

Free Press

CHARLESTOWN, JEFFERSON COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

THURSDAY MORNING, AUGUST 19, 1858.

BY GALLAHER & CO.

NO. 34.

TO TRAVELERS

THE "CARTER HOUSE"
 CHARLESTOWN, JEFFERSON COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

The undersigned having purchased the Hotel property in Charlestown, Va., on the 1st of August, 1858, and having taken possession thereof, has opened the same for the reception of visitors. The premises being in a very desirable location, for the comfort and pleasure of their patrons. Their tables will be supplied with every luxury that this or the neighboring markets can afford.

The BAR furnished with a general assortment of the very best liquors.

There large and airy STABLE, attended by a competent driver, will be under the careful surveillance of the Proprietors or their Assistants. Drivers, Liquors, Cigars and Horse Hire, furnished on the most liberal terms.

J. R. A. GIBSON,
 JAMES D. GIBSON.

April 9, 1857—11.

Messrs Redman & Gibson, as will be seen by the above card, having become proprietors of the Hotel property, would respectfully commend them to the patrons of the establishment, and to the public generally, feeling assured that it will be one of the most comfortable and desirable places for the reception of visitors. With the improvements contemplated, the House will have additional advantages, and I can therefore, with confidence, recommend it to the public. Theirs, as usual, is a most liberal and accommodating one. Theirs, as usual, is a most liberal and accommodating one. Theirs, as usual, is a most liberal and accommodating one.

ISAAC N. CARTER.
 HAVING just returned from the Eastern States, I have the pleasure to announce that I have secured the most liberal and accommodating one. Theirs, as usual, is a most liberal and accommodating one. Theirs, as usual, is a most liberal and accommodating one.

WAGER HOUSE.
 J. P. A. ENTLER, PROPRIETOR.
 HARPER'S FERRY, VIRGINIA.

THE HOTEL is situated on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, and having a view of the city, is one of the most desirable places for the reception of visitors. The premises being in a very desirable location, for the comfort and pleasure of their patrons. Their tables will be supplied with every luxury that this or the neighboring markets can afford.

HIS TABLE.
 Will be furnished with the very best of the neighboring markets.

THE RAWLINS HOTEL.
 Rawlins, Va.

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BUSINESS CARDS.

To Wholesale Buyers.
PAPER HANGINGS.
HOWELL & BROTHERS,
 308 BALTIMORE ST., HARPER'S FERRY, VA.

APERTON'S
 PAPER HANGINGS
 AND BORDERS.

W. W. Herbert's Column.
 AGENCY OF LIFE ASSURANCE.

THE UNITED STATES LIFE ASSURANCE AND INVESTMENT COMPANY
 OF PHILADELPHIA.

NEW YORK LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY
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BALTIMORE LOCK HOSPITAL.

Dr. Johnson.
 THE FOUNDATION OF THIS HOSPITAL...
 Dr. Johnson, Surgeon, Baltimore Lock Hospital, is a graduate of the University of Maryland, and has spent several years in Europe, where he acquired a high reputation for his skill in the treatment of various diseases.

WHOLESALE DEALERS.
 American and Foreign Goods.

CHAPLINE & DILLON.
 Attorneys at Law and Solicitors in Chancery.

PAPER WAREHOUSE.
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POETRY.

Hush.
 "I can scarcely hear," she murmured,
 "For my heart is full of love,
 And I am so near to him,
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SELECTED STORY.

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MISCELLANY.

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STREAM ON CANALS.

Gov. KING, of New York, and two of the Canal Commissioners, attended by several prominent citizens, have been making an experiment on the enlarged portion of the Erie Canal, to test the practicability of the use of steam as a propelling power without injury to the walls or banks of the Canal.

Mr. Ruggles one of the Commissioners, addressed the people. He said, amongst other things that they would see the magnificent results of the accomplishment of the original idea of those who projected the grand canal, in witnessing millions of property float upon it, and then they would appreciate the genius of Dr. Wright Clinton and his co-partners in the construction of the Canal.

The Stenberg was accompanied by the steamers S. S. Whitton and Gov. King. The people crowded throughout the line, and cheered the excursionists very heartily. It is thought that success in this matter will bring the freight of wheat down to two cents a bushel.

This is a subject of deep interest to the people of the Potomac region and the District cities, and we refer to it with the hope that the success of steamers on the Erie Canal may lead to its permanent use as a national work. This work is yet entitled to the beneficent consideration of the government, which, after inventing Virginia and Md, and many of their citizens, into a partnership, should not abandon them at an era when human enterprise is everywhere achieving wonders worthy of the age.

THE TRIUMPH COMPLETE. The friendly greeting of the Queen of Great Britain to the President of the United States, through the depths of the Atlantic, is now before us, and the appropriate response has gone with the same lightning speed through the same channels.

THE CANVASS FOR GOVERNOR. The adherents of Messrs. Leitch and Faulkner (converted anti-slavery men) are quite busy in shedding ink upon the relative merits and claims of these gentlemen for the place of Governor. The writers, by an adroit use of the quill are ably proving that regenerated sinners are far more trust worthy than the time honored Christians.

LIBERAL GIFT. JOHN STEPHENSON, Esq., of this town has generously decided to Trustee, a lot of eight acres of land, at the West end of Charlottesville, one half of which is to be used as a Cemetery, and the other half for the endowment of a Female Seminary.

A JUST TRIBUTE TO WORTH. We are much gratified to learn that our young countryman, W. P. C. GARDNER, has been placed in charge of the Engineer Corps at Fort Delaware a place made vacant by the death of Major Saunders. This is a high compliment to one so young as Lt. C. Although the occupancy of the post may be but temporary, yet it is but a just tribute to one of our superior talents and of high-toned character.

THE RICHMOND EXAMINER announces that Mr. John M. Daniel, the former editor of that paper, in pursuance of a right reserved to himself in the sale of that newspaper five years ago, has purchased an interest in the same, and will shortly return to Richmond, and resume his former editorial position.

"HONEST JOHN."

"Honest John" (says the Petersburg Intelligencer) is slow in responding to the call of Dr. Rufner. Unless he comes out very soon, the public will "take the bill for confessed and decree accordingly." It will be remembered that Dr. R. took issue with Mr. L. in some important matters of fact, and threw out some very damaging intimations as to the circumstances and causes attending his conversion to the doctrines of the South.

We give below the letter of Dr. Henry Rufner in vindication of himself from the insinuations of Hon. John Leitch and others, who solicited the publication of the famous Rufner pamphlet. In justice to the Dr. we cheerfully publish it, and are free to confess that it leaves "Honest John" in rather an awkward predicament. We refrain from commenting at length upon it, hoping Mr. Leitch will promptly reply, and clear himself from the rather bold assertions of Dr. Rufner. It will be recollected by our readers that we published a recent letter of Mr. Leitch, and expressed ourselves satisfied with it. Recent developments, however, have changed our views, and we cannot longer be considered as endorsing him. If, however, he should prove himself worthy of the support of the democratic party, his gubernatorial honors, and entirely clear his skirts of the grave charges preferred against him, we shall give him our cordial support.

THE CANAL. At a conference held on Thursday last, at Berkeley Springs, between the Coal Companies and the Board of Directors of the Canal Company an arrangement was concluded by which the sum of \$100,000 was secured for the Corporation of Dams No. 4 and 5 on an early day.

BALTIMORE FEMALE COLLEGE. We refer our readers to the advertisement of the Baltimore Female College—N. C. Brooks, President. As an institution for the education of young ladies, it stands deservedly high. Miss MARY E. PORTER, niece of our much esteemed friend, Col. C. Porter, Esq., is mentioned as one of the Faculty of Instruction.

THE BARN, STABLES AND SHEDS OF CAPT. JAS. G. HURST of this county, were consumed by fire on Saturday morning last, by one of the servants burning a horse's nest in the shed. About 80 tons of Hay, 60 barrels of corn, 300 bushels of Wheat, and 300 bushels of Oats, were destroyed. The entire loss of Capt. Hurst is supposed to be some two or three thousand dollars.

See advertisement of Messrs. Campbell & Lee. Mr. Campbell is an old acquaintance—a native of Winchester, and we take pleasure in referring our citizens to him. The Lightning Rod advertised is manufactured in Virginia, and is recommended by many persons of high standing in our good old Commonwealth. These rods have recently been put upon the Government Buildings at Harpers Ferry.

JEFFERSON CADETS. The "Jefferson Cadets" parade on Saturday next, on which occasion it is designed to present to Capt. Botta a handsome Silver Goblet as a testimonial of the regard and affection they entertain towards him for his patriotism and attention in instructing them in military tactics. This small token, whilst it speaks well for the Cadets, is but a just tribute to one of the best drilled Captains of his age, and a gentleman of the highest sense of honor.

It will be seen that extensive arrangements are being made by the "Hamtramck Guards" of Shepherdstown, to hold a Grand Military and Civic Barbecue at "Morgan's Spring" near Shepherdstown on Thursday the 2d of September next. From the known liberality of the citizens of Shepherdstown and neighborhood, the occasion will be one of the most brilliant and interesting ever having occurred in this county.

WE failed last week to give thanks to Mrs. William Smallwood, of Bolivar, for the specimen (about two lbs.) of Butter, the product of a calf not over 15 months old, of which we gave notice a few weeks ago. About three pounds of butter is obtained from the calf every week.

THE "Jefferson Guards" will parade on Saturday afternoon, at 4 o'clock. We learn that it is desirable that every member of the company shall be in uniform, as business of popular interest and importance will be transacted.

THE ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

First Dispatch from Europe to America. New York, August 10th.—The following dispatch has just been received by the American directors of the Atlantic Telegraph Company from the English directors at Valentia Bay:

"Valentia Bay, Ireland, August 10th 1858. To the American Directors of the Atlantic Telegraph Company—Europe and America are united by telegraph. Glory to God in the highest. On earth, peace—good will towards men. (Signed) DIRECTORS OF ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH CO. OF GREAT BRITAIN."

THE PRESIDENT'S RESPONSE. The President cordially reciprocates the congratulations of Her Majesty, the Queen, on the success of the great international enterprise accomplished by the science, skill and indomitable energy of the two countries. It is a triumph more glorious because far more useful to mankind than was ever won by conqueror on the field of battle.

Col. Kinchloe also spoke. He said we let "Mutius," the correspondent, tell the balance. "As he (Col. Kinchloe) left the stand, voices for Griggs were heard, who responded in a few moments, and we but a few moments more when we expressed the universal sentiment which may be inferred from the cheering which Mr. Tucker's eloquent and beautiful style, together with his great ability have rendered, deservedly, one of the most popular orators of our State, and we regret that we had no opportunity to hear Mr. Griggs followed by P. S. Kizer.

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PROPERTY SALES. One hundred and nineteen acres of Jefferson land, the allotted share of the land estate of Daniel McPherson, dec'd., to Wm. J. Harrison, dec'd., was sold at the Court House, on Monday last, for the sum of \$1000.00. The Hotel property of Capt. G. W. Dunnington, including the large stable building, was sold on Monday last, for the sum of \$2000.00. Wells J. Hawks, Esq., purchased the same.

THE LOUDOUN AGRICULTURAL FAIR. At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Loudoun Agricultural Society, held in Leesburg on Tuesday, it was decided to change the day holding the Fair to the 21st and 22d September. The Committee was induced to make the change because the Valley Fair at Winchester, and the State Fair at Maryland, had decided upon holding theirs at the same time, and the Circuit of the County of Loudoun meets at that time. These causes were sufficient to induce the change.

BEKKELEY AFFAIRS. August Court, commenced on Monday 1st being Grand Jury term there were several indictments and presentments made for misdemeanors, selling liquor to slaves in violation of law, &c.

At the parade of "Guards on Saturday last, the Messrs. of Martinsburg were by a unanimous vote held here on Thursday, Sept. 2nd. The Company do not forget the cordial hospitality the gentleman extended to them some time ago, and we feel sure they will give it welcome to the gentlemanly proceeds of the "Racine Hat."—Shepherd's Reg.

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Preparations are being made on the most extensive and liberal scale, and from our knowledge of the character of the energetic and efficient Committee of Arrangements, we are confident that the dinner prepared for the occasion, together with every thing connected therewith, will be of the most excellent character, and that success must attend the great enterprise.

Continental Guards, Cumberland and Potomac Guards, Williamsport, Md., 1st and 2nd Regts., Independent, Junior Defenders, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th.

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Continental Guards, Cumberland and Potomac Guards, Williamsport, Md., 1st and 2nd Regts., Independent, Junior Defenders, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th.

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G. W. HAMMOND, ESQ.

We regret to learn that this gentleman, who recently removed from this place to Baltimore, has been dangerously ill from cancer of the breast, and has fallen a martyr to the disease.

On the 21st August, by A. J. Weddell, A. W. TOWNSEND of Washington, Md., and Miss MARY W. FOISAL, of Heidelberg, Berkeley County.

On Monday evening the Rev. Mr. DANIEL W. COOK, of Jefferson County, Va., to Miss LYDIA B. DAVIS, of the latter place.

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Baltimore Prices Current.

Table with columns for Butter, Corn, Cattle, Flour, etc. and their respective prices.

Special Notices.

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Table with market prices for various goods including Butter, Corn, Cattle, Flour, and Wheat.

Special Notices section containing various public notices and advertisements.

How's Books For Home Healths. A collection of books for sale, including medical and domestic guides.

Valley Female Institute. Advertisement for a school or institute in the Valley region.

Public Sale. Notice of a public sale of property, including land and other assets.

Valuable Limestone Land. Advertisement for limestone land in Clarke and Frederick counties.

Public Sale. Another notice of a public sale, detailing the items to be sold.

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A CARD FROM DR. JAS. M. ... Advertisement for a medical professional, likely Dr. James M. ...

FOR AUGUST, 1868. LIVINGSTON & CO'S LOTTERIES. Advertisement for a lottery event.

SWAN & CO'S LOTTERIES TRIUMPHANT. Advertisement for Swan & Co's lottery, highlighting their success.

Frederick Female Seminary. Advertisement for a female seminary in Frederick.

VIRGINIA, Jefferson Co., ... Advertisement for a business or service in Jefferson County.

VIRGINIA TO WIT. Advertisement or notice related to Virginia.

Richmond, Va. ... Advertisement for a business or service in Richmond.

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