

Virginia Free Press.

And Farmers' Repository.

VOL. 47.

CHARLESTOWN, JEFFERSON COUNTY, VIRGINIA, THURSDAY MORNING, MAY 25, 1854.

Virginia Free Press
IS PUBLISHED WEEKLY, AT
Two Dollars and Fifty Cents
PER ANNUM.

Payable half yearly; but Two Dollars will be taken for the year, if paid entirely in advance.

Whenever payment is due, it is beyond the expiration of the year in great will be charged.

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

ADVERTISING.

The terms of advertising are the same as for three inscriptions—larger ones in the same proportion. Each contains 25 cents per square.

All advertisements not ordered for a specific time will be continued until paid and charged accordingly.

"*V. B. PALMER, the American Newspaper, is the only authorized agent for that publication of Boston, New York, and Philadelphia, and is duly empowered to take advertisements and subscriptions for the same as required by law.*" His receipts will be received at the office of "The American," 144 Broadway, New York; Tribune Building, N.Y., corner Third and Chestnut streets.

FATIGUE'S AGENCY.

Mr. Wm. T. Thompson, No. 19, Carroll Hall, Baltimore, Maryland, is an authorized Agent in the city of Baltimore, to receive Subscriptions, advertisements, &c., for the "Free Press," and a copy of the paper, terms, &c., can be found on file at his office.

JOHN S. GALLAHER,
Last Year Auditor of the Treasury,

W. *Lit along to claims before Congress or the continuance of business will enable us to be satisfied.*

(See 12.)

JOHN W. KENNEDY,
Attorney at Law,

CHARLESTOWN, VIRGINIA,
Offices 4 doors east of the Valley Bank. Office hours from 9 to 4 o'clock.

John 19. 1854.—1.

L. C. J. CHIPLEY,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

W. *Jefferson, Shenandoah, Warren and Clarke Counties.*

JEMILEY & EITZINGER, *Schenectady.*

June 20, 1854.

LIFE, FIRE & MARINE INSURANCE.

Lynchburg Hico and Fire

EVERY DAY COMP. LTD.

THIS Company makes Insurance against loss or damage by Fire, on Buildings, Stock, Stores, Tobacco Factories and other Buildings, on Furniture, Goods, Water and Merchandise, general in town and country, on the most favorable terms.

Also makes Insurance on the lives of all persons enjoying good health, and of sound constitution for the whole duration of life, or for a limited period.

Claims are employed in ordinary occupations, will be insured on reasonable terms.

The Company will also make marine risks, from and to any of the Northern or Southern Ports, at favorable rates.

Board of Directors.

JOHN ROBIN McDANIEL President.

DON'T C. PETERS, Vice President.

SAMSON DUGGAN, Chief Engineer.

D. C. COOPER,

George W. Yancey,

W. M. T. ANDERSON,

Nathan R. Thurman,

J. M. B. BOYD,

MARTIN HOLLINS, Treasurer.

C. R. WILLIS, Secretary.

James D. Hobbs,

Dexter Ober,

W. H. P. Thompson,

William T. Anderson,

Nathan R. Thurman,

J. M. B. Boyd,

Martin Hollins, Treasurer.

C. R. Willis, Secretary.

John S. Carson, President.

C. S. FUNK, Secretary.

O. F. BRESEE, Attorney.

DIRECTORS.

W. L. Clark,

J. H. Burgess,

N. W. Richardson,

Lloyd Logan,

John K. Herbert,

B. W. Herbert,

Agent for Jefferson County.

August 4, 1854.—1.

BERRYVILLE HOTEL.

THE subscriber having leased the whole plain Hotel, in Berryville, Clarke County, begs leave to inform the travelling public, that he is now prepared to receive guests. He is also prepared to accommodate Boarders, either by the day, week, month, year.

HIS TABLE will always be furnished with all the varieties which the season and market will afford; his Bar will be choice Liquors, and his Store will be well supplied with all the articles of dress, or pleasure, which can remain in Harpers Ferry from 7 A. M. to 3 P. M. and leave in the evening train for Baltimore and Washington.

For all mail.

W. H. HERBERT,

In the absence of the Agent, Mr. Herbert, who will attend to them personally. Persons at a distance addressed through me.

N. B. On all Church Buildings and personal property, the Agent will present his commissions in reducing the amount of premium, on the terms that arise.

December 29, 1853.—1.

RANDOLPH & LATIMER General Commission Merchants,

62 SOUTH ST. BOWLS WHARF,

PALMIRE, MD.

ATTEND particularly to the sale of FLOUR, COTTON, COTTON SEED, and all kinds of COUNTRY FARMERS are prepared to furnish seed to farmers wishing to consign them.

Baltimore, Nov. 25, 1853.

Spring Style Hats for 1854.

WE will introduce THIS DAY, March 2, our style of HATS, for the Spring, to which we invite the attention of our friends and neighbors. The hats will be of English material, and will be made generally. We will also make a lot of the French hats. J. L. McPAILL & CO., No. 132 Baltimore-st., between North and Calvert.

Shingles for Sale.

We have in Charlestown, two large CYPRUS SHINGLES and Nova Scotia TICKETS or PAILLINGS. R. S. BLACKBURN & CO. Dec. 15.—\$15.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant from Harpers Ferry Historical Assoc.

Digitized by Harpers Ferry National Historical Park under grant

VIRGINIA FREE PRESS AND FARMERS' REPOSITORY.

LOUDOUN COUNTY AGRICULTURAL INSTITUTE AND Chemical Academy.

THIS is not a manual labor school; but it is called an Agricultural Institute, because its object is to give in all the branches of Mathematics and Science useful to the Farmer and man of business. The students are not taught the theory only; but they are instructed in the practical application of knowledge to the every day affairs of life. They are made acquainted with the phenomena of nature—taught the properties of the soil—the requirements of plants—the composition of rocks—the properties of the atmosphere, &c. &c.—and are given active practical instruction in surveying farms—draining water courses—laying out roads—making maps, analyzing soils—selecting minerals, &c. &c.

American history is thoroughly taught and illustrated by thousands of interesting papers in the lecture room—in the laboratory and on the farm. The pure chemicals are prepared at the establishment. The work shop is furnished with tools for working in wood and metal. Students have an opportunity of witnessing all the branches of mechanics—from the fellings of timber to the polishing and finishing of hardware, and can understand every part of what is taught. Their attention is not confined to the class book, but they are taken into the laboratory, the work shop, and garden, so that the student may see how every part of the institution works.

The design of the Institution is to prepare young men for business; and no expense is spared in obtaining everything necessary for full and complete illustration.

The course of instruction is varied to suit the farmer, the merchant and manufacturer.

The establishment is delightfully located and has all the advantages of purity of water, salubrity of atmosphere and beauty of scenery.

The regular sessions commence on the first of October and end on the first of August. New students will be admitted during the winter, if possible, to make application before the closing of the present session.

Fees for the session of ten months \$200; one month \$100, and the remaining \$100.

For terms of ten months \$200; one month \$100, and the remaining \$100.

Farmers can have their soils analyzed, and teachers and students can obtain pure chemical reagents prepared at the establishment.

Address: JOHN R. A. REDMAN, Agent.

PENNY LIVDE BENTON, Principal.

Albie P. O., Loudoun County, Va.

May 11, 1854.—iv

BRILLIANT SCHEMES, FOR JUNE, 1854.—

GREGORY & MAURY, MANAGERS.

\$10,000!

Lottery for the benefit of the State of Delaware, Class 23 for 1854, to be drawn at Wilmington, Del., Saturday, June 3, 1854.

13 Number. Number of 75.

75 Number. Number of 12 Drawn Bullets.

SPLENDID SCHEME.

1 prize of \$10,000; 18,000; 18,000; G-
6,000; 4,000; 3,000; 1 of 2,000; 30 of 1,000;
20 of 500; 40 of 300; 257 (lowest 3 No.
Prizes) &c. &c.

Tickets \$10—Halves \$5—Quarters \$2.50.

Certificates of package of 50 Wholes \$2.00.

Do do 25 Halves .50

Do do 25 Quarters .25

Do do 50 Eighth .25

Do do 100 Eighth .25

Do do 200 Eighth .25

Do do 300 Eighth .25

Do do 400 Eighth .25

Do do 500 Eighth .25

Do do 600 Eighth .25

Do do 700 Eighth .25

Do do 800 Eighth .25

Do do 900 Eighth .25

Do do 1,000 Eighth .25

Do do 1,100 Eighth .25

Do do 1,200 Eighth .25

Do do 1,300 Eighth .25

Do do 1,400 Eighth .25

Do do 1,500 Eighth .25

Do do 1,600 Eighth .25

Do do 1,700 Eighth .25

Do do 1,800 Eighth .25

Do do 1,900 Eighth .25

Do do 2,000 Eighth .25

Do do 2,100 Eighth .25

Do do 2,200 Eighth .25

Do do 2,300 Eighth .25

Do do 2,400 Eighth .25

Do do 2,500 Eighth .25

Do do 2,600 Eighth .25

Do do 2,700 Eighth .25

Do do 2,800 Eighth .25

Do do 2,900 Eighth .25

Do do 3,000 Eighth .25

Do do 3,100 Eighth .25

Do do 3,200 Eighth .25

Do do 3,300 Eighth .25

Do do 3,400 Eighth .25

Do do 3,500 Eighth .25

Do do 3,600 Eighth .25

Do do 3,700 Eighth .25

Do do 3,800 Eighth .25

Do do 3,900 Eighth .25

Do do 4,000 Eighth .25

Do do 4,100 Eighth .25

Do do 4,200 Eighth .25

Do do 4,300 Eighth .25

Do do 4,400 Eighth .25

Do do 4,500 Eighth .25

Do do 4,600 Eighth .25

Do do 4,700 Eighth .25

Do do 4,800 Eighth .25

Do do 4,900 Eighth .25

Do do 5,000 Eighth .25

Do do 5,100 Eighth .25

Do do 5,200 Eighth .25

Do do 5,300 Eighth .25

Do do 5,400 Eighth .25

Do do 5,500 Eighth .25

Do do 5,600 Eighth .25

Do do 5,700 Eighth .25

Do do 5,800 Eighth .25

Do do 5,900 Eighth .25

Do do 6,000 Eighth .25

Do do 6,100 Eighth .25

Do do 6,200 Eighth .25

Do do 6,300 Eighth .25

Do do 6,400 Eighth .25

Do do 6,500 Eighth .25

Do do 6,600 Eighth .25

Do do 6,700 Eighth .25

Do do 6,800 Eighth .25

Do do 6,900 Eighth .25

Do do 7,000 Eighth .25

Do do 7,100 Eighth .25

Do do 7,200 Eighth .25

Do do 7,300 Eighth .25

Do do 7,400 Eighth .25

Do do 7,500 Eighth .25

Do do 7,600 Eighth .25

Do do 7,700 Eighth .25

Do do 7,800 Eighth .25

Do do 7,900 Eighth .25

Do do 8,000 Eighth .25

Do do 8,100 Eighth .25

Do do 8,200 Eighth .25

Do do 8,300 Eighth .25

Do do 8,400 Eighth .25

Do do 8,500 Eighth .25

Do do 8,600 Eighth .25

Do do 8,700 Eighth .25

Do do 8,800 Eighth .25

Do do 8,900 Eighth .25

Do do 9,000 Eighth .25

Do do 9,100 Eighth .25

Do do 9,200 Eighth .25

Do do 9,300 Eighth .25

Do do 9,400 Eighth .25

Do do 9,500 Eighth .25

Do do 9,600 Eighth .25

Do do 9,700 Eighth .25

Do do 9,800 Eighth .25

Do do 9,900 Eighth .25

Do do 10,000 Eighth .25

Do do 10,100 Eighth .25

Do do 10,200 Eighth .25

Do do 10,300 Eighth .25

Do do 10,400 Eighth .25

Do do 10,500 Eighth .25

Do do 10,600 Eighth .25

Do do 10,700 Eighth .25

Do do 10,800 Eighth .25

Do do 10,900 Eighth .25

Do do 11,000 Eighth .25

Do do 11,100 Eighth .25

Do do 11,200 Eighth .25

Do do 11,300 Eighth .25

Do do 11,400 Eighth .25

Do do 11,500 Eighth .25

Do do 11,600 Eighth .25

Do do 11,700 Eighth .25

Do do 11,800 Eighth .25

Do do 11,900 Eighth .25

Do do 12,000 Eighth .25

Do do 12,100 Eighth .25

Do do 12,200 Eighth .25

Do do 12,300 Eighth .25

Do do 12,400 Eighth .25

Do do 12,500 Eighth .25

Do do 12,600 Eighth .25

Do do 12,700 Eighth .25

Do do 12,800 Eighth .25

Do do 12,900 Eighth .25

Do do 13,000 Eighth .25

Do do 13,100 Eighth .25

Do do 13

