage. ment of the system, we think it high time the clamor, which is sometimes raised, should rease.

## THE STATE DEBT.

Bom stock-jobbers at the North have undertaken to depress the value of State Stock by misrepresenting the tedness of the Old Commonwealth. A most important item of the resources of the State has been omitted, but the correction has followed too quickly upon the heel of the story, to allow the perversion to have my effect.

The debt of the State has, it is true, been considerably erhanced, but the prospects never were brighter .-Every portion is deeply interested in the improvements EX-MEMBERS OF CONCRESS.

These gentlemen seem to be appropriating many of the best offices to themselves. Gen. Peaslee of New Hampshire has been appointed Collector at Beston: Thomas J. Henley, former member from Indiana, Postmaster at San Francisco; Loren P. Waldo, former member from Connecticut, Commissioner of Pensions; Richard S. Moloney, late member from Illinois, Regions of the Land Office at Danville.

Besides these, several members of the late and former capeat foreign missions. Indeed, so many of them see in the field that other aspirants are beginning to Teel a little savage in regard to it.

## TRUE LOVE.

A nerely-married couple-we take it for granted they were such, for their conduct differed from the class of older united beings-passed up in the cars a few days ago. Their tenderness to each other attracted the notice, well as amusement of the passengers. They seemed vote avil be almost unanimous, and that private subto feel that they were in a land of celestial harmony, scriptions to the amount of \$50,000 will also be made. to work each other's joy and true content. Whilst she was reclining upon his throbbing bosom, he was sipping the arematic nectar from her ruby lips. . . . When we left the cars, we discovered the happy ones in the oblivious world of sleep, he doubtless fancying to himself that-

"I I may trust the flattering eye of sleep,

Ny dreams pressage some joyful news at band." And she exclaiming-

MONK'S MAP OF NORTH AMERICA.

## "Ah me ' how sweet is love itself possess'd, "V'hen but love's shadows are so rich in joy!"

"Mr. Howett Pixixy, a duly authorized Agent for the sale of these valuable Maps, is now in town, to reseive subscriptions. The advantages of this map over others is that it embraces a larger scope of territorythere being no detached portions. It shows at a glance the whole country from the waters of the Atlantic to the Pacific Ocean -exhibiting all of the United States and Territories-Mexico aul Central America complete embracing the West India Islands, the Canadas, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, &c, with all the subdivisions in color. We have not time at present to note the superior advantages of this map over all others, but refer the realer to the Agent, who will make every secessary explanation. He is the only authorized a rent for this and adjoining counties, and as the work can only be obtained by subscription, we advise our friends to aspail themselves of the present opportunity of sub-eri-

## A CRUMB OF COMPORT.

f intelligence to Democratic aspirants-

"He sar," the Washington correspondent of the Winhester Virginian, gives the following encouraging i'em

"The number of applicants for the Western Marsaalship has deferred the removal of the present whig inship has deferred the removal of the present whig inthe landing democrats from the State have recommended
their respective friends for this position. Judge Samsals, Mr. Wise, Mr. Barbour and others, in carnest
language, recommend the removal of the whig, and the
appaintment of a democrat. These expressions afford a
schoering e ridence of faithfulness to party friends." ABYOLUTIONARY REMINISCENCES.

"The number of applicants for the Western Marshal-

#### It is retreshing to all minds to recur to the stirring scenes of the Revolution. The closing one at Yorktown is of peculiar interest to Virginians-

and we mean to remind our wasteful Congressmen of a daty apperformed in regard to it. " THE MORNING MAIL!"

Cliver P. Baldwin and Charles A. Rose, Esqs., have

perchased the Richmond Republican establishment, and design issuing a daily with the above caption. Mr. B. is well known throughout Virginia as one of the spiciest riters of the day. Mr. Rose is from Stafford, and will prove a valuable assistant, being a gentleman of educa-IN SEASON. Capt. Grason has car than is for the lot of Er.

Shad and Mesting sent us. Although the Captain monetly deals with the fanytride, there is nothing in his conduct. He never forgets the craft era growning act of his life. Why, the of that he is going th send on, will assent he de-Short is All made in the Wanning director about 

THE CAPTURE OF CORNWALLIE PROCEEDINGS OF THE CONTINENTAL WEDS CAPAR. OCTOBER 21, 1751:

A letter of the 19th from General Washington,
was read, giving inf. rmation of the reduction of
the British army under the command of Earl Cornwallis on the 19th instant, with a copy of the articles of capitulation where non.

cles of capitalation; whereupon, On motion of Mr Randolph-

Resolved, That Congress will at two o'clock this day go in procession to the Dutch Lutheron Church, and return thanks to Almighty God, for crowning the allied arms of the United States and France, with success by the surrender of the whole British army under the command of the Eari Cornwallis, Ordered, That the letter, with the pape's enclosed, be referred to the committee of intelligence.

Resolve 1, That the letter of General Washington, of the 19th, enclosing the correspondence between him and the Earl Cornwallis concerning the surrender of the garrisons of York and Gloucester, and the articles of enpitulation, he ref-ried to a committee of four: The members, Messrs, Rundolph, Boudinct, Var-

Resolved, That it be an instruction of the said ommittee to report what in their opinion, will be of the United States in Congress assamble to Gre. 1 Washington Count le Rochambeau, and Count asse, for their effectual exertions in accomprishing this illustrious work; and of paying respect to the merit of Lieutenant Colonel Tilghman, aid de camp of General Washington, and the bear er of his dispatches announcing this happy event Ordered, That the Secretary of Poreign Affairs communicate this intelligence to the honorable the

Minister Plenipotentiary of France In a few days thereafter, it was resolved to erect a suitable Monument, at Yorktowa, commemora tive of the event, but not a single step has since been taken. Why have the representatives of that district been so torpid on the subject ? The coun-HEALTH OF VICE-PRESIDENT KING

A correspondent of the New York Tribune has bee informed by a gentleman, who, a couple of weeks ago, speut a day with Mr. King, near Matauzas, that he deplorably emaciated and cutertains no hope of recovering his health. He visits the sugar house on the estate daily, where the boiling operations are going on. His friends think the steam from the sugar kettle proves serviceable, but he is skeptical. He has a borror of dying in a foreign land, and expects to leave in the U S steamship Fulton, about the 1st of April, for Mobile .-His nieces, Mrs. Ellis and Miss King, and nephew, Mr Beek, are with him. The proprietor of the estate is Frenchman by birth, and is a most kind, hospitable, and refined old gentleman. The Vice-President bas no ap-

petite and lives upon butter-milk. STATE BEET OF VIRGINIA

The Richmond Enquirer contends that the repo of the finance committee of the Virginia House of Delegates showing the State debt to be \$32 758 177 and resources only \$4 313,511, is erronceas, and adds: Without entering into the details of the subject, it must suffice to say, at present, that upon the principles and roles by which merchants and practical men of business state their accounts of assets and debits, the State debt is short of \$17,exclusive of immense interests which she owns valuable to herself and to the public, but not suiceptible of assessment at pecuniary price-is at the

#### DUNKAM & KEARFOTT.

Whilst in Baltimore, recently, we availed ourselves of visiting the extensive wholesale establish ment of these gentlemen. We found their building to be over 100 feet in length, and four stories high -and crammed from basement to attic with a rich | the State of Virginia: assortment of Dry Goods of every description -These gentlemen were originally from the Valley of Virginia, and have all the characteristics of the Virginia g-ntlemen. We bespeak for their a call | Manassa's Gap from merchants and others visiting Baltimore.

## SALES OF LAND.

On last Monday week, Hon. C. J. Faulkner, sold his "Swan Pond" Farm, for \$50 per acre. Purchaser, A.

P. Vanmetre, Esq. James Mason recently sold 257 acres of the farm reconstruction of the late Capt. Jas. Mason, or \$50 Pertsmouth (Va.) bank robber, and some half dozen other robbers, arrived in the city on Friday evening, and on officer Mirkle attempting to arrest him he delib erate fired a pistol at him, inflicting a severe wound on the hand. Two other officers, however, immediately secured him, although he endeavored to shoot each o them. In default of \$50,000 bail, to answer for assault with intent to kill, he was committed.

On Saturday morning, a well-known merchant Winchester Virginia, named Peter Miller, died sud-denly in the rear part of the store of J. Oliver Boyd & Co., Market street. Mr. M. had been making a purchase of some goods, when he walked back into the yard. His long absence induced some one in the store to look for him, when he was found dead, having expired from applexy.

MANASSAS GAP RAILROAD -The Virginia House Delegates, on Friday, passed a bill authorizing the Council of Alexandria, to subscribe in their corporate capacity to the stock of the Manassas Gap Railroad. A large meeting was held at Harrisonburg, Va., last Monday, in favor of taking the vote of the people on the propriety of Rockingham subscribing \$150,000 to extend the road to Harrisonburg. The Register says, the It is said that Sheuaudosh county will also subscribe

Loudour county, Virginia, is not only rich in her agricultural productions, but her mineral re sources are now about to be developed. We were shown yesterday, the finest specimens of copper ore we ever saw, taken from the mine now being explored by a New York company, on the lands of Mrs. Newton, about three miles from Leesburg -Those convenient with copper mining say that every indication presents fiself that the vein now being work d is extremely rich and extensive.-The specimens, certainly, cannot be surpassed .-This adds another item to the we lik of Loudoun

Alexandria Gazette The following appointments of Cadets to the Military Academy-to take effect on the first-fav of June next-have been made: Maryland -- R H Brewer, 1st district; Wm. H. McGill, 21; T. D. Coekey, 3d; Wm. J. Evans, 5th. Virginia— T. G. Baylor, Ist-dist.; R. K. M. ade, Jr., 2d; E Cortin, 7th; R. Murchy, 10th; Wm S. Pairan, 11th; Wm P. Smith, 12th North Carolina-S. Williams, 5th district; J. T. Wieslow, 7th; L P. Warren 9th Pennsylvania-W Bedford, 3d district; Wm. H Bell. 7th; C. B. Tyler, 13th; Jas. Searight, 13th. John F. Magruder, of Va., has

been appointed a cadet at large. The long mooted question whether stealing an umbrella is larceny, is about to be tested in the Court of General Sessions, in New York, the grand jury having found a bill of indictment against Henry Bell, charging him with having taken away, with felonious intent, a cotton umbrella. valued at 87 c., the property of Win. Wood, against the "peace and dignity" of the State of New York The final decision in this case will no doubt be looked for with interest by every owner of a "cot-

ton umbrelia." THINGS IN PHILADELPHIA .- Spring, the condemned murderer, is said to be now therfectly prostrated, and can with difficulty partake of enough food to sustain life. He still insists in his innocence, and alleges that his son knows where the stolen gold is. It is also said that the on has stated within a day or two that his father sometime since went to the store of Mr. Moroney, for the

uments of human enterprise and perseverpurpose of killing Mrs. M. ance in existence. It passes through scene-IT The Siamese Twins, now residing in the ry of the boldest character. For a distance State of North Carolina, where they are living in married life, the wife of one having had six child- of 70 miles it traverses round and through ter ave, in all eleven. the Boston A las states, have at nounced their intention of making a tour of the principal cities of the Un ted States and Europe for exhibition, and will make tunnels are cut through solid rock, along their first appearance in B ston come time in April. the sides of which are occasional fires light The National Intelligencer states that the ed to show the adventurous engineer that Secretaries of State, of War, and the Postmaster General either have already made, or certainly inthe track is clear. At every turn in the tend making their residence in Georgetown. The Hon. R. Toombs has leased the large and beautiroad, almost, the little shanty is seen and the "rich Irish brogue" assures you who did ful mansion and grounds on the heights, the residence of the late Col. Carter. For heal hiness and all the hard work. As I have before said, the Baltimore & Ohio railroad is one of the cituresque beauty, the heights of Georgetown most supendous works in the world; and have few equals any where, and superior no where Augusta county, Va., was on Wednesday last, unanimously elected Professor of Church History and Polity, in the Union Theological Seminary, to fill the chair vated by the death of the Rev. Samuel L. Graham, D. D. Mr. Dabney is the second Professor of this institution who is an Aluxaus of the University of Virginia. its accomplishment is a monument of which Baltimoreus may be proud. That it will pay is beyond all question. TELEGRAPHIC PRANKS.

(ry-Flemming B. Miller, Eng., has been appointed by the President, by and with the solvice and consent of the Senate, Attorney of the United States for the Western District of Virginia, in place of B. H. Sa th, and western District of Virginia, in place of B. H. Sa th, and western District of Virginia, in place of B. H. Sa th, and western District of Virginia, in place of B. H. Sa th, and western District of Virginia, in place of B. H. Sa th, and western District of Virginia, in place of B. H. Sa th, and western District of Virginia, and Wester

Marror, VA.—The Great Jury ments have stirred a page of econociders, who have for some time is facilities. The first page of econociders, who have for some time is facilities. The first page of the page of the facilities were found against and written or fifteen, and warmen placed in the hands the first page of the facilities. In the course of a story walk on yesterday, in concreted some first on the course of a story walk on yesterday, it concreted some first on the regions of erection.—Mertinglery Gatelle.

#### BAILBOAD ACCIDENT.

THE GERRYMANDER.

good conscience, to the invading forces of a For-

eign enemy. The people of France are now a re-

proach and a by-word to the nations for their tame

and silent submission to the deprivation of all their

liberties. We should deserve the same scorn, if we

submitted in like silence to the same servitude .-

The brightest aspect in which Mr. Calhoun's po-

litical career can be viewed is in the eternal testi-

mony which it bears against the remorseless tyran-

ry of mere majorities. It was the fond hope of the

tounders of our institutions, that equal privileges

were secured to every citizen of the Republic .-

That no portion of our people should be proscribed

or oppressed for entertaining any political or reli-

gious opinion. Toat minorities has rights as well

of our liberties against the encroach ment of despo-

tism, whether in the guise of one man or of many.

This proceeding on the part of the majority of the

Virginia Legislature, is abhorrent to the fundamen-

tal principles of Republicanism -is repuggant to

every sentiment of justice, and is moreover in di-

rect violation of the State Constitution, which every

member of this majority has taken an oath to sup-

In thus solemnly protesting against this scheme

of oppression and iniquity, it occurs to us appropri-

ate, and accords with our sense of justice, to repair

a wrong, which, in some strictures on the subject

last week, we did to Mr. Barbour of Culpepper .-

We represented that gentleman as having opposed

in the House a bill, which, as Chairman of the

Committee, he had reported. This was all true-

but by the omission of a fact, at the time unknown

to us, to wit, that he had stated his opposition to the

bill, and declared that he merely acted as the organ

of the Committee in reporting it, we did him injus-

RAILROADS IN VIRGINIA.

The Richmond Times has carefully prepared the fol-

lowing statement, showing the number of miles of rail-

way now completed or authorized by law to be built in

York Senator lately boasted on the floor of Congress,

that our roads, if drawn out in a straight line, would

some good things for which we are ready to give

them all due credit. They have neglected-rather

refused to do very important things though, for

they have done, as the enormous length of time

they took to do it in, that we now allude to. In

business of importance has been transacted, and

otent in the present Legislature of Virginia. Sup-

pose a Whig Legislature had spent the same

form. Now, however, with a few exceptions, those

work in. We have some curiosity to know what

In Boston they have a fire-alarm telegroth

which, when connected, sets all the fire-bells ring-

ing at one time. A day or two ago the wires of

the Morse Telegraph from New York gis in con-

tact with the Pire Telegraph in Boston, and in-

stantly King's Chapel bells began striking are at

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Intelligence reached us resternay morning (says The bill for Districting the State is still pending in the Senate. We understand, the Committee to the Baltimore American of Tuesday,) of the occurwhom the bill from the House was referred, has re- | rence of an accident to a train on the Baltimore ported it to the Senate with one or two modifice- and Onlo Railroad, accompanied with the melantions :- One taking Charles City from the Norfolk | choly result of the death of eight passengers, and and adding it to the Accomac District-and another, injury more or less serious to a number of others. putting Campbell to the Albemarle, and adding It will be seen by the subjoined despatches that the Buckingham and Fluranna to the Charlotte Dis- accident occurred on Sunday afternoon, to the train | bills were returned from the Senate, with amendwaich left Wheeling on the morning of that day. These changes do not materially vary the ini- | The names of the persons killed, as mentioned in quity of the measure. It is still a shameless Ger- our second despatch, are-Daniel Holt, of Baltirymander-a monstrous pro-cription of nearly one | more ; Aurelius Saitie, of S. Carolina; Lewis half of the people of the State for their political Deline, from California; Richard Clayton, of opinions-net because they are not friends of free- Wellsville, Va ; a young lady and middle-aged dom and staunch advocates of Republican institut gentleman supposed to be from Kentucky; tions, but because they do not believe that the va- Small, step-son of a supervisor of the railroad; tion; and ried and conflicting doctripes of the Locofoc) party and a child of Mr. Glese, of St. Louis. Mr. Holt are conducive to the best interests of their country. has long been known as one of the most enter-This is their sin. For this, they are placed by the prising of our citizens, having been very extenmajority without the pale of citizenship - detiled the sively and successfully engaged in the prosecution right of a single Representative in the Congress of of the oyster trade with the West. We believe the Confederacy ;-and, we supposed at one time, that we are quite correct in saying that this is not they were not of ly to be stripped of their rights, only the first occurrence of the kind which has rebut were to be denied the poor privilege of mount | sulted fatally, but also the first from which any se-

that we should do, and with equal alacrity and a years. DISTRESSING BAILROAD ACCIDENT. CUMBERLAND. March 28 .- The intelligen reached the city this morning of a sad and fatal acreached the city this morning of a sad and latal accident which befel the passenger train from Wheeling yesterday about 3 P.M., are point on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, 76 miles west of Cumberlaud, caused by the running off of a part of the train at a curve on a high embankment, and the precipitation down the slope of the two hindmost cars of the train, containing a majority of the passengers, about 50 in number. By this catastrophe, the passel Holt of the firm of Holt & Malthy Mr. Daniel Holt, of the firm of Holt & Maltby, one of the most esteemed and enterprising citizen of Baltimore, and four other persons were instantkilled, and several others injured-two or more atally and others seriously. The passengers lead, or probably so, are Mr. Holt, Mr. Lane, Mr. Sallie, Mr. Gist and child, and a young lady not amed-all but Mr. Hoit apparently strangers .as majorities, sacredly guaranteed by the charter A Mr. Turner and family, of Steubenville, Ohio, lightly but not seriously injured, are the only per-

ons named as injured. After the best care having been taken of the dead nd injured, the train came into Cumberland, and a car was despatched to the scene of distress, with physician and necessary comforts, by which all ill be brought into Cumberland early this eveng, when we shall have tuller details.

The accident seems, as far as can now be ascerof train (though not going at high speed) at a strong arve, and the dislocation, first of the front wheels the second engine from the rails, when the rails ecame deranged, and the cars were thrown down he embankment as previously stated. There were two engines attached to the train, in sequence of the heavy grade, but the former en-

ine did not get off the track. So far as we are inrmed, we can see no reason to believe that this ecident, deplorable as it is, might not have hapcan be considered as peculiar to any one of them. SECOND DISPATCH - FURTHER PARTICULARS. CUMBERLAND, March 28, A. M .- The following re the particulars of the distressing accident which

tice. A simple statement of the facts repairs the terday afternoon. The train consisted of a bagwrong and acquits him of all censure, save that gage car and three passenger cars, and was in which he must share with all the members of his on the Road, to whom no blame can possibly be at- to the steck of the Manassas Gap Railroad. party, who co-operate in perpetrating an injustice tached. The cars were drawn by one large and upon the Whig portion of the people of the Com- one small engine. When passing the 80 foot filling on the Rockingham Turnpike; and on Section 76, and descending a curved grade of nails binding the rails to the chesnut cross-ties .-All the cars got over safely except the two last pasnger cars, which by the parting of the track, were own down the river side, talling a distance of ver 100 feet, and making four somersets in their tearful descent. The heavy trucks of the cars caused the loss of life by crushing the passengers. Ot some forty persons in the two cars, the follow-

ing were killed: Daniel Halt, of the firm of Holt & Malthy, Baltimore; Aurelius Sallie, supposed to be from South Carolina; Louis Deline, a French emigrant, returning home from California; Richard Clayton, of Wellsville, Va; a young lady and middle aged gentleman, supposed to be from Ken-tucky; -- Small, step son of Robert Murray, a Supervisor of the Railroad, and a child of Mr Giese. of St. Louis Mr. Giese and lady were both severely injured, and with three other of the children,

The names of the wounded and further particuvening. This is the first instance in which a passenger was ever killed on the Road since its construction, and great efforts will be made by the Company to prevent the recurrence of a similar

THIRD DISPATCH COMBERLAND, March 24th, 7 P. M .- The express train arrived about 6 o'cluck, bringing the dead and The Commonwealth is deeply interested in nearly all wounded of the late disaster. The following list of of these works, and has dealt out pecuniary aid to them the wounded is furnished by Dr. Thos. A. Healy, with a liberal hand. There cannot be a rational doubt who, at the request of the trailroad Company, (says the Times) that every mile of railroad now aupromptly repaired to the scene of the accident this norning :- S. F. Clide, severely injured in the thorized to be constructed will be completed within the back; Adam Zoll, of Rockingham County, Va., next five or six years. We shall then have a system of ightly injured; George Calvert, of Upperville internal improvement of which any State in the Union uquier Co., Va., not very seriously: Abner might well be proud. We may then boast, as a New rence, of Salem, Fauquier Co., Va., slightly H. A. Turner, with his wife and four children, of Baltimore, bruised and burnt by the falling of the stove upon them-they will get well; G. A. Tav- of which the House adjourned to Monday. erner, of Alexandria, Va., injured in the back, will Our Democratic Legislators have done probably recover; Robert Morris, brakesman. slightly injured; Gardiner, of Baltimore, a brakes. man, severely injured; C. Sanders, of Shelby Co., Kentucky, severely burnt and cut; Dr. Cadwallader, a merchant, probably of Louisville, had his which they deserve censure, and this we intend to thigh broken in three places, and is injured in the keep before the people. It is not so much what breast. He is very dangerously hurt. All of the above, with the exception of Gardner and Cadwallader, havs been brought to Cumberland, where ev-

ery attention is being paid them by our physicians about three weeks of their session the principal and citizens. The bodies of the dead, whose names have already been forwarded, were also brought down

yet they convened about eighteen months ago .and will be deposited in the vault here for remova Whose fault is this? Democracy must shoulder by their friends. the responsibility, for Democracy has been omnip-CUMBERLAND, March 28th -The gentleman and lady mentioned in the first despatch were Dr Cadwallader, mentioned in the second despatch, and length of time in doing nothing more than this Miss Isaacs, of Indiana, on her way to Philadel-Legislature has done, what a theme it would furnhia to visit her friends. She waskilled instantly nish for the Democratic Press and Democratic or-Dr. Cadwallader may possibly recover. [Captain Rawlins, the conductor of the train, arators to dilate upon and cry retrenchment and resengers who went dawn the embankment. Captain self-constituted guardians of the interests of the Rawlins has his hand rather badly cut, and is othpeople are as dumb as statues, because their own erwise bruised, but no bones injured. The passengers who came through were all more or less party are responsible for such tardy legislation and bruised or scratched, but all seemed in excellent waste of time at a cost of four dollars per day for spirits, notwithstanding the mishap. Mrs. Ogle, of each member. When the missionaries of Democ-Philadelphia, states that she was lying on the sofa racy turn out on their electioneering peregrinations, in the ladies' saloon, at the time of the overturn, and the sofa being fortunately fastened to the car. this spring, we hope the sovereigners will not forshe managed, with the aid of the sofa pillow, to get to catechise them about the length of time a preserve herself from any harm, although she fol-Democratic Legislature took to perform so little lowed the car in its four evolutions down the embankment, alternately on the ceiling, side and floor. [We are indebted for the above detai's to the cindness of Mr. Archibald Carev, editor of the Cum-

#### BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD. berland Civilian and Miners' Journal ] ANMEXATION OF THE PAN-HANDLE. A correspondent of the New York Times, writing

We clip the following curious item of news

I came by a route just opened—the Balfrom the Philadelphia North American of Tuestimore and Ohio Railroad; and I can most day. We trust that our Pennsylvania friends have cordially recommend it to travelers who no billigerant intentions, and that the annexation wish to see one of the most stupendous monthey talk of will be attempted by purchase and not ANNEXATION .- According to the Pittsburg Dispatch, a public meeting has been called at Wellsburg, to be held this evening for the purpose of of 70 miles it traverses round and through discussing the feasibility of annexing "the pana succession of mountain ranges, with but handle" portion of Virginia to the State of Pennsmall intervening valleys. Long, dark, damp sylvania. This is, no doubt, caused by the popular of the right of way to the Stepbenville Railroad. We, the undersigned, take pleasure in stating that the difficulty between Mr. James Barbour and Mr. Alexander Mosely, growing out of an editorial, published in the Richmond Whig newspaper, of the 10th of March, under the head of The Congressional Districts," has been satisfac-

torily and honorably adjusted on terms proposed by us, as f. iends of the parties, and adopted by them.

J. Y. MASON. JA F. STROTHER, O. M. CRUTCHFIELD, JOHN M. SPEED. BATTMORE, March 16, 1853.

A Caucus of Locofeco members of the Legure has issued a call for District Convention o nominate candidates for the Board of Public Works: At Lynchburg on 32d April, at Staunton on 22d April, and at Winchester on the 28th April These Districts ran from the Atlantie to the Ohio-and we wonder how many people from di-tant parts of the Districts will attend a Goaven tion! But that will not matter much. Enough will assemble to nominate a Democrat—and whether fit or not for the duties of the office—being a will assemble to nominate a Democrat—and whethmere all drawn out before the cause was discoverext. Ringing Boston bells in New York city is
rather a long beli-rope to pull, but is a very striking
illustration of magnetism annihilating space.

[Laiger. To not for the duties of the office—being a
Democrat, it will be expected that the party shall
worte for him.—Richard Waig.

Judge Ruffin, late Chief Justice of the State of North Carolina, has accepted the appointment of Justice of the Peace in Alamante county, in that State, and is now sugged in the discharge of the duties of Chairman of the County Court there.

## VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE.

In the Sunars, on Wednesday, the bill a propriwas passed.

The bill providing for the payment of the interest on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal guarantied The bill increasing the capital of the Exchange Bank of Alexandria, was passed. In the Liouse of Delegates, the following House

ments, to which the House agreed:

Conferring the privilege on Ohio railroads of erecting a bridge across a part of the Ohio river, at Wheeling, erecting depots on Zane's Island, &c; Authorising a branch Bank in the town of Harisonburg, Establishing the "Central Savings Bank" at Incorporating the Martinsburg Savings Institu-

Amending an act districting the counties, authorising the County Courts to re-arrange said The following bills, not having obtained constiutional majorities, were rejected

A bill (a substitute of the Senate,) increasing the capital stock of the Richmond and Petersburg Railroad Company; and A bill authorising a State subscription of \$300,-000, in three yearly instalments, to the Morganing against the tyranny. To any such assumption, rious bodily injury has befallen a passenger on this 1 town and Independence Railroad Company for the we were prepared to oppose the same resistance roza, now in operation for some twenty or more purpose of constructing a road to connect with the Pennsylvania and Baltimore and Ohio Railroads in Northwestern Virginia.

The House adjourned, In the House of Delegates, on Thursday, a bill authorising the Moorfield and North Branch Turnpike Company to increase their capital stock, for the purpose of constructing a branch of their road from Martin Wise's to Mallow's Mill, was taken up on its passage, and rejected for want of a constitutional majority-ayes 70, noes 28. On motion of Mr. Stevens, a bill increasing the

capital stock of the Warm Spring and Harrisonburg Turnpike Company, was taken up and passed -aves 87, noes 23, The following bills were also passed to-day : A Senate bill to complete the payment of inter-

est on the guaranteed bonds of the Chesapeaire and Ohio Canal Company, tor July, 1852, and January A Senate bill amending the first section of chapter 15 of the Code, fixing the time and place of the

meeting of the General Assembly, and making other provisions in regard thereto.

A Senate bill, amended by the House, with ameadments thereto by the Senate, creating Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and providing for the payment of the semi-annual interest on, and the redemption of, the Public Debt, was taken up as the order of the day; and after a long discussion thereon, in which Messrs Goode of M., Rives, and Jackson of Wood, were the principal speakers, ained, to have been caused by a sudden cheeking the amendments of the Senate were rejected--ayes 65, noes 48-the hill requiring a constitutional majority for its passage. Upon motion, the vote of rejection was reconsidered, and the bill again laid on the table and made the order of the day for Fri-

The House adjourned. In the House of Delegates, on Friday, a message was received from the Senate through Mr. Baldwin, informing the House of the passage of a bill authorising a loan by the State to the James River ned on any of our great in untain routes, or that | and Kanawha Company, to complete the tide-wa-

The following hills were passed: A bill to pay to the wife of George R. C Price the amount due him as a member of the present occurred on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad yes- | House of Delegates from the county of Hardy, (Mr. P. being a lunatic in the Staunton hospital.) A bill authorising the council of the City of Alcharge of the most cautious and skillful conductor | exaudria to subscribe, in their corporate capacity, A Senate bill providing for the collection of tolls A bill Incorporating the Moorfield Hotel Com-An order of the day, a bill providing for Com-

missioners of the Sinking Fund, &c., was taken up, and made the order of the day for Saturday. A bill imposing taxes for the support of government. was under consideration and discussion for two hours; and before any final action thereon, The House adjourned.

The following bills were passed in the House of Delegates on Saturday: A bill incornorating the Hampshire Confields and Manassas Gap Railroad, with the privilege of having a capital stock of \$3,000,000, by private subscription, to construct a railroad from some point in Warren county, by way of Winchester, to point on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, not farther West than the mouth of Savage river A Senate bill creating Commissioner of the Sinkng Fund, and providing for the payment of interest on, and the redetaption of, the public debt-ayes

90. noes 26: Navigation company, and providing that the State subscribe \$100 000 of said increase. A bill increasing the capital stock of the Hedges ville and Petomac Turnpike Company, on the joint stock principle-called up by Mr. McClure and by him explained-a ves 82, noes 32. The following bills were rejected-not having

received a constitutional majority: A bill increasing the capital stock of the Danville Railroad Company, by an addi ion of \$350,000, to make a branch road from Halifax county, to some point in Pittsylvania county-aves 52, noes 47; A bill incorporating the Rapid Ann Navigation Company, with a capital stock of \$75,000-ages 71. noes 34. Both of the above bells were again laid on the

Mr. Mariz offered a resolution prohibiting members from drawing pay for services not rendered in the House of Delegates; pending the consideration In the House of Delegates, on Monday, there was but little business of a final character transacted in the House of Delegates. Generally there was no quorum present; a circumstance which several times caused a suspension of the proceedings. The House spent some time in considering a bill in relation to the duties and privileges of Members of the House of Delegates, and then ordered the bill to be engrossed for a third reading. T ere were only two or three small bills passed - one a Senate bill, annexing a portion of the county of Monroe to the county of Craig.

## MEETING AT SNICKERSVILLE.

A railroad meeting was held on Monday of last week, at this little town. John A. Carter, Esq., addressed the meeting, and near fifteen thousand dollars were subscribed to the branch to Manassas. But the people in that neighborhood are a good deal excited by the project of the air-line road rived in Baltimore last evening with ten of the pas- from the coal-fields to Alexandria. Snickersville is not only on that line, but near the gap where the Blue Ridge could, it is thought, be easily passed by a short tunnel. It is supposed by many that a railroad in this direction by Berryville and Winchester te Paddytown, could be constructed under one hundred and twenty miles in length.

painful and severe accident happened to a son of W. R. Mason, of King George county, on Wednesday last. It appears that the little, only 12 years of age, had jumped up behind a vehicle a servant was driving from the stable, when his leg became entangled in one of the wheels, which made one or two revolutions before he was discovered. The bones up to and above the knee were broken and protruded through the skin in a most shocking and mangled condition. Amputation was resorted to, which the youth is said to have borne with heroic rescintion, and at last accounts it was thought be would survive the accident. The deepest sympathies of the friends of the family, who are numerous, have been excited by sad sflair. Fred. Her.

for townsman, Mr. Alexander Shaner, on Monday last, while amusing himself by fishing with hook and line, in the Potomae at this place, in company with some others, caught two full fish, from eight to ten inches in length, with out hoot, the same taking effect in the mouth of each!—Shepherestown Register. 8rs- The Cincinnati Nonpareil of the 15th in that a duel took piace in that city between a grandson of Ex-President Harrison, and the son of an extensive Banker. On the second fire the descendant of the President received a bullet in the arm. Cause—a young lady in partaletts and short dress.

Gov. Crawford, of Georgia, Secretary of War under Gen. Taylor, has been afficted in the loss of a beautiful daughter. He has been travelling with his fattally through Syria and Egypt, during the past winter. While at Malta his youngest danghter was taken ili with a fever, but partially recovered, so as to reach Naples in February. when a relapse took place which terminated her existence in a few days.

[3] The Charlottesville Advocate learns that the body of a white man was found in a stream of water near Gor-

of a white man was found in a stream of water near Gordonsville, by two persons who were fishing. The person had evidently been murdered, his hands tied behind him, and the body surk in the Creek. The body was recognized as that of a day laborer residing in the county of Lousse.

Of John Dunham, Esq., editor of the Wheeling Argus, died of consumption last Sunday. He was for several years the editor of a democratic paper in St. Clairsville. Ohio, and had been editing the Argus for the last three years.

The sum of \$10,334 has been appropriated by Congress for the payment of arrearages of pay.

by Congress for the payment of arrearages of pity, subsistence and clothing due to Capt. Richard Mc-Rae's company of Virginia Volunteers, which served in Canada, in the war of 1812. 375-L. C. Carrington and Charles B. Ball, delegates re-election.

(Fy Thomas Ritchie, Esg., in a letter to the Union, stater that he has not applied for any office, and further that he will accept nothing from the Administration.

(Ky Three hundred workings have been discharged from the Gosport Navy Tare, Fortignosth, Va.

## FROM GIV. ZACKARIAH DOWNING.

Hangens-Passay in the Ocn Domision March 25th 1353. March 25th 1853.

My Dear Old Friend Mr. Gallaher:—In his last antal message to Gongwas, our dear, departed friend, Mr. Polk, said that his "administration had fallen on eventful times" and Galeral Pierce ein say the same thing.—I know they alt saited to elect him, but I begin to think it was in because they leved him, or our praciples, or they would at at like they do now. You may depend it was so nething else. Jist see how their actin; for all the world like as if Uncle Sam was a great patrid carcass, and every feller was a burrard, or somethin like it, tryin to git a hank. And then their jist like a pareil of wolves; after they've got the prey, their wranglin wolves; after they've got the prey, their wranglin among themselves. You lill see the feller comin to Gineral Pierce, backed by a list o names as long as a coon's face the mornia after the Gineral was elected, coon's face the mornin after the Gineral was elected,—
all sayin he's the very man for office, and then directly
here comes a parcel of fellers—a whole delegation—rappin at the Ginerals door, and remonstratin agin it, sayin
it wont do; that he's abnoxious to one of the wings of
our party, and it 'll ruin every thing to appint him.—
Our wings is growed mightily of late, and their multiplied too, so that I most wish they was cropped, or some
of em was breke, and if we could'nt fly so high, we
might here together better than we're done now.

"Old Bullion's" nullin one way, and Marcy's jurking
the Outer, and the gear knows if they done break the

"cohesion" and pull the party apart, it 'ill be a wonder. But then the Generals got a tough Cabinet thats one thing and it won't be easy to break it.

We've got some trouble in the district too, and I don't know how it 'illiend. Theres Mr. Faulkner wants to go back to Cengriss powerful bad, and some of the old hand shall is consessed to it cause they think an "eleventh hard-shells is opposed to it cause they think an "eleventh hour" man and so right to be honored above them thats bore the burden in the heat of the day. Its a foolish notion for they eight to be glad that we've got a man so patriotic as Mr. Fauthner, and so willing he is to serve em. They ought to take his word when he tells em that its "necessary for him to go bank to Congress, no other man cir do so well"-for the Union might be dissolved if he did at -- and not put him to so much trouble runin all over the district, tryin to git the nomination— Its true when he was a candidate afore, he was nt a nominee, and he boa-ted that he was at the "candidate of no clique, a sparty, but run on his own merits," but circumstances is charged since, for then he was a whig, and he was smart enough to know that the whig nemination "could at win." but he would at have no scruples about havin the nomination of our "clique" or "party Besides many people thinks his "merit" is considerably diminished, and they wont support him without he gits the nomination. We had a meetin here a short time ago, and passed resolutions approvin Mr. Faulkners course in Cangess, and some of the Whigs voted for em too, which was all right, and consistent, for Mr. Fankhner tells em (and their green enough to believe him) that he "aint changed none; he stands where he always drd, for the whigs left him," and the dimocrats (I suppose) wend to him. Thats so much like Mr. Cal-houn used to say. Well, we're goin to give him a great dinner, and when we had our meetin one of his new friends, said that "Mr. Faulkner would like to have the dinner as soon us possible." I've no doubt afore the Convention meety, and because he's so hangry-but it might help along in gitin the nomination. I think its a smart notion in him, and we're determined he shill have the nomination; mark that! I go for rewardin men when they come into our party, and if we dont give Mr. Faulkner the nomination, he'il leave the party, and the dear knows where he'll go next unless he joins the free-colors. Any men thats, worked as hard as he has in soilers. Any man thats worked as hard as he has in Congress, and franked danaer speeches, and Mason speeches, and manifestoes, and toasts, and the like all over the district, ought to be sent back, and I hope the the party 'ill be united on him. I see by the papers that Mr. Clayton's bin given our wise Senators lessons in Geography. Its strange how they come to learn in the wrong books, and how Mr. Clayton knowed more than our committee on Foreign Relations, and Gin. Cass and Mr. Douglas to beet I cant see how they made sich a blunder thinkin that the Balize settlement was it Central America, when, accordin to Mr. Clayton's geography, its in Yucatan. Now I'me sorry they was so careless-for I'me sure they knowed better-for they let Mr. Claytoa tura the laugh on cm. It wont do, they'll have to be more careful when they run agin sich fellers as Clayton. I havent tune to write more jist

#### now. From your old friend ZACKARIAH DOWNING. ALEXANDRIA, LOUDOUN AND HAMP-SHIRE RAILROAD.

The bill of which we gave a synopsis a fortnight since, expanding the charter of the Alexandria and Harper's Fetry, so as greatly to increase its scope and privileges, became a law on Tuesday 15th inst., after having been still further improved, by

the following important ryder: "Provided. That if, upon a survey and examination, the company hereby incorporated shall been me satisfied that another route will be preferable to that near Leisburg and through Clark's Gap, said company may dispense with so much of the route herein before prescribed, so far as it is required to run by or as near as practicable to Leesburg and through Clark's Gap in the county of Loudo in : and may select such other route through the county of Loudoun as it may deem best and most practicable. Provided that the route shall not b north of Brown's Gap in the Catoctin Monnaju near Waterford in the said cou ty; and provided further, that if the company hereby incorporated shall locate their road through the fap at Harp re-Ferry, it shall connect with the Winchester and Dalangally log destribe onte drives the work out of the immeliate valley of the Potomac and leaves it at liberty to follow any route that may be found most eligible between Alexandria and Bloomery Gap, the latter being the only point fixed between tide-water and Paddytown. The coal-owners who are expected to furnish a large share of the means of construction are understood to favor the common sense plan of making the work as nearly as possible an air line. It will probably cross Ashby's or Snicker's Gap. The people of Snickersville and vicinity were to have met on Monday last to urge

#### their claims to the location - Winchester Virg. CONVICTION OF ARTHUR SPRING.

The trial of Spring for the murders in Southwark table by a reconsideration of the vote rejecting them. (Phitadelphia) is over, and the jury have returned verdict of guilty. That any other conclusion the accused, is a arcely within range of possibility. All the facts pointed unerringly to him as the author of this demaing deed. For atrocity, the act is be, salutary. Justice has been sure, without being slow, and, in two weeks from the commission of this most borrible revolting tragedy, a conscientious the wretched perpetrator of it to the gallows; the expiation which the law demands for deeds so foul and bloody .- Ledger.

## ARTHUR SPRING.

allel to this hideous monster. The following illustration of his fiendish and malignant disposition is from the Philaselphia Bulletin: After his conviction, Spring was asked whether he had any unkind feetings towards his son Arthur? "Yes," replied he, "I will never forgive him as long as I live; he has been the cause of all my trouble. I will go to the gallows with vengeance against Byrne, and with my last breath will execrate the name and memory of my son." One of the officers said to him-"Spring, have

you ever read the good book ?" He replied "yes. 'Well," said the officer, "do you not know that all the priests in the land can avail you nothing while von harbor in your bosom such malignant feelings? You must repert of your sins, and become like a little chil', or your expectation of reaching Heaven will never be realized. You may have supposed your own son and officer Byrne have injured you.: but recollect, that one of the cardinal doctrines of the Christian's creed is, to forgive your enemies You are intelligent enough to know that no such feelings as now animate your heart can find entrance in heaves" The prisoner replied, in a doggedly stubborn

manner, "I don't care-I hate them both-and if a had my son here. I would tear him to pieces."-After he arrived inside the prison, his physical power began to fail, and he tottered as he moved. He was led up stairs by two of the keepers of the prison. He wanted som! liquor before he was put into his cell, but this was refused him He still declares his own innocence, but expresses his willingness

#### HORRID OUTRAGE. The Mount Sterling (Kentucky) Whig savs:

A most brutal murder was committed in Class county a few days ago, by four men, whose names we cannot recall. A youth about seventeen years old, without the least offence, was seized by four men who had been drinking, and first ducked un-til nearly lifeless, and then his hair singed off close to his head, and jast, shot through the head. Al this was done by way of mere amusement for the demons! They claim that they did not shoot him istentionally, bat that they took him into a room. after ducking him and burning off his hair, merely to alarm by firing pistols over him; and that one the pistols bursting, killed him. One of them, after it was supposed they had intentionally bursted the pistol, the boy seeming to have been dead a half hour before, was seen endeavozing to drive one of the screws of the pistol stock into what appeared to be a bullet hole in his head. A man cannot think of such med and believe there is no hell.

The mutterings of dissatisfaction among the sappionted office siekers congregated at Was ington are daily becoming more threatening to the future harmony of the party. The "maior for the sake of the spoils" has failed to furnish enough for the hungry crew, For one who has been so fortunate as to be provided for, ten at least have to go nate as to be provided for, ien at least have to go away as empty as they come. They of course are dissalisfied with the division, and thinling themselves as much entitled to an appointment as those who got one, have no further sympathy with the Administration. If every Democrat could only be supplied with a fat office what a giorious party theirs would be! But as that cannot be, we may expect to see, whenever they are in the ascendency just such a scrainble for the offices and a general row kicked up by the thousands who come off minus.—Reckmend Whig.

### THE PRIZE WRITERS.

The subscribers to the Baltimore Weekly San may indulge the auticipation of a literary treat, rarely afforded in the columns of a newspaper. ionest the stories submitted in competition for the prizes offered by the proprietors of it at journal. six are already brought before the public by title, with the names of the several writers to whom the awards of the committee have been made. In this connection we feel at liberty to remark that, excelence of style, entertaining subjects, un-xceptionapulously coasisered; while mawkish sentiment, slip-shod romance, and the mere namby-pamby-ism of "literary" effort are as scrupulously excluded. We take this occasion to name briefly the prize stories and their authors. The series will be introduced to the reader on Saturday, April 2d., with the story of

"THE GOLDEN THREAD,"

BY CAROLINE CHESERRO, of Canandaigua, New York, to whom was award. ed the first prize of \$150. This gifted tair is the aniths of "Dream Land he Davingment and a Pilgrimage," "The Children of Light," &c. In "The Golden Threat," the author has produced a work of genius which will secure an added host of admirers. It will be followed by

"THE GOLDEN CRUSHERS," BY P HAMILTON MYEES, ESQ', of New York; author of " Bell Brandon," "The Emigrant Squire," &c., to whom was awarded the second prize of \$100. This story will afford an ample tund of entertain-

a vigorous hand, and the portraitures well sustained. Next in order will be "THE STEPMOTHER ;"

ment to the reader; the characters are drawn with .

BY MARGABET JUNKIN, of [Lexington, Rocab blige county, Va., author of The Ashburnes." a prize tale, who obtained the award of \$50, being the third prize of the series. The "Stepmother" is a charming domestic story, and will leave a most agreeable impression upon the mind of the reader. Next in succession "PAUL,"

BY EDITH MAY, of Philadelphia, will appear, for which the fourth prize of \$40 was awarded by the committee. Paul is a work of fiction which evinces a remarkabe perception of human character, and the deep passions of the heart. After this, will be published "THE HEIRESS,"

BY JANE T. BOND. of Marblehead, Mass., to whom a prize of \$25 wasawarded, being the fifth of the series. The character of the heiress is beautifully drawn, and admirably sustained. The sixth and last of the series is

#### META VON SICKLE,"

BY MIRIAM CHURCHILL, of Boston, Mass., who also won a prize of \$25, under the award of the committee. This is "a tale of Gowanus" on Long I-land, and embraces some of the revolutionary incidents of the time in which it is laid. The foregoing are all excellent stories; and will furnish a fund of entertainment for some

Persons in the city desirous to obtain the Weekly Sun regularly hereafter, by subscribing one dollar, in advance, can have a private box at the office. Sun Iron Building, from which it will be delivered to them or their messengers, upon early, every Saturday morning, this at laugement is necessary as the paper is not delivered by carriers -Single capies will be for sale at the counter, price 3 cents, and by all newspaper and periodical agents broughout the country. A. S ABELL & CO.,

## DIVISION OF CALIFORNIA.

The division of California into three States, distinet and separate, is now conten plated and press-ed there. A majority of the Legislature, it is said, will order a State Convention, and upon that Convention will depend the most manner, and boundaries of division.

The three States are to be named "Sierra." the moon ain division, which has about 23 000 is hatitants, by the last census; ' California " which has 207,388; and "Tulare," the southern State, inclufing Los Angeles and San Diego, which has 24,150 inhalitants, and about seven and a half millions of taxable property. The southern State of Talare, in the division, it is contemplated by many of the occupants to make a slave State of, and one of the objects of pleading the division is to establish s avery there - Rusmand Enquirer

A TRUE WHIG. Among the multitudinous host of worshippers of therising Presidential sun it is g atilying to meet with one who has not yet quite largetten that on which has just sunk with such dignity to its rest -Horses and harness coats and coaches boots and breeches, ve-ts, hats, rings and broothes, are daily heralded by the Locoloco papers as presents to President Pierce Well a fried from St Louis informs us, that Melville, the inshionable hatter of that city, as an off et to all this, in his own vocation is "building," a magnificent hat for the worthyhead of ex-President Fillmore. Well done for

#### Melville !- Lewisville Journal. ELOPEMENT.

A few days since our usually qu'et town was thrown into a state of unusual excitement, by the elopement of one of our fashionables, Mrs. Hawke, with a Dr. Gordon, who has been practising here a short time. Mrs. Hawke was decidedly the protcould have been formed, after hearing the testimo- tiest woman in our town, with blue eyes, ligh ny which so conclusively fastened the guilt upon hair, fine figure and aristocratic manners-gracing the circle in which she moved. Mr. Hawke, her husband, has not only to grieve the loss of his without a parallel-in this locality at least. But wife, but of several hundred dollars in money, if the crime is bloody, cruel, and remorseless, the which she took with her. The Doctor is a tall, retr bution is speedy, certain, terrible, and, it may six footer, with a large, projecting for head, heavy evebrows, awful whiskers, and goatee; he called himself Dr. A. B. Gordon, Eclectic Physician and and careful jury have, by their verdict, condemned | Cancer Surgeon. He left without paying any of his bills, not even the printer got sight of his money.

Pass him round .- Long Point (Mo. ) Adv. During the last we k an agreeable feature was sxhibited in the ladies' ordinary at Brown's The annuls of crime can scarcely furnish a par- Hotel-not less than six brid is with their happy husbands being seated at the same table! The several parties were strangers one to another; but when it was discovered that they had all recently entered into the n arriage state, a reunion" was suggested, which was readily agreed to, and, separated to themselves, several hours were passed mo \$ delightfully by the company - Washington Reg.

> The Boston Traveller states that the wa c'iman called up a city physician, a few nights since. o set the shattered leg of a drunken man they had icked up in the street. At a first glance the ! mb was seen to be shattered to pieces, and as the maa moved, the broken fragments grated together, which made some of the watchmen so nervous, hat they had to go out of the room to keep from fainting. Upon stripping off the clothes, however, the broken leg was found to be a wooden one! Baltimore Market.

#### Kandolph & Latimer's CIRCULAR OF PRICES IN THE BALTIMORE MARKET

For the week ending March 30, 1853. Reported expressly for the Free Press. Applies .- Are arriving freely and sell at \$1 50 to 3.00 per Bil. BUTTER.-Is very scarce all qualities are in ac-

me demand. Sale of Glades at 15 to 2) cts-City

tell at 14 to 18 cts-Common Western at 10 to HEANS .- White beans are worth \$1,25 to \$1,50 per busehl. Mixed 50 to 75 ets. Bacon.-The supply is better and demand not so good, though we quote last weeks rates. a es houlders at 7 to 71 cts-Sides at 71 to 8 ets-Hams at 11 to 13 cts.

BEESWAX .- No demand. Held at 26 cts.

CATTLE .- 700 head were offered at the scales on Monday, of which 500 of which met ready sale at \$3 to \$4 371 on the hoof equal to \$6 to \$4,50 net an a the balance were taken bet of the market. Coan.-Prices dull and sales at 50 to 53 ets for White, and 55 to 57 cm. for Yellow. CLOVERSEED, -A good demand with -ales at 37. Daire Fau T-Sales of Apples at \$1 to \$1 121 ets. -Peaches at \$1,75 to \$2. Denastive - Prime skins are bringing 20 to 23

Funs. - Muskrat 5 to 10 cts. Coon and Gray Fox 15 to 20 cts , Red Fox 50 to 75, Mink 371 to 50 Olter 33 to 33. FLOUR. - Farther decline, and marl ets unsettled. The price, for both Howard st. and City Mids is nominelly \$4,75-to tobut sales cannot be made at har buyers are offering \$1 104.
FLAXSEED.—Sales at \$1,35 to \$1,40.

Hogs.—In demand and sales at 44 to 48 cts. Hogs.—Live are in demand at \$7,50 to \$8. LARD-Sales in bils, at 9 to 10 cts. Kegs 10 to

MUSTARD SEED-Sales at 71 to 81 cts-with a good

O Ts .- New are bringing : 5 to 37 cts., good de-

PRAS—In good demand with sales at 75 cts.
It is —Sales of Md. 70 to 75, Pa : 75 o 60 cts.
Timorem Sales at 9 to 10 cts.
Versar.—95 to 100 cts. for inferior to good good prime at 100 to 104 ets; family flour white a 110 to 115 cts. —in good demand.

Wood. —Sales of un washed 24 to 30; washed 1
36 to 13 cts.

VALUABLE TESTIMONY FROM THE SOUTH We like, at all times, to give credit when credit is dac, and if at the same time we can relieve the distressed, we are doubly gratified; therefore, give the following reductary testimony as to the beneficial effects of Wistar's Baisa n of Wild Cherry, by the editor of the Columbia South Carolinian, who appears to have obtained great relief by its use.—[Old Dominion, Portsincuth, Va.

WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY. We seldom rosort to patent medicines, having a great respect for the skill of the regular profession, but chance threw into one way the above named medicine, immediately after the close of the last session of the Legislature, when tur larges were almost dried up by the highly rarified standsphere of our stove-warmed State House.—The Balsam immediately relieved us of a most harassing cough, which threatened our health in a serious degree. e feel that we are indebted to it for some fifteen unds of animal weight—which addition once felt, can-

points of potten.

CAUTION.—The only genuine and original article, was first introduced in the year 1833. It has been well tested, and appreciated for ten years, in all the complaints for which it has been recommended, viz: Coughs, Colds, Inducata, Bronchitis, Asthma, and Coustar ption, in its incipient stages. No other medicine has proved more efficacious. On account of the unbounded popular-ity of this article, it has been extensively counterfeited, by persons who know nothing of the ingredients of this inal compound. The only genuine is always signed I. BUTTS on the For sale by the general agent, SETH W. FOWLE,

agents throughout the United States and British Prov-[March 17, 1853. 13- For Coughs, Colds, and other Affections of the Lungs and Throat generally, use STABLER'S ANO-DYNE CHERRY EXPECTORANT; it is believed to be the best medicine for this class of diseases yet dis-covered; the Medical Faculty use it and thousands have been cared by it. See advertisement in another column.

135 Washington street, Boston, Mass., and by his sub-

March :17, 1853 .- 1m FITS! FITS!! FITS!!! PERSONS who are laboring under this distressing malady will; find the VEGETABLE EPILEPTIC PILLS in be the only remedy ever discovered for carring Epilepsy or Falling Fits. These pills possess 2 specific action on the nervous system; and, although the are prepared especially for the purpose of curing fits, they will be found of especial benefit for all persons afflicted with weak nerves, or whose nervous system has been prostrated or sha tered from any cause whatever. Price \$2 per box, or two boxes for \$5. Persons out of the city enclosing a remittance, will have the pills sent them through the mail, free of postage. For sale by SETH S. HANCE, 103 Baltimore street, Baltimore, Md., to whom orders from all parts of the Union must be addressed, post-paid. Oct. 7, 1852.

Married,

On Tuesday, the 22d instant, by Rev., Samuel Gover, Mr. JAMES M. FRAME, to Miss JANE ROBERTS, all of Londonn. In the Methodist E. Church, at Middletown, on the 10th instint, by Rev. John Allemong, JOHN W. WRIGHT, of Middletowa, and Miss A. JACQUE-LINE, daughter of Isaac F. Hate, of Frederick county. On the 22d instant, by Rev. Joseph Baker, TIMO-THY W. LOCK and CATHARINE L. CLIM-both of Clarke On Tuesday last, Mr. DANIEL C. BURNS to Miss

WINAFRED E. GORRELL, daughter of Joseph Gorrell, dec'd, atl of Berkeley county. Diea:

At Harpers-Ferry, on the 11st inst., Miss ELIZA-BETH McDANIEL, eldest daughter of Mr. Asa Me-Daniel, in the 30th year of her age. On Friday morning, the 11th inst., SALLIE VIR-GINIA, daughter of James L. and Sarah E. Chapline of this county, ared about one year. On the 14th ult., DAN'ELSUMMERS, aged 2 years 3 months, and 11 days, s n of Daniel O. and Mary A. Saider, of Martinsburg. Oa the 13th inst., Mr. CONRAD MENSER, of Martinsburg, aged about 36 years. Oa the 25th inst., Mrs. MaRTHAF. C. HARMAN, aged 30 years and 2 weeks, consort of Mr. John M

Near Springfield, in Hampshire county, on the 16th inst., after a short but paneled illness, Miss MARGA-RET A., daughter of Levi Cain, Esq., in the 17th year of her age. At Saratoga Springs, on the 13th inst., MARIETT B., wife of Rev. R. W. Bailey, of Staunton, Va., aged

Harman, o' Martinsburg.

Local Memoranda.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE. Rev. F. 1894Et, will preach at Shenandoah Furnace on Sunday, April 3d at 11 o'clock; and also at Little's School House the same day at 3 o'clock, P. M. Every communication or notice intended or calcu-

lated to promote any private enterprise or interest, or which is of a personal and private character, will be charged for as an advertisement.

JOSEPH BROWN & CO'S

DE LE LES CLOTHING STORE. The Cheapest and the Best in the Country.

TITHE undersigned take this method of informing

L the public that they have on hand an immense

READY-MADE CLOTHING. which will be sold lower, for Cash, than at any other Clothing Store in the County. Their Stock consists in part of Spring and Summer Clething of every quality, style and color, ranging in price from \_1 to \$20. Black, blue, green and brown broad cloth Frock Coats; black and blue Dress and Sack Coats; Simmer. Tweed and Lambswool Coats, all sizes and colors. Also, Linen Coats from 50 cents to \$1 50. Cassimere, Cassinet, Tweed, Summer Cloth, and Corduroy Pantaloons of all sizes and prices. Satin, Sick Clash Cossumere, Mar-eilles and an endless variety of Vests from 50 cents to \$5. Also a large supply of Shirts Spring Stocks. (post paid) to JOSIAH WM. WARE.

Hardkerchiefs and Colours of the latest style.
The public may rest assured that if ther call not find bargains at our establishment, they may look in vain elsewhere, as we are determined to se I a such prices as cannot fail to please. Just call and examine for yourselves, at the Cheap Clothing Store, two doors west of Sappington's Ho'el. Charlestown, Virginia. JOSEPH BR WN & CO March 3: 1853 - 3t.

NOTICE. THE padersigned have appointed Mr. GEORGE I J. WELLER as their sole Agent for the sole of Rights of their Patent Threshing and Cleaning Machine, it the United States and Territories. G. F. S ZIMMERMAN & CO Charlestown, March 31, 1853.

School Commissioners. THE following persons were elected School Commissigners for the County of J fferson, for the

year commencing April 1st, 1853 viz: NO. DISTRICTS. NO DISTRICTS. 1. W N Lemen. 1 15. George W Little. 16. F. M. Eichelberger 2. John M. J. w. II. 3. Jacob Staley. 4. Samnet Licklider. 8 W B Daniels. 5. John Ronemons. 19 W B Dutton. 20. W. C. Worthing on. 7. Thomas Hite. 22 A H Herr. 8. L. P. W. Balch. 9. W. O. Macoughtry 24. A C Heaton. 10 Thomas West 11 Martin Swimley 25. Philip Coons.

12 Thomas W Keyes

13. J. J. Williams. 27. Lorenzo Etchison 14. Albert Wright. There being no election in Districts No 6 and missioners already appointed; and in District No. 6. unfer the following gentlem n as Commissioners; John F. Schlev, Bunberry Bennett and James Lemma the School-House
The Coronissioners elected for the ensuing year,
and those who may be elected in the Districts 6 and

26 Wm Engle:

21 under the election now ordered, will med at the Court House of the county, on the 3d Saturday | over to an attorney for suit. By order of the Board, made at the meeting. March 26th 1853 WM C. WORTHINGTON, Clerk March 31, 1853

For Rent THE very valuable and desirable Store Room tormegly occupied by Mosses Robinson & Hol-Jand (late's vicated) situated on the corner of High and Sa-nan loah streets. Harpers Ferry -Presession given on the first of April Apply to



PUBLIC SALE

THE Subscriber, intending to leave the register to the critizens of Charlestown and neighbor-borhood will self, at his residence 5 pailes hood, for the interal paronage he has received in north of Shepherdstown on Manday the 4th say of the last five years; and hopes to me if a combinated ance of the same. He is always ready to execute PERSONAL PROPERTY. consisting in part as follows, viz:

4 head of work Horses, I good riving Mare, 1 extra Colt : 12 head of Cattle, & fresh Milch Cores 27 head of Sheep with lambs by their ades ; 20 head of Hogs. 3 Sows and pigs; 2 first-rate Farm Wagons, Ploughs, Wagon and Plough Geers,

Corn, Bacon and Lard, Wheat in the ground; About 15 bushels of Rye; Cradles and Scythes, mowing Scythes ; Also, 1 Barouche and Harness, 1 tren horse Carriage nearly new,

besides many other articles too numerous to men-TERMS-A credit, until the 10th of September next, will be given on all sums above \$5. the purchasers giving bond with approved scengiv-all sams of \$5 and under, the cash will be required -No property to be removed until the te ms of spile are complied with. CHARLES J. CHAPLINE

March 31, 1853.-11 SPLENDID SCHEMES, FOR APRIL, 1853.

GREGORY & MAURY, Minagers. (Successors to J. W. MATRY & Co.)

\$40,000:

Lattery for the benefit of the State of D.lambre, Class 76 for 1853, drawn at Wilmington, Dell. 73 N . Lottery-14 drawn Ballots PRULLIAT SCHEME. 1 Prize of \$40 000 : 12 000 : 7 000 : 5 000

3.000: 2589: 2.000: 30 of 1.000; 500; 40 of 300: 257 of 200. &c. Tiesets \$10 11 ves. \$5-Quarters \$250 Certificates of Packages of 25 wildles, \$130 0 do 25 halves 26 quarters, \$50.000!

50 Prizes of \$1,000 !

Lettery for the benefit of the State of Delaware Class 82 f r 1853, drawn at Wilmington, De Sar. April 9th 1853 12 Drawn Numbers out of 75. SUPPRE SCHEME 1 Prize of \$50 000 : 20 000 : 10.000 : 5.000 4.000: 3.500; 2,500: 2,400: 50 of 1, 000; 50 of 500; 111 of 250, &c. Tickets \$ 0 Halfs \$5-Quarters \$2.50 Certif's of Ph'ges of 25 whl. tickets, \$130 00

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\$30,146! Lottery for the benefit of the State of Delaware Class 88 for 1853 to be drawn at Wilmington Del Saturday, April 16 1853. Thirteen drawn Numbers in each Package Twenty six Tick is.

SPLENDED SCHEME 1 Prize of \$30.145; 10 of 6.000; 3.000; to a certain 20 of 1,000; 20 of 600; 20 of :00; 20 of 300; 185 of 250. &c Tickets, \$10 - Halves, 85 -Quarters \$2.59. Certis of Pkg's of 26 wh. tickets, 26 half do

do 26 quarter do Very Brilliant Indeed!

\$57.0001 \$27.423 ! \$15.000 !! [河 100 Priz - of \$1 000 : 20] ttery for the ben fit of the Sar of Debugar Class D for 1853 to be drawn at Wilhampto

Del Sa urday April 23 1853. 78 No Lottery 11 Drawn Ballots Grand Prize of \$67 000; 1 Splendid Prize of 27.423; 1 Prize of 16 000; 12. 423; 10.477; 5 of 4000; 3000; 10 of 3 000 : 100 of 1,000 : 239 of 400, &ce. Tickets \$20-11 dves \$10-Qrs \$5-Eights 220 Certificates of Pkgs. 26 whole tickets, 5230 00 do 25 hali di do 26 quarter do

co 26 eighth uo 836.000!

\$15,000 ! 50 of \$1,000 ! Lottery for the benefit of the State of D laware, Class 99 for 1853 drawn at Wilmington, Del. Saturday April 30, 1853 75 Numbe Lottery-13 drawn ballots. SPINDID LOTTERY

1 Prize of \$38 000 : 15 000 : 10 000 : 6.000. 4.000; 3.000; 2.500; 2.228; 50 of 1.000; 28 of 300; 200 of 150 &c. Tickets, \$10-Halfs \$5-Quarters \$2.50 Certificates of Packages of 25 whole tickets, 120 00 do 25 do do

do 30 00 Orders for Tickets and Shares and Certificates of Packages in the above splendid Lotteries will chase of your humble servant the receipt to prepare receive the most prompt attention and an official a milt pleasant Remedy, both to give and to take Ann E Gilmer, account of each drawing sent immediately after it is ever to all who order from me
Address. P. J. BUCKEY, Agent.

March 31, 1853 Wilmi sglon, Och. COS MO OFFERS his services to the public this Spring. He is one of the highest bred horses at the world—descented immediately on both sides from OFFERS his services to the public the best racers and racing families in both England and the United States-all distances and heaviest weights. For particulars and circulars, apply Berryville, Clarke county, Va.

LEFT HOME.

O'N the 221 of February last my Son William on when he left home a pale Blue Clash Roundabout, with Bulle Buttons, Bine Cloth Pants and a Cloth Cap. The said boy is rather small for his age; is somewhat reasoned in Conversation; has Black Hair and Black Eyes, and of a mild and gentle disposition. The last information his will owed mother has received as to his where bout was, that he was seen on the above mentioned day near the Opequon, on the Winchester and Potamac Reilroad. Any information in regard to him will be thankfully received by
March 31. DEBORAH SHIPE.

March 31. Attention firemen! THERE will be a meeting of the Pire Company. L on Saturday evening next, at 3 o'clock, P M There will be an election of officers at the same ime. By order of the Captain, .
March 31, 1853 J. F. BLESSING

WAGON MAKING.

THE subscriber successor of Mr. Parnenter Schourz is now prepared to furnish Wagong and to serve the old enstomers of the establishmen with all kinds of work in his line, at the old estals lishmed stand, on Piccadilla Spect. He invites a call from his friends, and is confi ent that he can give entire satisfact on. JAMES KERN.

A S many of my old customers have been writing to me for Wagons, I take this method of the forming them, that I have so d all my so k to Mr 21 the Board order a new election to beheld on the James Kenn and I cheerfully recommend him to and an honest man FREDERICK SCHULTZ

Winchester, March 24, 1853 .- 3m Administrator's Notice. A LL persons owing me, as Adminis rator of the tate Samuel Melvin, are requested to make immediate settlement or the notes will be hand d GEORGE LECKLIDER, Adm March 24 1953-3

Carpenters Wanted. THE nader-igned wishes to employ two JOUI NEVMEN CARPENTERS, immediately. Constant work and liberal trages will be given BARNEY LLOYD. Charlestown March 24, 853-31 1853. Spring Goods. 1853.

THE Character will receive in a few days a large and splendid a sectment of sea on the goods for Laries and Gentlemen Particulars Charlestown, March 24, 1853. Teacher Wanted.

WANTED a Teacher for School District No.
13, near Mye stown
BALAAM OSBURN, S.C. February 24, 1853 FRESH GARDEN SEEDS, just received and for sale by LOCK, CRAMER & LINE, March 3, 1853. Carpentering and Joinering.

work at the shortest notice, and wall make it his interest to suit the times in his prices.

He has procured a set of Draughting Instruments, and having made himself a quantied with Architecture, he is prepared to Draught and give plans and proportions for all kinds of work in word. He will also make and carve to order, Canita's for columns in the different orders of Architecture, at the shortest notice. Always on hand SASH of various sizes for windows. Those wishing to patronize him will address him

through the mail, or verbally at Charlestown. general satisfaction given.

WM. A. SUDDITH. All orders shall be strictly attended to, and March 24, 1853-1v.

Alexaudria, Loudoun and Hampshire RAIL ROAD.

NOTICE is hereby given, that books will be as amount not exceeding thirty-five thousand

At Washington City, at the Banking House of Concoran & R ggs-Under the direction of William W. Car-coran, Elisha Riggs, Jr., and J. Monroe Chubb; at the Binking House of Seld a, Wither & Co - under the direction of William Selden, Robert W. Latham and Lawrence P. Bayne; and at the Mayor's Office—under the direction of John W. Maury, Joseph Bryan, Charles B. Calvert and George Parker.

At Harpers-Ferry—Under the direction of A. H. Here, Isaac Fouke, Philip Coons, Edward Lucas and J. L. Ranson.
At Winchester--Under the direction of Henry No.

Brent, Dr. R. T. Baldwin, Robert Y. Conrad, David W. Bacton and Lloyd Logan.

At Roaney - Under the direction of John B. White, W.n. A. Vance, John B. Sherrard, Andrew W. Her cheval, Philip B. Streit, Edward M. Armstrong, John C. Heiskell, Wm. Harper, Wm. F. Drickard, David Gibson and Isane Parsons. At Charlestown-Under the direction of Dr. R. S. Blackbura, Richard H. Lee, Dr. W. F. Alexander, Edward E. Cooke and Fobert T. Brown.

At Dranswille - Under the direction of Dr. Ira Williams, John Powell and Maj. James Coten in.

At the Bloomery Furnace, in Hampshire County—Under the direction of Robert B. Sherrard, Samuel A. Pancoast, John L. Templar, Robert M. Powell and Dr. John S. Guyer.
At Gerardstown, in Berkeley County-Under the di-

rection of James L. Campbell, John McKown; Dr. Ebenezer Coe and George Bowers.

At Alexandria—At the office of the Potomac Insurance Company, under the direction of the undersigned: GEORGE H. SMOOT, | WM. L. HOWELL; R. JAMIESON, R. JOHNSTON. C. F. SUTTLE. M. McCORMICK, A. J. FLEMING. ROB'T H. MILLER. March 24, 1353 -5t.

Public Sale of KENTUCKY LAND.

coe, dated on the 20th day of August 1852 in and

Tract of Land. on the Ohio river, in Union county Kentucks known as "Dark's Survey," pa ented to Gen. With. \$11000 Dack for one thousand acres. Be the same more or less, the fat-rest which the aloresaid deed conveys to me, is that derived by said John Briscoe roin the deed of Sarah D Briscoe, a grand daugh ter of said William Darke, dated on the 1st day of June, 1850, and is supposed to be an undivided

tenth part of the land, described in the original patent to said Darke. Such title as is vested in me by the deed from John Briscoe of the 20th of August, 1852 will be made to the purchaser. THOS RUTHERFORD D S. for F B etham tate Swriff of J ferson Co. March 24, 1853. For Rent.

LEXANDER FORSETT having resigned A the executorship of George Little deck, and I having qualifi d as administrator with the vill annexed, do offer, for rent, from the first day of april next, that large two-story STONE BUILD-ING, good Stable and other necessary out-build-105 (0 ings with 4 Acres of Land This property has been oce pied for many years as a honel, being in a good recesson in South Bolivar, Jefferson coun-

DWELLING HOUSES suita le for small fam- and William McMurran. illies, adjoining said property. Letters addressed to ne at Charlestown, Va., will receive prompt atten-ion JOHN AVIS Jr., Adm'r March 21, 1853. with the Will amount me at Charlestown, Va

EO THE PRESIDENT

Of Shenandoah and Adjoining

Conaties. ENTLEMEN :- You no doubt have seen my G numerous advertisements concerning my Croup and Asthma Surup and of its success, let me humbly ask or you to tay aside vour bleeding, blistering, scarifying, and giving large doses of Calomel to children in case of croup, and purwhich will always give satisfaction in case of roups it called on in time Do not consider, gentlegentlement, hat you are stooping too low to purchase of me, because I have been raised in one of your neighboring Counties; it is just as good to. you, if it cures, as if you had g tten it of the King of England, and it is well known that the regular prescribing of the day lacks much of eneing croup at all times, with all the nore asonable but hery -The subscriber will come to your house, mak the Syrup spoken of until you are satisfied you can perform the same which will give as much satisfactio in two hours, as the above treatment in a life time, for the sum of \$15 for each receipt; and it the least fears be apprehended, as to its value, a credit then will be given of one year with interest; and on the su scriber being unable to prove it a valuable Remedy, the amount shall be nult and rold; and the amount of one cent shall never be DR SALYARDS

Woodstock March 21, 1853 - 3-n WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

REMOVAL. I WOULD inform the citizens of this county and the public generally, that I have REMOVED my WATCH and JEWELRY STOKE to No. 217 BALTIMORE STREET. six doors below Charles strees, Baltimore where they will find a large supply of fine GOLD Levers, Lepine, and SILVER WATCHES of every description -ALSO, a variety of Gold Chains Keys, Gold Pencils and Pens, Rings, Ear-Rings, Brairelets, &c Al-o, a fine a-sortment of Silver Spains. Cups, Butter and Fruit Knives, of gennine Silver Coin. A variety of Albatta Forks, Spoons, &c., &c. Clocks and Fancy Goods. A large assort-ment of Watch makers Tools, Jewels. Hends, and Watch G ass of every kind. COUNTRY MERCHANTS and Watch makers will find it to their interest to call and examire my goods, as I intend to sell as low as any other house, at wholesale or retail prices. CH RLES BLAKE,

No 217 Baltimore street, Baltimore. March 21, 1853 -1v

Dissolution of Copartnership. THE Conartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name and firm of RICHARD McCLURE & SON was disso ved on tront of Joseph Entler's Hoteleek 2d Saturday in April In District No. 21 at Carrell's Hotel under the superintendence of the Quinthe 34 instant, by mutual consent. The besiness: All persons knowing themselves to be indebted: to said firm will please come forward and settle up by note or otherwise. RICH'D McCLURE & SON. Brucetown, March 18, 1853.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned having purchased the ratire I interest of his father in their late busin as together with the stock of materials on hand is orepared to receive all work in the HGUSE CAR-PENTERING and UNDERTAKING LINE entrusted to him, in the best style of werker taship and upon satisfactory terms. Feeling than and to the public for the liberal patronage bestowed upon him while a member of the late firm, he hop is that by attending str cly to bisiness and an erro est desire to do justice to all patrons, to merit a contian ation of public patronage

COLBERT A McCLURE

Brucetown, Ma ch 21 1853—if

Notice to the Public.

THE Road heretofore passing through the Farms
of John Humphreys and John W. McCurdy, is now closed, and all persons are forbidden of irav-el through or re-up n he fences as the extreme penalty of the Law will be executed spon person so offending. DAVID HUMPHREYS, JOHN W. McCURDY. March 94, 1953

DRIED APPLES —I have an hand, ten husbels of Dried Apples of fine quality, for sale. March 3, 1853. J. L. HOOSF.

Virginia. to wit: In the Circuit Court of Jefferson county, in vacation, March 10, 1853.

AGAINST

Defendants, I. N. Cart r and others, IN CHANCERY. TT appearing to the Judge of said Court that no-I lice has teen r gularly given to the delendant isase N. Carter, that on the 10th day of March, 1853 an order would be asked from said Judge in vacation, directing the recommitment of the report heretofore made in this cause, and for such further order of reference therein as may be proper; and such application being now submitted in vacation with the papers of the cause, upon consideration thereof it appearing to the Jodge that the former order of reference has not been complied with, it is now ordered that this cause be recommitted to a Commissioner of the said Court to carry out fully said former order of reference; and it is further ordered that said Commissioner ascertain and report whether there be any subsisting and unsatisfied leins upon the property conveyed in the deed of Trust in the cause, prior to said deed of Trust, and if any, the amount and character thereof, stating specially all such matters as he may N opened on the 20th day of spril, 1853, at the deem pertinent, or as he may be required so to tollowing places, under the direction of the persons state, and make report to the next term of said named at each place, or any two of them, lower- Court. And it is further ordered that notice of the 150 boxes Toilet. Variegated, Bar and Castile Soap ceiving subscriptions in shares of one hondred time and place of taking said account may be pubdollars, to the capital stock of the Alexanoria, lished once a week for four successive weeks in Londonn and Hampshire Rail Road Company, to the Charlestown Free Press—such publication to be taken as equivalent to personal service of such notice on the parties. All of which is hereby certified to the Ciers of the Circuit Court of Jefferson county who is directed to enter the same aming

> this 10 day of March, 1853 RICHARD PAREER.
> A copy—Teste, R. T. BROWN, Clerk. COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE. Charlestown, March 18th, 1853. All persons interested in the above order of reference, are hereby notified that I shall attend at my office aforesaid, on Fridon the 22d day of April. 1853, for the purpose of executing the above order of Court; on which day by 10 o'clock, a M. they are requested to attend with such papers and evidence o nected with the cause as may be necessary to enable me to take accounts directed by the Court R. WORTHINGTON, Comm March 24 1853.

Virginia to wit:

A rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, on the 9th day of March, William N. Mc Veigh, James H. Mc Veigh, Wells A. Harper and James L Chamberlain. lase partners under the firm of Mc.

Veigh, Brother & Company, Plfits, AGAINST John M Jewett, Trustee, William McMurran, D & S Blacklock, Jicob W. Reynolds, John K. White and Henry Berry, Defendants.

IN CHANCERY. THE object of the complainants Bill and amen ! L ed Bill is to set aside sundry Deeds of Trust tom the Defendant William McMurran, viz a Deed to Henry Berry as Trustee, dated 11th Sep-Ode of Virginia I will offer, at proble sale. Jewett a Trustee, dated March 11th, 1852 as to the highest budder, for each, on the 18th day of | fraudulent against the complainants and intended April, 1853 (Court day,) in front of the Court- to hinder and delay creditors; to have an account nouse door of Jefferson county, at the right title taken of the various liens upon the property coverand interest vested in me by a deed from John Bris- en by said Deeds, and that the Plaintiffs have sarisfaction out of the property covered by said Deeds for the amount of two judgments in their favor. It appearing on a lidavit filed in this Suit, that the Defendant William McMarran is not a resident of this State. he is hereby required to appear here within one month atter due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this matter. It is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four suc-cessive weeks in the "Virginia Free Press," and posted at the front door of the Court house of this County, on the first day of the next County Court.

A Copy-Teste, March 24 1853 R. T. BROWN c.c.

Virginia to wit: At ru es tel l in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Jeff son County, on the 9th day of March Youths' do AGAINST

Joseph McMirran, William McMurran, John M J wett, John K White, Jacob W. Reynolds and D. & S Blacklock, Defts. IN CHANCERY . / I the ab eat defendant William McMurran, and to make the same liable to a judgment in favour of

Lets offer for ren, from same date, three small the Plaintiff against defendants Joseph McMurran It appearing on affiliavit filed in this Suit, that the Defen lant William McMarran is not a resident of this State he is hereby required to appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this matter. It is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four suc cessive weeks in the Virginia Free Press," and posted at the from door of the Court house of this County on the first day of the next County Court.

A copy-Teste, R. T. BROWN C. C March 24 1853. Virginia, to wit: Al' ru es beid in the Clerk's Office of the Cir. cun Court o' Jefferson County, on the 9th day of

AGAINST H ney B rey admin strator de b nis non with the Will annexed of J hn Baker, dec'd Vincent M Buller, administ mor with the Will annexed of William Swortt dec'd, Joseph M Murran, Samuel D Baker. William Laste Baker, in his own right and as a ministra'm of Wm. Baker, dec'd, Jan W More. Steriff of I ferson county, committee administrator of John M Baker decid the said Sheriff committee administrator of Rob't W Baker, ded, and the said Sheriff committee administrator of Juliet W Baker d cd, and the said Sheriff commillee administrator of Ellen M Tapscolt, dec'd,

Defendents. IN CHANCERY. THE object of this suit is to obtain a settlement of the accounts of Henry Berry, administrator binis non with the Will annexed of John Baker, dee'd, and a decree distributing the estate of said Baker in the hands of said Berry according to the It appearing on affiliavit filed in this suit, that the defendent Samuel D. Baser is not a resident of this State, he is he eby required to appear here

directions of the will aforesaid. within one month after due publication of this or-'er, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this matter. It is turther ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four success sive weeks in the Virginia Free Press, and posted at the front door of the Court-house of this County, on the first day of the next County Court. R. T. BROWN, Clerk. A copy-Teste. March 24 1853.

Virginia, Jefferson County, Set:

In to County Court March Term, 1853 THE Justices having been summoned to consider the propriety of changing the time of holding th Quarterly Term of this Court, which was changed by an order of this Courtat January Term t from the 3d Monday in June to the second M mday to May, it is ordered that the time of holding the said Court be changed again, and held on he thir Monday in June, as heretofore A ropt - l'este, T. A. MOORE, Clerk.

March 24, 1853. Attention to Orders! T E Hatttown Company is ordered to parade, on Saturday the 24 of April; at 11 o'clock. Also, the North Belivar Company on the same day at 2 o'clock. The three companies, belooging to the front of Joseph Entler's Hotel on Saturday the 9th of April, at 11 o'clock The Lectown Company will parade in Lectown, Saturday the 16th of April, at 11 o'class. Also, the Smithfield Company on the same day, in front of Smith's Hotel, at 2 o'clock. The two Charlestown Companies will parade in Chariestown, on Saturday the 23d of April-one at Mrs. Ho i's at It n'elick; the other at the Market howe at 2 o'clock. The Madletown Company will parade at Kable-wn on Saturday the 30th of April, at 11 o'clock.

Br order of the Colorel, J. W. NOWAN, Adjt 55R'gt, V. M. March 24 1853 Chesput Rails. FOR sale 2000 Chesnu, Rails, W. MITTLE

To Teachers. A TEACHER possessing the necessary quali-ALBERT WRIGHT, Com. March 21, 1853 Wanted
TEACHER in School District No. 15 Salarv 8275. G. W. LITTLE, Comm.

A rv 8275. March 21, 1853. Journeyman Carpenter W ANTED immediately.
March 24 1852 B. TOMLINSON FRESH GARDEN SEED -I have justices ed a fresh supply of Shaker Sarden Seed.
March 3, 1853.

J. L. HOOF

McVeigh & Chamberlain,

A RE now receiving direct from New York and Boston, their Spring supply of GROCE-RIES. 4. and in store as follows: 105 hhds. N Orleans, P Rico and Cuba Sugar; 55 boxes Double Refined Loaf do; 25 bbis Crushed and Pulverized do;

Grapulated 105 hhds, Porto Rico, Trinidad, Cardenas and Sugar House Molasses; 100 bbis. New Orleans and Sugar House Syrup; 250 bays Green Rio Coffee; 175 "Old white Maricaibo, Laguara and Manills

150 " Pockett's government Java and Cuba Coffee; 75 chests Guspewder Tea; 50 - Imp and Y. Hyson du 25 - Binck The greater portion of our Teas are of recent im-

portation, and comprises medium and prime qualities. We partice any lavite the attention of dealers to examine them before making their purchases, the qualities and prices we consider the best guarantee.
20 tierces fresh beat Rice; 50 bags grain Pepper: 75 mats Cassia : 150 boxes ground Pepper and Ginger;

20 bags Race; 150 lbs, tresh Mace; 150 . dark and pale Rusin Soap; Pipes: Tallow Candles;

Sperm and Adamantine do; Ping Tobacco is and 8s to the lb.; Cavendish, medium to extra fine quality. 35 Jars Scented do do in Bladders; 50 boxes . Garretts ' Scotch Snuff in Bottles ; the records of said Court. Given under my hand 25.000 Principe-La Norma and Buena Vista Cigars ; 20,000 half Spanish 20,000 super or Havasnah 100 boxes Window Glass 8-10 and 10-12;

> Saleratus; 50 bales Wrapping Twine, 100 cerls Flor and Jute Rope; 50 doz cotton Plough Lines; 75 dozen painted Pails; 75 doz Corn Brooms; 200 haif and quarter hoxes Bunch Raisins; 100 drums tresh Figs; 10 bales Languedoc spft shell Almonds; 10 . Filberts : 250 reams No 1 and 2 Ruled Cap and Letter Paper;

25 casks sup. Cerbo Soda;

225 ... Cap and Double Wrapping 100 boxes fresh and prime Mustard; 75 " In ign; 150 " select Dairy Cheese; 35 " Italian Maccircui; 50 " Chocolate and Cocoa; 35 casks Old Madeira Wine; 45 " pile & brown Sherry do; 25 " Port do; 25 " Port do; 55 " Sweet Malaga do;

35 4 White (cooking) do; 35 baskets Coumpaigne (pints and quarts.) 35 tierees Pure Cider Vinegur, With a great va very or other articles too numerons to specify, all of which they offer to their customers, and or r hance generally, as cheap and on as favorable terms as can be bought in Baltimore. They respectfully solicit from merchants visiting this market, an examination of their assortment MCVEIGH & CHAMBERLAIN. Prince Street Whart, Alexandria, Va.

March 17 1853 Wells A. Harper & Co., Wholesale Dealers in Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, and STRAW GOODS.

A RE now in the receipt of their Spring Stock, purchased directly of the Manufacturers in New England, and comprising about-1500 Cases and Cartoons of the various descriptions of Goods in their line and consisting in part Men's extra fine Calf. Kip and Grain, Pump-sole Boots Thick Kip and Grain. Boy's fine Calf. Kip, Goat and Grain

Childrens' do do Men's Thick " fine Calf Kip, Seal and Goat " Unbown I K p and Call " Grain, Enameled and Calf Slippers. " Congress, Grey Union and Oxford Ties Boys' Calt. Kip and Unbound 'hildren's Ladies' Morocco Welt Buskins. Morocco Lind Enameled Rezette Slips a fine Kid Weit

Colored Linds · Silk i p Gaiters Frir has do. " Morneen Welt Bonts " Pat Tip Linds " Calf, Grain and Moro, co peg'd Buskins, TOTAL GREAT VARIETY. JI Misses Pat. Tip. Colored Links do Gaiters do Enamalled Slippers

" Calf. Kid, and Morocco Buskins. Children's Grain and Goat Lace Boots. Pat. Tip Linds. 4 Colored Gaiters. - Embossed Boots. IP With a large and general assortment of other Goods not enumerated They invite particular attention to their stock of HATS, CAPS, and STRAW GOODS, which will be found unusually large and desirable, consisting of Men's and Boys' fishionable Silk, Angola, and Brush Hats of the latest and most fash-

ma. Pearl Kossuth, Artist. Jenny Lind, Black Cass French Brush, White and Black Wood, with round and square crowns. Men and Boys Pedal Leghern Curacon Canton Braid, Panama John Leaf, French Straw and Chip do. Al-o Hair, Leather Travelling and Packing Trunks Values, &c . in great variety, with 2500 lbs. Shoe Thread, asserted D'All of which they are determined to sell as low as can be purchased in this or any of the Norther Markets, and respectfully request an early call from their Giends and purchasers generally, assuring them that every effort will be made to make it their interest to

deal with them . WELLS A. HARPER & CO. Prince Street Wharf, Alexandria, Va Externo Bigil. TAKEN up to spassing on the tarm of Mrs. Ma-ry Shirley, near Smithfield, an estray Bull, being white, with a black head and neck-4 or 5 years old-and appraised at \$20. The owner of the above estray is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him sway. WALTER SHIRLEY.

March 17, 1853 -3t For Rent. HAVE a HOUSE for rent with five rooms, L. knichen and cellar-also smoke house and oth-BENJ. TOMLINSON. er conveniences

For Rent. THE Property at present occupied by Rob't T. Brown, E-q. from the first of April next -Application made to N. S. WHITE, February 21 1953. Agen Situation Wanted. THE mother of a lad 16 years of age, is desi-

rous of getting a situation for him as an apprentice to some good trade Application may be made at the Free Press Office. January 6 1853 WIGON FOR SALE HAVE for sale a light Wagon with springs. I which I will sell on reasonable terms. It is suitable for one or two horses, and is so construct-

Feb. 17. 1853 SAMUEL C. YOUNG. For Bent THE OFFICE a joining my residence, and resion given jum d ately. W. J. HAWKS February 10 1853

ed as to be used with or without the bed

10.000 Pickles. or sale, at 75 cents per 100 J. F. BLESSING. March 17.

Sundries. POCKET and Embroidery Scissors, Mill-Saw Files, Tongue and Groove-plane-bits, Key Rings, Carpet Tacks with Leathers, Brass Head Nails, Brass Snuffers Cooper's Compasses, Bells for Hanging, Brand Axes Tar Buckets, Hook Hinges, Scotch E Hinges Wagon foxes &c. T. RAWLINS & SON. ast received. March 17 1853 Just Received.

BEST Mileria Wine for Medicinal purposes, per. Pure; hes Grand Mistard Clives, All-spice, and all other kinds of spices, Salad Oil &c March 17 1853. T. RAWLINS & SON. Groceries, PRIME N O Molasses Crushel, Loaf, Paland Dipped Cantles Adamanine and Sperin do., Coffee, Tea Chrese, and all kinds of groceries,

Murch 17, 1853. T. RAWLINS & SON. Country Produce Wanted. WILL take in exchange for Goods—Butter.

I Eggs. Lard. Bacan. Beeswax. Tallow and
Raggs, for which I will give the highest market
JOHN L. HOOFF. BERRYVILLE & CHARLESTOWN Tura-pike Tickets, for sale by March 3 LOCK, CRAMER & LINE.

1853 BALTIMORE SPAING TRADE.

THE undersigned Merchants Manufacturers Importers, and Jobbers, of Baltimore, would respectfully unite in calling the attention of mirchants and dealers to their large and varied stocks of goods, which they are prepared to sell on as rea-sonable terms as any other houses in this country. They invite an examination before purchasing

Collar Manufacturer, No. 42 South street, one door from Lombard street. The above articles are manufactured of the best materials, and the lowest prices. R L. is prepared to sell go ds as low as they can be purchased in any of the corthern or eastern cities, and pled ges himself to displicate any bill made in those cities. Call and satisfy your elves of the fact. J. IR WIN SMITH, Wholesale Druggist, No. 129 Prait street wharf, has for sale an assortment of Medicines, Drugs, Dyestuffs, Glass, Paints,

ROBERT LAWSON, Saddle, Harness, and

Oils, Varais es, de. CLARKE & JONES, Manufacturers of Steam-Refined Caridy, Sugar Toys, &c., and wholesale dealers in Foreign Fraits, Nuts, and Segars, No. 20 Light street. E. LARR BRE, No. 21 South Calvert st., Im-

Manufacture of fashionable Lasts, Boot Trees, and so constructed 53 feet from with a Portico the full length. Any one wishing to purchase, Refrigerator and Niagara Jet Shower Bath Depot, E LATTASSES Patent, No 21 S Calvert very moderate—but a small amount of the purstreet. R. J. BAH. 21- manufacturer of Chipped and

Ground Dee oods an dealers in Drestuffs Chent-

Ira C. Confield. IVan. B. Confield. Jos. II. Merahit.

icals and D - Silteries, 35 South Charles street

CAMPIELD, BRO. & CO., 223 Baltimore street, Wholesa's Watch and Jewelry Depos. C. B & Co. offer to the trade an extensive asortinen of best quality Gold Watches, rich Jewelry, elegant Fine, Guals, Bronzes, Clocks Guns, Bevolvers, Table and Pocket Chilery, Watchma-kers' Pools and M terials, &c. SAMSON CARISS 110 Baltimore street Im-

porter of Presch and Sig ish Hardware, Portrait and Pieture Frances, Cornice, and every description of Gill Work A. E. WARNER, Manu acturer of Silver Ware. fine Gold Jewelry, and importer of Silver Plated Ware, &c., No. 10, N Gay street. Carpeting, Oil Cloths, Matting, &c .- JOHN TURNBULE, 212 Butimore street, importer and wholesale and retail dealer in Carpeting, &c., has on hand an a sociaent not surpassed by any store in the country. 1900 roll- matting just received. GEORGE W. MORLING. 25) Baltimore street,

would call attention to his superior stock of read made Spring and Summer Goals adapted to Gen tlemen's wear Fine Gold Watches of every variety; rich Gold Jeweiry; Plated Baskets; Castors; Candlesticks Waiters; elegant Pearl Jewelry. Silver Ware -Silver Forks and Spoons, Tea Sets, Pitch rs, Waiters, &c. &c., manufactured and for sale at the lowest prices by SAMUEL KIRK & SON, Gold and Silver smiths, 172 Baltimore st. Hats! Hats! Hats! The best quality of Hats at \$1. Call at QUAIL'S Fashionable Hat Emparium, No. 201 Prast street, adjoining Washington WATKINS DUNGAN & WAESCHE whole-

sale dealers in Shoes, Boots, Hats, Caps, Bonneta, &c., 232 Baltimore st. GRAND AND SQUARE PIANOS. KNABF, GIEHLE & CO.,

Extensive manufacturers Nos. 2, 4, 6, 8 and 9 Entare street. First Premium awarded for three successive years. Sole Agents for Carhart's Parent Melodeon. Phoenix Marbie Works, corner of Shup and German streets. Marble Monuments, a d various kinds of Grave-Stones of near and beautiful designs ALEYANDER GADDES. MATTHEWS, HYDE & SMITH importers and dealers in Fereign and Domestic Hardware,

Cutlery, Guns. Saidlery, &c., corner of Baltimore and Liberty sts. WM. HARRIS Gan. R.f. and Pistol make. No. 65 S and street. Constantly on hand Bird and Dick Guis, Six barret Pistols, Self-cocking do . Colt's do., Sportenea's Equipments, Repairing Saddles, Brilles, Harness, Trunks, Collars, and

all articles in the trade, wholesale and retail as low as they can be had in any market, at No 6 Light street, opposite Fountain Hotel BARTUS WILKINS THOMAS E MEGRAW. (successor to W. Ramsey,) Brush Manufactuser, No. 11 N Howard street, has constantly on hand as good an assort-ment of Brushes, of every variety, as can be found in the city or elsewhere wholesale or retail. Cot ton Gin, Diessed, Fulling, and other Brushes for Factory use, warranted of he best quality. Also,

sole manufacturer of Stanley's improved Paint and Varnish Brashes. John Higbie R. H. Smith. WILLY & CO., Manufacturers and dealers in Alcohol of all proofs, Etherial Oil, Camphine, Pine Oil, Lamps, Gas-Fixtures, &c. willesa e and retail. 274 Bittim re street [ Silengents for Newell's Patent S tety Lumps Orders from a distance promptly attended

Men and Boys' Cossae, Kossuth, Pearl Coss. Pana- to at lowest prices. JESSE MARDEN, manufacturer and wholesale dealer in Patent Platform Scales, Patent Balances, and Seiles of every description. South Charles street, between Lombard and Pratt streets. SISSON & BARD, Steam Marble Works corner North and Manufacturent streets. Marble Maniels from \$12 to \$500 Monum ats Tombs Grave Stones, Furn ture Slats, Tiles, &c., at reduced

N. A. McCOMAS manufacturer of Guns Rifles and Single Partel and Revolving Pistols, 41 Pratt street near Gay Ail the above articles kept constantly on hand KEEN & HACGERTY, No 37 South Calvert | McPherson assignes of said decree. street, and No 12 Baltimore street, manufacturers of Tin. Sheet Iron and Japanned Ware. Bath

Tubs, &c. Haus keeping articles of every descrip-Cedar Tar, the most successful remedy now in use for the cure of Consumption Bronchisis. Coughs Colds, Ashma Daspepsia Piles, King's Evil, Diseases of the Kolneys, Liver Rhenmatism, &c. The Cedar Tar produces more home testimony than any other medicine and is recommended by the best physicians. Prepared by Mrs. B. B. NORRIS, 343 Baltimore str et. For sale by the principal draggists throughout the country-\$1

per bottle or 6 for-85. GOULEY'S Calabrated Vegetable Bitters, No. 38 Beltimore street, wholesale and retail. Orders promptly forwarded to any part of the country.-Address C Gouley, 38 Baltimore street. March 3, 1853 - 6t

FLOUR & GENERAL COMMISSION

HUSINESS. THE undersigned late of the firm of Wood & Danner at Winchester Va., takes this oppositunity to extend to his friends his heartfelt thanks for their liberal patronage since a resident of this city, and begs leave to inform them that he has inken Store-house No 4 South Howard Street, lately occupied by Mr Jone N. Bell, and formerly by the fate ELIAS SHAW, together with Store-house No 2 gives him ample room. And he is now pre-AND GENERAL COMMISSION BUSINESS. The location is a good one for the sale of all kinds of contatry produce, and he respectfully solicits your

He will also give strict attention to the purchase of Plaster, Salt Fish Graceries, Guano, or any thing else, and his knowledge of the wants of the Agricultural and Mercantile community, are such that he feels warranted in assuring them that con-DICKLES of a superior quality on hand and signments or order, with which he may be favored will be promptly and taithfully attended to. MICHAEL DANNER.

No 2 4 4 South Howard St. Bahimore, March 10, 1853.—6m. The London Watch and Jewelly STOR No. 10 Light Street. Four Doors from Baltimore S. Opposite the Fountain Hotel, Bultimors.

THE subscriber after 10 years experience in the Fusi Cities of Europe, would inform Cities is and Strangers, who are in want of a good Watch, that for quality of Workmanship, his Watches dely FINE LONDON WATCHES Which few in this Country possess being pe send-th acquainted with the most eminent Lenden Mas-ucu turers.

J. ALEXANDER. Lucof J M Fr ach's Rwal Erchange, Lincon. Fine Watches at I Jewelry repaired properly.
All Lordon Watches sold at this E tablishment. Wattanted Free of Cost for Four years. February 10, 1833 -1y.

Bargains! Bargains!! WILL sell in front at the Court House, on the first day of March Court, six Second hand Carringes in good repair, on a credit of six months.

The for consists of I Ramily Carriage, 2 Ba-Ouches, 2 Carryal a and 2 Buggies C. G. BRAGO. CHEAP DRY GOODS —I have a large assortment of Calices which I will sell very elecab.

March 3, 1853.

J. L. HOOFF.

FARM FOR SALE.

THE undersigned wishes to sell, at private sale,

I his FARM, situated in Jefferson co., Virginia, about five miles west of Charlestown the county seat, and within two and half miles of Cameron's Depot, on the Winchester and Potomae Railroad, and about one and a footh miles from the Turnpike leading from Middleway to Harpers-Ferry, adjoining the lands of Robert V. Shirley, John W. Packett, James Grantham and others, containing about 222 ACRES more or less of Limestone Land. The improvements consist of

Land. The improvements consist of a D welling-house, Stable, Corn-house, Smok-house, &c., and a never-failing well of water near the house, with a young oredard of choice fruit lately planted. Those desiring to purchase will do well to call on the subscriber at Hopewell Mills, near Lesings 10 purchase. scriber at Hopewell Mills, near Lectown, Jefferson county, Va., or on Mr. Nathan Barns, who is now the present occupant of said farm The Terms will be made reasonable, and possession given on the first day of April next.

JOHN CHAMBERLIN.

March 17, 1853—tf

FOR SALE. HE large BRICK DWELLING HOUSE on Calon Street Bolivar, belonging to Rachel Gannon, and n. w occupied by hersels and Mr. U. porter of Shor Threads, Tools, and Findings, and McGinnis. it is sufficiently large for two families

March 17, 1852. CHAS. JOHNSON.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE By virtue and under the authority of a decree of the Circuit Court of the county of Jefferson, rendered Oct. 28, 1852 in causes therein pending in which Margaret Carrell is plaintiff, and Samuel Gib-on, &c., de endints and lause Fouke Trustee. plaintiff and the same defendent -as commission ers appointed by said decree, and for the purpose of carrying out the same we will offer for sale, on the pr mises, on SATURDAY the 9th day April, 1853 that valuable TAVERN PROPERT ; in the occupancy of Mrs Marg't Carrell at Harpers Ferry, and consisting of both the building fronting on thestreet, occupied in part by A. M. Cridler as an Apothecary's shop, and the large and commodious Hotel building fronting on the Rail Road—the two

together affording ample room for a first class Ho-This property is so well known as combining every advantage for accommodating travellers by the Rail Road, that any further description of it is deemed unnecessary -particularly as any one wishing to purchase will doubtless examine for himself. Terms of sale as prescribed by the decree onefourth cash—the residue in nine, eighteen and twenty four months with interest from the day of sale; the purchaser giving bond and good securi y for the

deterred payments to be secured by deed of trust on ANDREW HUNTER. WM C WORTHINGTON. | Comm. March 10, 1853. Bultimore American, Tri- Weekly, publish till sole

and send bill to this office. Parm for Rent.

Young & Osborn, Plaintiff. Clip's Executor and others, Defendants, IN CHANCERY. Y virtue of a decree made in this cause on the 25th of Octo er, 1852, I will Rent on the 1st of April next, to the highest hidder, publickly, at the front door of the Court House of Jefferson county, the TRACT OF LAND, lately the property of John Clip cee'd, called the "H me Place." for a

period of one year from the 1st day of April aforesaid—taking bond and approved security for the payment of the rent as the end of the year. LAWSON BOTTS, Spec. Com. March 10. 1853-tr Trustee Sale of Land.

DURSUANT to a decree of the late Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery for the County of Jefferson, in the State of Virginia, proconneed on the 5th day of June, 1848, in a suit in which Humphrey Keyes is plaintiff in Chancery, and Samuel Strider and others are defendants, I shall sell to the highest bidd or a public auction, on FRIDAY the 1st day of April next, before the front door of the Court-House, of said County on the terms hereafter mentioned. Twenty-seven and a half ACRES OF LAND, in sald County, undivided, being the same which was conveyed by Samuel T. Strider and Ann Rebecca his wife, to said Humphrey Keyes by deed bearing date the 15th day of S. ptember, 1836, which is of record in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of said County, in which said deed the said land is described as being a part of said Samuel T Strider's interest in a tract of land in said County, containing one hundred and sixty five acres, adjoining the land of Hinkle's he'rs, Jonathan Kearsley, Jesse Moore, and John and Samuel Strider, which said part of said tract is farther described as being inherited by the said Samuel T Strider from his tather and free from the dower of his mother, and was atterwards conveyed by said Humphrey Keyes and wife to said Samuel Strider, by deed bearing date the 20th of November, 1836 of record in said Cierk's Office, and by said Samuel Strider to John Strider and John Keyes, as trustees, by deed dated Nov. 20 1836, of record in said Clerk's Office, to secure to said Humphrey Keyes the purchase money, which said deeds are exhibited in said suit. The said sale wil! be made to raise the amount of said decree, viz. the sum of four hundred and thirty-one dollars and fifty cents, with interest thereon at six per centum per annum from the 1st day

of October, 1839 till pand and the plaintiff's costs expended in said suit. The terms of the sale will be, one-third in cash, and the residue on a credit of six and twelve months from day of saie, in two equal payments. Bond and a deed of trust on the premises sold, to be taken, to secure the deferred payments. The sale will be made for the use of Robert G.

JOHN KEYES, March 3 1853. Attrac ive and Valuable Property for Sale.

THE undersigned is authorized to sell that L highly attractive and beautiful Watering place in the Valley of Vinginia known as "THE SHANNONDALE SPRINGS." These Springs have been resorted to by the votary of pleasure as well as by the invalids, for the last thirty years, and their healing waters and beautiful Mountain Scenery have been the theme of many an elequent and able pen. Attached to Shannondale are nearly two hondred acres of fortile soil, and the improvements consist of a very commodious brick building and a

number of comfortable caluns, calculated to ac-

commodate several hundred guests. About three thousand dollars worth of good furniture belonging

to the concern. This property in the hands of

SHANNONDALE SPRINGS!

one or two enterprising men could be made to vield a handsome income. The Springs are in the County of Jefferson, which is celebrated for its fine Society—and visitors to Shannondale can leave Washington or Baltimore, after an early breakfast and dine at the Springs. A great bargain can be R. H. GALLAHER, General Agent,

January 27, 1853. Warlington, D C. Jefferson Land for Sale. T WISH to sell two small Farms of good lime-A stone LAND - me containing 150 deres, with good buildings, crehard, &c., adjoining the lands of John Lock, Fisher A. Lewis and the beirs of Daniel MoPherson dee'd-about 40 acres in timber. The other on the Shenaudoah river, containing 123 deres first rate Lan., with 30 acres in timber-a Dwelling House on the same, and adjoining the Lands of George L. Barris and Dr. John H. Lewis' heirs. For terms &c. which will be made easy, apply to the undersigned at Mverstown, or by letter (post-paid) to Kabletown,

Jefferson county. Va. JOSEPH MYERS. January 20, 1853. 340 Reward. ANAW AY from the subscriber, on the 19th of February, a Negro Man named

LEWIS, about 24 years of age, belonging to the estate of the tate J. J. H. Gunnell, who was sent to Mr. John H. Buitz of Berkeley courty. In order to be hiredon Mr Boltz complaining with the terms he was directed to return with a bond for approval. I am informed that the said negro claims the right to hire himself. Also, a Negro Woman named CAROLINE, aged about 22 years has cloped from the service of

Mr. N. Shauli of this county, to shear I bired her. Notice is hereby given to all persons, warning them against employing or harbering said negroes under the penalty of the law, made said provided for In such cases.

The above reward will be given for the abine and securing said negroes in the county jell, or the sum of \$30 as above for either one of them, and notifying me of the fact. As to the matterior their final disposition under the cill of any total or I have filed a bill in equity in order that the country in the country of their states of the premises.

THOS HITE Executor

March 10 1853

OFF. I H. Gonnett dec'd in such cases.

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### VARIETY. THE POOR CLERK'S SONG.

Fellow clerks! cheerily Work away, wearily.
Heart stricken, drearily?
Nor seek to labor save!
There's rest beyond the grate Toil, slave and pen

For your masters, What then? Why, all disasters!

Il health and hard pain, sad spirits and sorrow;
The same course to-day—the same race to-morrow;
What if the rich do make us toil and slave

For a bore pittance, our mean lives to save? Never mind your health, Never mind your soul, Pile up their wealth, In misery roll!

But, for their conscience sake, keep from your grave
Alas! what a pity,

That in this great city, The rich have contro O'er the poor man's soul : While we slave-powerless, See them save—conscienceless, And the crumbs from their table, As long as we're able; To stand and to write Without e'en the light Of a home, or a sight
Of comfort's cheer, bright
Are given unto us—'tis charitable!!!

God save the mark! These poor sordid wretches, With conscience that like the rubber string stretche May keep their bad money, Their ease and their hosey Of life, and in wealth ever roll;

Then work away cheerily, Fellow clerks, wearily, Heart-stricken, drearily,
"God strengthens the suffering soul." SONG OF THE DECANTER.

> There was an old decanter, and its mouth was gaping wide! the rosy wine had ebbed away, and left And the wind humming, up and side it flew reed-like, hollow neck,

the wildest notes it blew. I placed it in the blowing free, and fancied that its pale mouth sang the queerest strains to me; 'They tell me—puny conquerors! the
Plague has slain his ten, and War his
hundred thousands of the very best of men:
but I,' 'twas thus the bottle spake, 'but
I have conquered more than all your famous conquerers, so feared and famed

of yore. Then, come, ye youths and maidens all, come drink from out my cup, the beverage that dull the brain and burns the spirit up! that puts to shame the conquerors that slay their scores below; for he has deluged millions with the lava tide of wo. Though in the paths of battle, darkest waves of blood may roll; yet while I killed the body, I have damn'd the very soul. The cholera: the plague; the sword; wro't, as I, in

on the innocent And still I breathe upon Them, and they shrink before my breath; and year by year my

We never knew a scolding man that was able to govern a family. What makes people scold? Because they cannot govern themselves. How can they govern others? Those who govern well are generally calm. hey are prompt and resolute, but steady

The reply of an enlightened mahomadan to a missionary is characteristic of the race of Moslems :- "Your religion," said he. "gives me three gods and one wife ; mine gives three wives and one Ged : I prefer my own"

A man with eleven daughters was lately complaining that he found it hard to "You must husband your time," said mnether, "and then you will do well enough." "I could do much better," was the reply, "if I could husband my daughters,"

A man recently purchased a link of sausage, 'long drawn out,' and was nearly | due publication of this order, and do what is neceschoked to death by a piece of a brass collar, marked 'Fido.' How the collar got into the sausage, is the question.

Rabbi Jeshua once met a boy who carried semething in a covered vessel. 'My boy,' said the Rabbi, 'what have you in your covered vessel?'

'If it was intended for you to knew,' replied the boy, 'it would not have been cov-Why are most persons who eat turkey, like babies ?

Because thay are fend of the breast. A leveller, perceiving two crows flying side by side, exclaimed-

'Aye, that's just as it should be; I hate to see one crow over another. Mr. Swipes, I've just kicked your William out of doors.'

Well, Mr. Swingle, it's the first Bill you've footed this many a day." "De you like nevels?" asked Miss

tell you, I'm some on possums." Medesty is a handsome dish-over. that makes us fancy there must be some-

thing underneath it. There is only one thing less profitable than eneing people, and that is going se-

When Adam got tired of naming his two miles from the latter place, will be for Rent numerous descendants, he said " Let the rest be named Smith." Gentlemen desirous of serving their

sleved sountry is some efficial capacity "The office holders are all in a sweat,"
Said an office hoper, with explication,
"True," said old Roger, "I never yet
Saw such a General Pierce-piratics."

In what constellation ought the sun he in every morning? Aries (srise.)

Why is a good Odd Fellow like a

an smoking a signr?

Because he enjoys his Regalis,

'My wife died last night, and I can't

beday, charved a town erier to one of

This is a fine day,' as the man who leaded to attend his militie drill said to mine a cord of we'd cost six

Virginia, to wit:

AT rules teld in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit
Court of Jefferson County, on the 8th March, 1853,
Charles H. H. Brown, and Thomas C. Watkins,
Francis D. Dungan and George Rust, interpartners
Walkins Dungand. under the name and firm of Walkins, Dungan & Rust, Plaintiffs,

Millon II More, and John II. Board and John J.
H. Straith, late partners a ider the name and firm
of J. H. Beard & Co., America Munter, Nothan S.
White, Richard Duffield, the Sheriff of Jefferson
County, John B. Puckell and Louisa Washington,
Defendants. IN CHANCERY.

THE object of this suit is to review and reverse a decree of the late Circuit Seperior Court of Law and Chancery for Jefferson county, of October term, 1849 dismissing the bill of the plaintiffs, in a suit in which the plaintiffs in this suit were plaintiffs and the defendants in this suit were defendants, and fur her to set aside a sale of certain negroes to the defendant Millian H. Moore, and to change the demands of the plaintiffs on them and change the demands of the plaintiffs on them and on their hires, or annual value, since the caid sale thereof, made by Themas Russerford, Deputy Sheriff of Jefferson county, under certain executions which were in his hands and levied of the goods and cuattles of the defendant John B. Packett. It appearing by affidavit filed in this suit that the defendant John H. Beard is not a resident of this State, he is hereby required to appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and de what is necessary to protect his interest in this matter. It is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Free Press, and posted at the front door of the Court-house of this Courty, on the first day of the next County Court. A copy - Teste, March 10. R. T. BROWN, Clerk.

Virginia, to wit: AT rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Jefferson county, on the 7th day of March,

Luke Tierman Brien, Plaintiff. against Isabella A. Brien, Defendant,

IN DEBT THE object of this suit is to recover judgment I for the amount of two judgments rendered in the Superior Court of Baltimore city, in the State of Maryland, recovered by the plaintiff against the defendant for debt, interest, charge of protest and costs of suit, and to attack the effects of the defendant in this State, but particularly a piece or par-cel of land situated on the bank of the Potomac, in the county of Jefferson, called the 'Oar Bank,' and subject the same to the satisfaction of the judgment

of the said Circuit Court. It ap earing by affidavit filed in this suit that the defendant is not a resident of this State, she is hereby required to appear here within one wonth afterdue publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this matter. It is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Free Press, and posted at the front door of the Court-House of this county, on the first day of the next County Court. A copy-Teste.

March 10. '53. R. T. BROWN, Clerk.

Virginia, to wit: AT rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Jefferson county, on the 8th day of March, Rebecca Hunter, executrix of Joseph E. Lane, dec'd.

against Plaintiff Ann Virginia Frazer, Catharine Jane Frazer and Evalune Lear Frazier, and Horace R. Riadle and Sarah R. his wife, and Elizabeth P. Hunter and Mary J. E. Hanter, IN CHANCERY.

THE object of this suit is to obtain from the court L a proper construction of so much of the Will of Joseph E. Lane, of Jefferson county, Va., as makes certain bequests to the defendants Ann Virginia Frazer, Catharine Jane Frazer and Evaline Lear Frazer, who are not residents of this Com-It appearing by affidavit filed in this suit that the defendants Ann Virginia Frazer, Catharine Jane Frazer, and Evaline Lear Frazer, are not residents of this State, they are hereby required to appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this matter. It is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Free Press, and post-

ed at the front door of the Court house of this coun-

ty, on the first day of the next County Court.

A copy-Teste, R. T. BROWN, March 10, 1853. Virginia, to wit:

AT rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circui Court of Jefferson county, on the 8th March, 1853, Mason Bennet and Mary Elizabeth his wife,

Plaintiffs against John Longbrake, Jacob Cookus and Margaret his Delendants,

wife, and Jacob Longbrake, IN DEBT. THE object of this suit is to obtain a decree a gainst the defendant Jacob Longbrake in favor of the plaintiffs, for the distribution share of the eaid Mary Elizabeth, of the balance found due against the said Jacob on settlement of his accounts as administrator of Wm. Michaels, dec'd; the said Mary Elizabeth being an only child and entitled as distributee to two-thirds of said balance; and to attack any estate, property or effects, of the said defendant within this State, or debts due, or to become due, from either of the other defendants, to him. and subject the same to the payment of the said

It appearing on affidavit filed in this suit, that the defendant Jacob Longbrake, is not a resident of this State, he is hereby required to appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this matter. It is further ordered, that a copy hereof be published once a week for tour successive weeks in the Virginia Free Press, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this County on the first day of the next County Court. A copy - Teste,
March 10. R. T. BROW'N, Clerk.

Virginia, to wit: AT rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, on the 7th March, 1853, Cypriam A. Morton and James S. Wilson, partners under the firm of Morton & Wilson, Plaintiffs, against William McMurran, Defendant

in assumpsit The object of this suit is to recover judgment for the amount of the Plaintiff's-claim due by a negotiable note, on which the said Wm. McMurran is endorser, and to attach the effects and ands of the defendant in this State, and subject there to the satis action of the said judgment. Itappearing by affidavit filed in this suit that the defendant is not a resident of this State, he is hereby required to appear here within one month after sary to protect his interests in this matter. It is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks, in the Virginia Free Press, and posted at the front door of the Court

house of this County, on the first day of the next County Court. A copy—Teste, March 10, 1853. R. T. BROWN Clerk. NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Tiustees of Charlestown will make application to the Legislature of Virginia, for the enactment of a law empowering them to extend the limits of Charlestown, or for an increase of power, whereby the interests of the corporation may be defended, and THE TRUSTEES. Dec. 23, 1852.

Wanted. A NY number of Bushels of prime WHEAT-both red and white and for which the highest market price will be paid. One of our firm will be in Charlestown every Friday where we will meet those who desire to sell:

Jan't 13, 1853,-ti. BLACKBURN & CO.

NOTICE. Fitzgerald of her country lover. "I can't the TAXES for this year are now due. They will expect prompt parment.

JOHN W. MOORE. Sheriff.

ROBERT LUCAS, Ja., D. S., JAS. W. CAMPBELL, D. S. Jefferson County, Nov. 18, 1852. A HOUSE TO LET. THE Dwelling occupied during the past year by the Rev. D. A. TYNG situated on the Smithfield and Charlestown Turnpike, and about

from 1st April. Terms may be known by applying to BRAXTON DAVENPORT. January 25, 1863-tf. TO THE PUBLIC.

IN connexion with my business as Constable, I offer my services as AUCTIONEER in this part of the County—those disposed to patronise me can leave word with the editor or write to me at Chorlestown, Jefferson county, Va. All business will be promptly attended to.

C. G. BRAGG, Constable.

April 18, 1851.

PAY YOUR TOWN TAXES. TO THE CITIZENS OF CHARLESTOWN.

THE Corporation Tax is now due, you wil I therefore be prepared to pay when called on, as I have but little time to collect them and money C. G. BRAGG. TOWOTHY SEED. Just received and for REYES & KEARSLEY!

Virginia, to wit:
AT rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, on the cat daylof March, The Bank of the Valley in Virginia,

PLAINTIEF. George G. Grove, George W. Sappington Jr., Trustee, Wyeth & Norris, the name of the several partners unknown John Cush ing, George Echart & Co., the names of the several partners anknown, J. H. Morseton, Elms & Seevers, the names of the several partners unknown, J. M. Kellog, Ashhunt & Remington, the names of the several partners unknown, Harvey, Faylor & Fris-by, the names of the several partners un-known, Smith, Murphy & Ga, the names of the several partners unichown, and Williamson, Burrough & Co, the namos of the several partners unknown. Defendants.

in chancery, and George W. Ginn, PUAINTIFF. agzinst DEFENDENTS.

The object of the above named suit and the Pe ion in chancery last named, is to subject a tract of land of the defendant Grove lying in Jefferson County, to two judgments rendered in the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, in factour of the said Valley Bank, against the said decidant Grove, and to a judgment rendered in the Circuit Court of of Frederick County, in favour of the said George W. Ginn, against the said defendant Grove. Said tract of land being the same which was conveyed by said Grove to said George W. Sappington, Jr., for the benefit of the abovenamed absent defendants and others ...

It appearing by affidavit filed in this suit that the defendants, George W. Sappington, Jr., John Cushing, J. H. Morseton, J. M. Kellog, and Wyeth Norris, George Echhart & Co., Eleas & Seevers, Ashhunt & Remmington, Harvey, Taylor & Frisby, Smith Murphy & Co., and Williamson, Burough & Co., the several partners in the said firms being unknown, are not residents of this state, they are hereby required to appear here within one month after due publication of this onler, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this matter: It is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week, for four successive weeks in the "Virginia Free Press," and posted at the front door of the Court House of this County, on the first day of the next County Court. A Copy—Teste, R. T. FROWN, March 10 1853.

JEFFERSON MACHINE SHOP, IRON AND BRASS FOUNDRY.

Old Things done away and all things become News. THE subscribers respectfully call the attention

of the Farming community to their very large assortment of Farming Implements, comprising every kina of implement used by the

farmer to facilitate and cheapen his operations, in-

cluding our celebrated Patent Premium Thresher and Cleaner, which received the first premium over the New | and style of putting up, and we take pleasure in recom-York Pitt Machine and several others at the Mary- | mending them." land State Agricultural Fair last tall; also, at the Defendants | Washington County Fair, Hagerstown, Md., and at our Valley Fair, Charlestown-which for simplicity, durability, and capacity, has no equal in the world. By a recent improvement we can make the machine clean all kinds of grain perfectly clean for market, taking out all cheat, smut, and light wheat if wished, saving altogether the use of a Wheat Fan; thus saving the farmer two-thirds his expense over the common thresher, requiring but eight hands and from six to eight horses to thresh from 200 to 400 bushels per day, perfectly clean for the mill. This has never been accomplished by any other machinist but ourselves, and all sceptive minds can have their doubts removed by trying one and if they cannot do what we have represented we will take the machine back without charge. Shop price of our Thresher and Cleaner from

\$250 to \$275, that is: Thresher and Chaffer. Ditto Improved Cleaner, Horse-Power, Old Castings bought at the highest price, and aken in exchange for work. ZIMMERMAN & CO. Feb. 10, 1853.

Meat-Eater , Attention! THE undersigned have been compelled hereto fore to do business under many disadvantages, having to pay cash for all stock perchased, and sell the same upon a credit of at least 12 months.— The Trustees of Charlestown, however, having esablished a Market, which has thus far been most liberally patronized, necessity upon the part of ourselves no less than what we conceive to be the interest of our customers, compels us to give notice, that hereafter we shall keep the market regularly

supplied with the best BEEF, MUTTON AND VEAL, which money or labour can procure, and to be sold at the Lowest Prices which our purchases will afford, for Cash only. As this rule will operate not only to our own advantage, but subserve the interest of our customers, we hope to be able greatly to enlarge our business during the year, and furnish such articles of Meat as have never before been seen in the Charlestown Market, and at prices of which none can complain. Those indebted on "old scores," are requested to settle up immediatel;, as all our capital no

less than our profits, are distributed among the community at large. WM. JOHNSON, Jan'y 6, 1853. SAML C. YOUNG.

GOODS AT COST! A Large and Splendid Stock

Goods at Cost, for Cash. THE undersigned having concluded 1d change his business, has determined to close out his STOCK OF GOODS

by the 1st day of April next. He therefore offers his entire Stock of Goods, for Casa, and respectfully invites the attention of all who wish to obtain great bargains to give him an early call, as he is etermined to sell. His stock consists, in part, as Plain, Black, Changeable and Plaid Silks;

Black Mohair Lustre, Black and figured Alpacca Lustre; A large stock of Merinoes, and Mouslin de Lanes; Second Mourning do; Plain and Striped Cambric, and Plain and Fignred Swiss;

Berages, Berage de Laines, and Lawas of every quality : Calicoes and Ginghams of all patterns and prices Silk Laces and Fringes, and French-worked Col-Ladies' Kid, Silk and Lisle Thread and Cotton

Gloves; Ladies' Silk, Cashmere, Lambs-wool and Cofton A large assortment of Cambric and Swiss Edgings and Inserting; Red and White Flannels, Checks, Blown and

Blezched Muslins. A general assortment of Queensware; Black, Brown, Blue and Olive Cloth; Black and Fancy Cassimeres, a great variety and Cassimere, Silk and Marsailles Vesting; Cassinetts, Tweeds, and Jeans, all qualities and

Silk Pocket Handkerchiefs and Cravais, &c;

Also a large variety and general assoriment of Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps, And a general assortment of Hardware, Qucensware, Books, Stationery, Paints, Drugs, &c. JOHN G. RIDENDUR.

Feb. 10, 1853-t1 A. N. B .- All persons knowing themselves indebted to me by open account are respectfully requested to call and close the same by cash or note. As I have never made a call of this kind upon my friends before, I hope this one will be attedded to, as I am desirous to close up my business as soon as possible. JOHN G. RIDENOUR. Harpers-Ferry, February 10, 1853.

A Cooper Wanted,

To a man of steany habits, with a small frimily I will furnish a dwelling house, to which wood and water is convenient. Possession given on the first day of November next.
October 21, 1852. GEO. BACKHOUSE.

DLATED Table Spoans and Forks. Albata Table and Teaspoons. Wire strengthened Britannia, Iron and German Silver spoons, just received by T. RAWLINS & SON LOVERSEED - 25 bashels Cloverseed, Peb. 17, 1853. HARRIS & RIDENCISE

COOK STOVES.—Always on band a sample of the very best Cook Savres now in one, and rery cheap. T. RAWLINS & SON. IME, LIME.—Just monived a supply of Lime Le for whiteworking. H. L. BBY a SON. Patrony 96, 1629.



ANODYNE CHERRY EXPECTORANT S confidently recommended to Invalids, as unas in surpassed by any known preparation, for the cure of Congla, Hourseness, and other forms of Common Codes; Bronchills, Asthma, Croup, Consumption in an Early Stage, and for the relief of the Patient even in Advanced Stages of that Fatal Disease.

It combines, in a scientific manner, remedies of long esteemed value, with others of more recent discovery, and besides its soothing and tonic onalities, acts through and besides its socthing and tonic qualities, acts through the skin gently, and with great efficacy, for the cure of this class of diseases.

Stabler's Diarrhea Cordial is a pleasant Mixture, compounded in agreement with the rules of Pharmacy, of therapeutic agents, long known and celebrated for their peculiar efficacy in Curing DIARRHEA, 4 similar affections of the sysem. In its action, it allows nausea and produces a healthy condition of the LIVER, thus removing the ause at the same time that it cures the disease.

The valuable Medicines above named have recently been introduced, with the approval of a number of the Medical Profession in the City of Baltimore and elsewhere, and in practice have succeeded most admirably in curing the diseases for which they are prescribed. They are offered to the Country Practitioner, as medicines which he can in all respects depend upon, as prepared in agreement with the experience of some of the most learned and judicious Physicians, and strictly in conformity with the rules of Pharmacy, and as esecially serving his convenience, who cannot so readi y as the City Physician have his own prescription compounded by a practical Pharmaceutist.

See the descriptive Pamphlets, to be had gratis of all who have the Medicines for sale, containing recommendations from Doctors Martin, Baltzell, Addison,

Doct. S. B. Martin, says "I do not hesitate to recom-mend your Diarrhow Cordial and Anodyne Cherry Ex-Doct. John Addison, says "It gives me much pleasure to add my testimony to that of others, in favor of the Extraordinary efficacy of your Diarrhea Cordial."
4c.; and of the Expectment, "I have no hesitation in commending it, as a most valuable medicine," &c.
Doct. R. A. Payne, says he has used the Diarrhaa Cordial in his practice "with the happiest effect, and thinks it one of the most convenient and efficient com-

inations ever offered to our profession." Doct. L. D. Handy, writes, "I have administered your Anodyne Expectorant, in several cases of Bron-chial affection, with the most happy results, and from a knowledge of its admirable effects, I can with the greatest confidence recommend it," &c. Doct, W. S. Love, writes to us that he has adminisdo much more harm than good, therefore avoid them.
A word to the wise is sufficient. Address
DR. J. B. SMITH, No. 16, S. Frederick st... tered the Expectorant to his wife, who has had the Bronchitis for fourteen years, and that she is fast recovering from her long standing malady. It has in a few weeks done her more good than all the remedies she has heretofore used under able medical counsel. Sixteen of the best Apothecaries and Pharmaceutists in the City of Baltimore, write "We are satisfied the

preparations known as Stabler's Anodyne Cherry Exectorent and Stabler's Diarrhaa Cordial are med cines of great value and very efficient for the relief and cure of the diseases for which they are recommended, they bear the evidence of skill and care in their preparation Twenty-seven of the most respectable Merchants, who have sold and also used these medicines them- for the purpose of establishing an Agricultural Inselves, say, "From our own experience and that of our customers, we do confidently recommend them Pro

Bono Publico. We have never known any remedies used for the diseases for which they are prescribed, to be so efficient and to give such entire satisfaction to The above natices of recommendation from members of the Medical Faculty. Pharmaceutists of high standing, and Merchants of the first respectability, should be sufficient to satisfy all, that these medicines are worthy of trial by the afflicted, and that they are of a different stamp and class from the "Quackery" and "Cure Alls" so much imposed upon the public.

For sale by Druggists, Apothecaries and Country

Store-keepers generally.

E. H. STABLER & CO. Wholesale Druggists, 120 Pratt Street, Baltimore. AGENT in Charlestown, Tho Rawlins & Son; Harpers-Ferry, T. D. Hammond; Winchester, L. P. Hartman; Middletown, J. S. Danner & Son; Newtown, John Allemong & Son; and by Merchants generally. February 3, 1853.—1y

CARRIAGES AND HARNESS.

THE subscriber begs leave to return his sincere A thanks for the very liberal patronage he has received during the last thirteen years he has been engaged in Coach Making in Charlestown; and as this is the commencement of a new year, and "settling up time," he would most respectfully request all who know themselves indebted to call and settle. As there are some few accounts that have not been

settled for the last ten years, he would suggest a settlement, and then be perfectly willing to go in for another ten. He has a large assortment of CARRIAGES of ill kinds, which he will sell low for cash or on credit, to suit the purchaser; or make to order any description of CARRIAGES. He has now on hand, Jenny Lind Coaches, six-passenger; Rockaways, four and two-passenger; Buggies, ditto; Carryoles and Barouches. Also, a large stock of second hand Carriages, which will be sold very low. Coach, Barouche and Buggy Harness, from \$15

to \$100, made of the best material, and in approved workmanship. Carriages and Harness repaired at short notice. W. J. HAWKS.

Warehouse at the Old Furnace.

WHEAT, CORN, &c., WANTED-IE subscribers respectfully inform the citizens I of Jefferson and Berkeley counties, Va., and those of Washington county, Md., that they have erected a large and commodious Brick Warehouse at the Old Furnace, on the Potomacriver, (under the name and firm of LUCAS & MOORE. where they will at all times be prepared to furnish transportation, in their superior line of Canal Boats, for any and all freight, destined for the Markets of the District. Terms reasonable, and such as will make it the interest of all to give them

The highest market Cash price will be aid, for from five to twenty thousand bushels of Gay st and Tripolet's alley. WHEAT-to be delivered at such times as the parties may agree, and in parcels to suit the con-venience of those interested. Also, the highest market price will be paid for CORN. OATS, and Country Produce generally. Farmers and others will find it to their interest to call before disposing of their Grain or Produce, as our arrangments are such as to offer inducements equal to that of any

other House in the Valley PLASTER, FISH, SALT, &c., 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. Old Furnace, Aug. 5, 1852-1y.

ATTENTION, HOUSEKEEPERS! Old Furniture Made New.

THE undersigned having had long experience I in the Cabinet-making Business in Charlestown, as well as an Apprenticeship in Philadelphia, respectfully offers his services to visit the Housekeepers of the county at their houses, and Alter, Repair, Varnish and Dress, in any manner desired, all articles of

FURNITURE that may need renovating. No matter what may be the work required, he will attend to it with promptness and fidelity, and his charges will be nost reasonable. Reference as to his capacity may be made to

Messrs. Leonard Sadler, Humphrey Keyes, Robert T. Brown, Wells J. Hawks, and others of Charles-Any one desiring his services will please apply to him personally in Charlestown, or through the

September 2, 1852 tf.

GEO. R. EVERITT. TO THE PUBLIC.

a citizens of Charlestown and vicinity, that he has taken the shop, two doors East of the Valley Bank, formerly occupied by James Clothier, for the purpose of carrying on the Tailoring Business,

THE subscriber respectfully announces to the

in all its various branches. He hopes by strict at-tention, and a desire to please, that he may share a portion of the public patronage. NEW YORK FASHIONS received monthly, which enables him to give the May 20, 1852-1y.

CURN! CORN! THE undersigned are prepared to receive Conn, both at the several Depots in the County and at the Old Furnace. They will state now as an invariable rule that Mized Corn will not be taken at any price or on any terms. It must be either White or Yellow. They will receive corn now and will advance one half of its supposed value and pay the balance when it reaches market, deducting only the cost of transportation from the price at which it may sell.

BLACEBURN & CO. February 3, 1863,---

MEDICAL HOUSE,

No. 16, SOUTH FREDERICK St. BALTIMORE, MD. Established in order to afford the afflicted sound and sci-enlife radical aid, and for the suppression of Quack-DR. SMITH has for many years devoted his whole attention to the treatment of Private

complaints, in all their varied and complicated forms His great success in those long standing and difficult cases, such as were formerly considered incurable, is sufficient to commend him to the public as worthy of the extensive patroange, he has received. Within the last eight years Dr. S. has treated more than 29,500 cases of Private Completion in their different former. cases of Frivate Complaints, in their different forms and stages; a practice which no doubt exceeds that of all the other physicians now advertising in Baltimore, and not a single case is known where his directions strictly followed, and medicines taken at reasonable time, without effecting a radical and permanent cure; therefore persons afflicted with diseases of the above nature, in no matter how difficult or long standing the case may be," would do well to call on Dr. SMITH at his office, No. 16 S. FREDERICK ST., and if not effectually relieved no remuneration will be required for his services, His medicines are free from Mercury ard all mineral poisons; put up in a neat and compact form, and may be taken in a public or a private house, or while travelling, without exposure or hindrance from business, and except in cases of violent inflammation, no change of diet is necessary.

STRICTURES Dr Smith has discovered a new method by which he can cure the worst form of stricthre in a very few days, and that without pain or in-convenience to the patient. Irritation of the urethra, of prostrate gland, or neck of the bladder, is some-

es mistaken for stricture by general practitioners or charlatans. YOUNG MEN and others afflicted with Seminal Debility, whether originating from a Certain Destructive Habit, or from any other cause, with the train of bodily and mental evils which follow, when neglected, should make an early application, thereby avoiding much trouble and suffering, as well as expense. By his improved method of treatment, Dr. S. can safely guarantee a speedy and perfect cure in all cases of this complaint. TO FEMALES.

All diseases peculiar to Females, (such as Suppressions, Irregularities, \$c.,) speedily and effectually removed. The effichcy of his remedies, for the cure of the above affections, have been well tested in an extensive practice for the last twelve years. Dr. Smith's "PREVENTATIVES," for Married Ladies, whose health will not admit or who have no desire to increase their family, may be obtained as above. Price \$5.
PERSONS AT A DISTANCE may consult Dr. S. by letter post paid, describing case, and have medi-

cine securely put up and forwarded to any part of the United States, always accompanied with full and explicit directions for use. Communications considered strictly confidential. Office arranged with separate apartments, so that patients never see any one but the doctor himself. Attendance daily, from S in the morning till 9 at night. N. B. Persons afflicted with any of the above complaints will do well to avoid the various NOSTRUMS and SPECIFICS, advertised by Apothecaries and Druggists, as a certain cure for any and every disease. They are put up to sell but not to cure, and frequently

Loudoun County Agricultural Institute and Chemical Academy.

ALDIE, LOUDOUN Co., Va. January 26th, 1853. MR. GALLAHER-Dear Sir : The enterprising farmers and friends of improvement in Virginia will, doubtless, be gratified that I have associated with me Mr. James H. Gulick and Mr. Harman nd, Virginia and North Carolina, Bitzer, two practical and successful agriculturists stitute and Chemical Academy in this County .-The experimental Farm will contain 320 Acres. which will be cultivated according to the true principle of science, and in which many interesting and important experiments will be made. And efforts will be made to obtain seeds from every part of the United States and from Foreign Countries. In addition to two commodious dwellings already on the estate, a new building has been designed 180 by 30 teet. One half of which will be erected the present year. The Laboratory will be furnished with an extensive collection of the largest, the handsomest and best apparatus in the United States. The museum will contain Geological specimens, Minerals, Fossils, Shell and also Models Draughts and Catalogues of Agricultural Machines, Implements and Tools. And for the convenience of making and repairing apparatus a workshop will be fitted up with Turning Lathe, Slide Rest and all necessary tools for working in wood, iron and brass. Full courses of Lectures will be

delivered, which will be illustrated with several thousand useful and interesting experiments. The instruction will be thorough and practical. embracing Mathematics, Mechanics, Chemistry and other branches of Science and Art, in their application to Farming and Farm purposes. Particular attention will be paid to Agricultural Chemistry-Preparation of Pure Chemicals-Management of water courses—Principles of irrigation
—Analysis of Soils—Construction of Farm Buildings-Estimates of Lumber-Planting, Budding, Grafting, Pruning and cultivation of Fruit Trees -And in fine every thing important to the practi-

cal farmer and men of business. To complete the designs of this Institution will require an outlay of 40 to 50 thousand dollars, and if it receives that patronage which is hoped for and expected, no expense will be spared to make it the best institution of the kind in the World. If now the advocates of improvement are really in earnest they will take this enterprise by the hand and help it along, by giving a good list of students at the commencement. It is hoped that every county in the State will send at least one student the first session. And that the different Agricultural Societies will ascertain how many students can be sent from their respective districts and forward a list of the same by the 1st day of December next. The Institute will be opened for the reception of Students on the 1st of March, 1854. Terms, including all expenses except Books and Stationery \$200 per session of ten months. Circulars may be had by addressing the princi

pal at Aldie P. O., Loudonn County, Va. BENJ. H. BENTON, Principal of the Londoun County Agricultural Institute February 3, 1853. and Chemical Academy. Fall Carpets and Oil Cloths. HEAP, New and Beautiful, can be had on the most accommodating terms, at G. S. GRIF FITH S Carpet Warchouse, where he keeps every article appertaining to this business. Don't mis take the number, 77 BALTIMORE STREET, between

Baltimore, Sept. 2, 1852. Fall Paper Hangings. FROM Europe, also from the American Factory have just come to hand, and are now open

ready for wholesale and retail purchasers, who cannot fail to be pleased if they will only call and examine the rich Gilt, Fancy and other PAPERS, fine and common, to be had at G. S. GRIFFITH'S OLD STAND, No. 122 Balt. st., next to the Patriot Office.

Paper hung in or out of the city, at the shortes Do YOU WANT BARGAINS! Then go to G. S. GRIFFITH, No. 77 Baltimore street, between Gay and Tripolett's alley. He has just received, by importation and from the best manufactures in the United States, as well as from auc-

tion sales a cheap and most splendid assortment of beautiful Carpets, Oil Cloths, and Mattings, Fur-niture Covers, Mats, Stair Rods, Linen, &c. Baltimore, Sept. 2, 1852 A LWAYS SOMETHING NEW 4- CHEAP at G. S. GRIFFITH'S OLD STAND, No. 192 Raltimore Street, next to the Patriot Office .-Fall UPHOLSTERY GOODS, of every descrip tion, new and beautiful, are now open for wholesale and retail purchasers, who are respectfully solicited to call. Also, on hand and made to order, Venitian Blinds; Curtains; Feather Beds; Mattresses: Cotton Wadding, &c. - [Sept. 2. 1852.

WANTED! 100,000 Bushels of Wheat!! THE subscribers, having opened a Warehouse in Shepherdstown, in connection with the POTOMAC MILLS, are prepared and wish to purchase the above quantity of

Wheat, Corn, &c., for which they will pay the highest price, in cash, the markets will afford. They are prepared to freight to the District and Alexandria, all kinds of Produce, &c., that may be offered, on the best terms. We are now receiving, and will keep on hand for the accommodation of those dealing with us, a large stock of Plaster,

Mr. John Keplinger will be found at the Warehouse to give the business prompt attention.
F. & J. W. REYNOLDS. Sept. 30, 1852. Cash for Negroes.

I 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, which will receive prompt attention; or B. M. & W. L. Campbell, No. 242 West Prattstreet, Baltimore. No. 242, West Prattstreet. Baltim ELIJAH McDOWFLL,

Agent for B. M. & W. L. Campbell. Winchester, September 4, 1851. S MOKING TOBACCO.—1 Bbl. Lynchburg Smoking Tobacco of the best quality. March 3, 1853. J. L. HOOFF. ers and all others by the plate, quart, or can. The public are invited to call.

Oct. 21, 1822.

J. F. ELESSING.



EESKRY VEGTURAL For the rapid Cure of COUCHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRONCHITIS, WHOOPING-COUGH, CROUP, ASTHMA, AND

CONSUMPTION. Of all the numerous medicines extant, (and some of them valuable) for the cure of pulmonary comp aints, nothing has ever been found which could compare in ties effects with this Preparation. Others cure some-times, but at all times and in all diseases of the lungs and throat where medicine can give relief, this will do it. It is pleasant to take, and perfectly safe in accordance with the directions. We do not advertise for the information of those who have tried it but those who have not. Families that have know its value will not be without it, and by its timely use, they are secure from the dangerous consequences of Coughs and Colds which neglected, ripen into fatal The Diploma of the Massachusetts Institute was a-

warded to this preparation by the Board of Judges in September, 1847; also, the Medals of the three great Institutes of Art, in this country; also the Diploma of the Ohio Institute at Cincinnati, has been given to the CHERRY PECTORAL, by their Government in consideration of its extraordinary excellence and usefulness in curing affections of the Lungs and Throat. Read the following opinion founded on the long ex-perience of the eminent Physician of the Port and Ci-ST. JOHNS, May 8, 1851. Dr. J. C. Ayer, Fire years trial of your CHERRY PECTORAL in my practice, has proven what I fore-

saw from its composition, must be true, that it eradi-cates and cures the colds and coughs to which we, in this section, are peculiarly liable.

I think its equal has not yet been discovered, nor do
I know how a better remedy can be made for the distempers of the Throat and Lungs.
J. J. BURTON, M. D., F. R. S.
See what it has done on a wasted constitution, not only in the following cases, but a thousand more :— SUNBURY, Jan. 24th, 1851 Dr. Ayer :—In the month of July last I was attacked

by a violent diarrhem in the mines of California. I returned to San Francisco in hope of receiving benefit from a change of climate and die. My diarrhem ceased, but was followed by a severe cough—and much soreness. I finally started for home, but received no benefit from the voyage. My cough continued to grow worse, and when I arrived in New York, I was marked by my acquaintance as a victim of consumption. I must confess that I saw go sufficient rea-son to doubt what my friends all believed. At this time I commenced taking your truly invaluable medi cine with little expectation of deriving any benefit from its use. You would not receive these lines did 1 not regard it my duty to state to the afficted, through you, that my health, in the space of eight months, is fully restored. Jattribute it to the use of your CHER-RY PECTORAL. Yours truly, WILLIAM W. SMIMH.

Dear Sir :- Feeling that I have been spated from a premature grave, through your instrumentality by the providence of God. I will take the liberty to express you my gratitude. A Cough and the alarming symptoms of Consumption had reduced me too low to leave me anything like hope, when my physician brought me a bottle of your "Pectoral." It seemed to afford immediate relief, and now in a few weeks time has restored me to sound health. If it will do for others what it has done for me, you are certainly one of the benefactors of man-Sincerely wishing you every blessing, I am Very respectfully yours,

JOHN J. CLARKE, Rector of S. Peter's Church. With such assurances and from such men, no strong-er proof can be adduced unless it be from its effects Prepared and sold by James C. Ayer, Practical and Analytical Chemist, Lowell, Mass. For sale by L. M. SMITH, Charlestown, Va, T, D. HAMMOND,

WASHINGTON, Pa. April 12, 1848.

S. H. FORNEY, Jan. 13, 1853-4tn. Shepherdstown, Va. A LARGE AND SPLENDID STOCK OF GUIDS, at Cost, for Cash only.

THE undersigned having sold his Property, in-L cluding his Store House to the government, has determined to close his business in the Mercantile line. He therefore offers his extensive STOCK OF GOODS. which has been purchased as low as any Stock in the Valley of Virginia, and all Fresh Goods, he fhaving been in business only about two years .-

This assortment consists in part of the following articles, viz: Plain, Black, Changeable, Plaid, Striped and Figured Silks; Silk Tissues of various patterns; Illusions, Tarltons, and Sarcenets; Barages of every quality; Barage De Lains; Muslins and Lawns; Mourning Lawns; Swiss, plain, and figured Muslins; Cambrics and Jaconets do.; Poplins; Super Curtain Muslins of various patterns; CARROT, Long Orange, Early Horn, White Ginghan's and Calicoes all patterns and prices; Ladies super Linen Hdk'fs. from 10 cts. up; Gentlemen's Linen and Silk Hdk'fs;

Colored and Black Cravats; Crape and Cashmer Shawls of various sizes and Thibet and Barage Shawls, of various sizes and Figured and plain Bobinets; A large assortment of Dress Trimmings;

Silk Laces and Fringes; French worked Collars: Ladies Kid, Silk, and Lisle Thread Gloves; Gentlemen's Kid and Silk Gloves; Parasols and Umbrellas; Ladies' Silk, Cashmere, Lambs-Wool and Cot ton Hose; Gentlemen's Lambs Wool Hose; Super Black Cloths and Cassimeres:

Silk Velvet, Satin, Figured Silk and Marsailes Tweeds of all colors and prices Super White, Red and Yellow Flannels; Canton Flannels; Domestics of every descrip-tion and colors; Silk and Fancy Bonnets; A large assortment of Fancy and Plain Ribbons Artificial Flowers, Cape Tabs, Combs and White Flat Norfolk, and Rola Baga. Brushes, and almost every article in the fancy

Do Fancy Cassinetts at very low prices;

CHINA AND QUEENSWARE, Among which are several handsome Tea Sets,-A good assortment of Hardware, Cutlery, Carpen ters' Tools, &c., Waiters, Looking Glasses and tin

GROCERIES. I have a large stock of Groceries all of which are of the best quality.

A large lot of Ladies and Children Shoes; Silk and Leghorn Hats, Kossuth and Wool do.; Caps of every description; all of which will positively be sold at COST for CASH, as I am determined to close up my business. Those who desire to get good bargains are respectfully invited to call soon and judge for them-selves. JOHN G. WILSON.

N. B. Those who know themselves to be in-

debted to me, are respectfully requested to call and

Harpers-Ferry, Aug. 19, 1852.

settle their accounts. August 19, 1852. FALL & WINTER CLOTHING. THE undersigned having enlarged their Store Room, have now on hand at their Clothin Emporium, the most superior stock of READY MADE CLOTHING ever offered in Harpers-Ferry, for the present FALL and WINTER trade,

where purchasers can be accommodated with the Ready-Made Clothing: Coats, Pants, Vests, Shirts, all qualities: Drawers, Boots, Hats, three qualities; Rough and Ready Hats, Caps, a vesy 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. &c.

TRUNKS VALICES & CARPET-BAGS. This being the largest 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 wholesale or retail. 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 atshort notice and a guarantied FIT at the same low prices.

We return our sincere thanks to the cirizens

of Harpers-Ferry and vicinity, for the very liberal patronage we have received, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, as we pledge ourselves there shall be nothing wanting on our part to sende general satisfaction, both in Goods and Prices. R. WALTER & BRO. Harpers-Ferry, September 30, 1852. Blessing's Oyster Saleen. THIS Establishment has been refitted and open-ed, and the Proprietor has made such arrange-ments as will enable him to supply his old custom-

Zolfickoffer's Anti-Rheumatic Cordial For the Care of Inflammatory and Cironic Ris-Rheumatic Gout, Neuralgia, Scalica, Lua Ge., &t., Sc.

OF all diseases incident to the human family, there is none perhaps which occasionaso much intense suffering and physical disability, and none that appears to elicit so little commiseration and sympathy as Rheumatism in its various modificaions. Medical writers and the faculty in general have entertained different views as to the cause of this painful malady, and bence the variety of compounds of one kind or other, which have been presented to the public as curatives. This is a preparation originating entirely with the subscriber and he can therefore recommend it as perfectly safe, as well as efficient, being wholly tree from any deleterious substance whatever. As proof of its valua-ble efficacy, read the following certificates: March 22nd, 1859.

Respected Friend: About four years ago I was attacked with Inflammatory Rheumansm to a degree that it involved my whole body with an amount of pain that I was unable to walk, or even help myself. Having heard of thy Anti-Rheumatic Cordial, I procured a bottle of it, and before I had taken half of it, I-was able to attend to my ordinary business, and have remained free from the disease ever since. DANISL McCARTHY.

92 Swanson st., below Almond. Phil. Harpers-Ferry. Va., August 27, 1851. Mr. Zollickofer - Dear Sir: It affords me great pleasure to add my testimony to the beneficial effect of Zolliekoffer's Rheumatic Cordial. Having been afflicted with Rheumatic Gout, or as it was termed by some physicians, Inflammatory Rheumatism, for the last ten years of my life, almost without intermission, and the pain was greatly increased by the prevalence of wet weather, so much so, as 'o be almost insupportable : furthermore, I was frequently confined to my bed for three months at a time -After having tried various physicians and reme-dies without number, I was induced through a friend to try your invaluable medicine, and I am happy to inform you, that after taking one battle, I feel perfectly well of Rheumatism, and I also find

that my general health has been much improved. Very truly yours, JOHN SELLERS. Harpers-Ferry, Nov. 14, 1851. I take great pleasure in testifying to the excellent qualities of Mr. Zollickoffer's Anti-Rheumatic Cordial, in effecting what is claimed for it. I was prostrated with Rheumatism so as to be entirely unable to attend to my business, and inde d could scarcely walk or move. Soon after I commenced the use of the Cordial, I felt its beneficial effects upon my system, and now find that it has well nigh eradicated the disease. I walk with ease, the swelling and stiffness has gone out of my limbs, and 1 feel assured that I shall soon be free from the do-minion of my enemy. JOHN J. ALLEN.

Being familiar with the facts above stated I sub-scribe myself, C. W. BUTTON, P. M.

T. Prepared only Henry M. Zollickoffer, corner of Pine and Si. a street Philadelphia; and sold in bottles, \$1 each, b T. D. HAMMOND. Harpers-Ferry Va , upon application to whom, numerous certificates of its efficacy can be seen. February 17, 1853

THE SHENANDOAH CITY WATER POWER

MANUFACTURING COMPANY AVE heir Mills in operation. They will pay the highest price in Cash, for Wheat, Corn and Rue. They will grind all kinds of Grain for Tolls, ex-

change Flour for Wheat, or other Grain -receive

and forward all kinds of Produce or other Goods for Baltimore or other Northern Markets. They have made arrangements with the respectable and responsible House of Newcomer & Stonebraker, of Baltimore, for the transaction of their business, or any that shall be entrusted to their care. Mr. Geo. W. Taylor, well known in this and adjoining counties as Miller has charge of their mills, who will give his attention and spare no pains to give satisfact on. The Company have more Water Power to dispose of.

on sale or rent, will give every encouragement to Manufacturers and Mechanics. They would invite them to call and examine for themselves -They feel confident in saving that a better location for all kinds of Manufacturing business, cannot be They have obtained a Charter for a Bridge across

the Shenandoah river at their place, which, when constructed and Roads made, will open to the fine settlements in the Valley of Londonn, and give a more direct communication with Harpers-Ferry and Charlestown, and must give to this place anditional advantages. They ask a share of the public interest and patronage.
ISAAC GREGORY, Agent. Shenandoah City, Feb. 3 1853.

Ault's English Garden Seeds.

UST received, a fresh supply of ENGLISH

GARDEN SEEDS, that have proved so highly satisfactory to our customers-part of which are ASPARAGUS, Giant. BEANS, Early China Dwarf or Snaps, six week do . Horticultural Pole, broad Windsor, large and small Lima. BEETS. Early blood Turnip, early Yellow, large long Blood, half long do., Mangel Wortzel. CABBAGE, Early York, early large York, Bullock Heart, large flat Dutch, Pour Man's Profit, Green Curled Savoy, Yellow Drumbead Savoy.

CELERY. White Solid. white and rid Giant. CUCUMBER, Early Green, Long Green, half ong Green. Small Gherkin. EGG PLANT. EARLY CORN (variety.) LETTUCE, Early Ice, large Whitehead, and

MELON, Nutmeg and Yellow Cantelope, Water, and Citron NAST URTIUM. ONION. White Portugal Silver Skin, Spanish, Yellow and Red PARSLEY, Triple Curled. PARSNIP, Hollow Crown. PEPPER, Long Cayenne, Bell or Bull Nose,

and Sweet Mountain. PEAS, Early Charlton Dwarf, Frame. Poor Man's Profit, tall, Magnumbonum, tall, Sugar Edible Pods. "SUM" PUMPKINS. RHUBARB for pies SALSAFY or Oyster Plant. SQUASH Early Bush, a Summer Crookneck. TOMATO. Large Smooth. TURNIP Early Flat Duich, Red Top Norfolk,

Together with a variety of Flower and Sweet Herb Seeds, for sale at the Market-House by Feb. 24, 1853. T. RAWLINS & SON. Two Hundred Reams Paper. BATH Post, guilt edge and plain; Letter. Cap. Post Office Envelope and Wrapping Paper of all descriptions; Bonnet Boards, &c. and for sale cheap by G. R. CCFFROTH.

April 22. Opposite the Court-House.

Prime Old Segars. 52,000 FINE Old Regatia, Plantation, La Norma and Principee Segars; 45 000 Old Havanna, Rifle and Cassabore Segars: 10.000 Jenny Lind; also Spanish Sixes and a variety of other fine branes: 22,000 Spanish do., 43,000 Half Spanish do. All of which will be sold very low. G. R. COFFROTH. Opposite the Court-House

Tobacco! Tobacco!! 185 BOXES Tobacco, various and superb brands. Prime articles for retailing— Just received and for sale very low by G R. COFFROTH. Winchester April 22. Opposite he Coart-House 80 BOXES half pound lump Tobacco, just re-G. R. COFFROTH.

NUFFS .- 60 Boxes Scotch Snuff, in 2 and 4 uz-Dapers; 20 doz Garretts, 3d quality do. in Bottles. Also, Rappee, Maccaboy and Congress Spuffs, for sale by G. R. COFFROTH, Snuffs, for sale by G. R. COFF ROLL.
Snuffs, for sale by Opposite the Court-House.

25 500 ENVELOPES, Maynard and Noves' lik, Souff Boxes, Segar Cases, Tobacco Pouches, Portemonies, Blank Books, Co, for sale at reduced prices by April 22. G. R. COFFROTH. MATCHES AND BLACKING.—150 Gross Matches, wood and paper boxes; 10 gross Blacking, large and small boxes, for sale by

G. R. COFFROTH. OLD Plantation Segars, and other popular brands, on hand and for sale by G. R. COFFROTH April 22. Pipes and Reed stems; German Pipes for G. R. COFFROTH

NOTICE. VINCINHELLER & LETORT having discontinued the Saddle and Harness Making business in Charlestown respectfully request that all persons indebted to them would call immediately upon C. G. Brago, who has their account, and settle the same. J. Vincinheller, still carries the above named business in all its branches in Martinsburg, where he will be happy to fill all orders from Jefferson and adjoining counties. Orders left with I. N. Carter, in Charlestown, shallreceive prompt attention, as well as all others. prompt attention, as well as all others.

January 15, 1859,—tf.

larpers Ferry lational Historical Park