





At the instance of some of Mr. Bedinger's friends in this county, we give publicity to the following communication from the Winchester Virginian of Wednesday last.

For the Winchester Virginian.

Mr. Editors: No one can regret more than myself that the Congressional District Convention held at Winchester, on the 22d inst., failed to present to the Democracy a candidate for Congress and having been eye witness to the proceedings of that body, a few pertinent remarks may not be out of place.

Col. Edward Lucas when before the people for a seat in Congress, was supported by us again and again faithfully and zealously.—Wm. Lucas our present worthy representative in Congress, has received at our hand a like support. Indeed when defeated by Mr. Barton, the Democracy determined to perpetuate the name of Mr. Lucas in the next Congressional election—we did so, and re-elected him by a large and flattering majority.—The Convention held in Winchester two years since, which gave birth to his re-nomination, being anxiously disposed to soothe the feelings of prior defeat and disappointment, hesitated not to place him over the head of Mr. Harris of Page county, who, under the then circumstances, had undeniably superior claims on the Convention, save the act of sympathetic kindness due Wm. Lucas. Did his re-nomination over the head of Mr. Harris distract the party? Did Page county, notwithstanding the rejection by the Convention of her favorite citizen and former representative in Congress, withhold from Wm. Lucas her support? No sir, not at all. And did not this generous resignation on the part of Page county, create in the democratic mind in the other counties of the District, a determination to make an adequate return by acknowledging and respecting her wishes and feelings, in the next Congressional nomination? Such has been our understanding and belief.

With these facts staring us in the face, and knowing the invaluable services rendered the Democracy of the District and of the State, both in 1840 and '44, by Henry Bedinger of Jefferson county—knowing that he has fought, bled, and we had almost said died for us and his party—knowing the peculiar circumstances which at present surround him—knowing his distinction and fame abroad—knowing him to be the avowed choice of Page county—and knowing his superior mind and acquirements—his worth and untiring zeal—would it not be the foulest act of ingratitude, for that democracy which has rendered so much to his hands, to withhold from him laurels so justly merited and so ably won? It would entail everlasting shame on the Democratic party of the District; a shame we are not emulous to enjoy.

We are fully satisfied from the high esteem in which we have ever held the character of Wm. Lucas, that no one feels such undying injustice to Henry Bedinger more sensibly than himself, and that he would be the last man to withhold from merit, its just reward, notwithstanding of late, the electioneering activity of immediate friends in his behalf. A re-nomination and election, could confer no additional honors on Mr. Lucas, he could but wear those he had already worn. On the contrary, Mr. Bedinger stands ill-requited, never having received any preterment whatever in the gift of the people, and all that they ask or desire, is to reward him for his distinguished services—o pay up like honorable man, a debt of gratitude, which his labors, his talents and his sacrifices, have imposed upon them, in defence of the sacred cause of Democracy—yes, in defence of those principles and measures, upon which we verily believe, depend the happiness and perpetuity of the Union. Do this, and we have no more to say—then we are with you indissolubly now and forever.

Should we by this act of generosity, reflect upon Mr. Lucas? No sir, far from it. The deep and abiding feeling of the people, which can never be uprooted or repressed, being not to pass censure on Mr. Lucas, but nobly to render unto Bedinger the things that are his—not that we love Lucas less, but we love Bedinger more. And we do hope for the sake of harmony and unanimity of action—for the sake of those noble and generous feelings which actuate the breast of the people—for the sake of those who wish to see the Democracy of the District, and of the State, wielding a clear Democratic majority of 800—and for the sake of the integrity of the party, that the claims of Mr. Lucas will not be unduly asserted.

The two large majority counties, Page by direct instruction to her alternates, and Warren by resolutions, had expressed a preference for Henry Bedinger. Being aware of the sacrifice the former had made of her distinguished citizen and former representative, Mr. Harris, to the pretensions of Wm. Lucas, we had hoped, if not dead to all obligation—dead to all imperative considerations, that feeling of respect, and a sense of justice, would have moved the convention in behalf of Page and her choice. Bedinger being not a citizen of Page affords no apology, and is no extension of the bad faith and disrespect exhibited towards her. She had in the most emphatic manner expressed her wishes and it was but our duty to have respected them. Declining to do so, from the fact that H. Bedinger was a citizen of Jefferson county, was deference to our own opinions and a total disregard, may I say, of the wishes and judgment of Page.

The three fifth rule was adopted, in consequence of the contrary opinion of us men, prevailing in the Convention, so that a popular nomination might be secured to the people; and if the highest number of votes cast for any individual, amid the multiplicity of ballots taken should be deemed a test of popularity, Henry Bedinger is the choice of the people. He received 2366 votes (2491 were necessary to a choice)—a higher number than Wm. Lucas received at any time when the greatest efforts were made in his behalf by the Convention. Moreover, it should not be forgotten, that the delegates from Hampshire announced in Convention that they acted not under instructions as supposed but under a belief that Mr. Lucas was the preference of the county—and after the vote for adjournment sine die was taken by yeas and nays and carried, and while some were insisting on a count and others objecting, the delegation from Hampshire stated that now they were prepared to cast their vote for Henry Bedinger of Jefferson; which, had not a majority thought the council dissolved, would have resulted in his nomination by a very large majority.

These are the sentiments and facts that animated us and which we have every reason to believe are entertained by a majority of the Democracy of the District, and mark our prophesy, Sir, if Henry Bedinger, of Jefferson county shall be, with or without Conventional authority, rudely torn from the embrace of the people either by the continuance of Wm. Lucas, or the nomination of a new man, we need never anticipate thenceforth, unanimity of opinion, concert of action, or the perpetuity of our Democratic strength—yes, party distraction will be the inevitable consequence.

C. W. P.

\* We suppose the above initials mean Clarke, Warren and Page.

Hickory Pen.—Mr. Tyler, to give an additional character to the act, and pay at the same time somewhat of a pointed compliment to General Jackson, wrote his signature to the Annexation Resolutions with a hickory pen.

Col. J. Knox Walker, the President's Private Secretary, (and his nephew), has been appointed, by the President and Senate, Secretary to sign Patents.

From the National Intelligencer of the 6th inst.

### The National Theatre Burnt!

An unusually destructive fire occurred in this city last night between eight and nine o'clock, by which was consumed the handsome edifice, erected but a few years ago, known as the National Theatre, besides some seven or eight dwelling houses situated on the south east corner of the same square, and fronting on Pennsylvania Avenue, and Thirteenth street, in addition, we believe, to several stables and other buildings which stood on the alleys that pass through the square.

The fire originated in what is called the oil room, in the back part of the Theatre, while the performances of the evening were in progress; but, fortunately for the persons in attendance, who composed a very large and respectable audience of both sexes, the alarm was given sufficiently soon to allow them all to escape from the burning building without the happening of any serious accident.

The Theatre was burnt entirely out, leaving the bare walls alone standing. We believe it was lately purchased from the company who were acting by Mr. Benjamin Ogilby Taylor, of this city, whose loss must be considerable, especially if our information be correct, that there was no insurance upon the property. Mr. Barton was the lessee, who has also, no doubt, suffered much loss. We do not know who the other sufferers are, except that our worthy fellow-citizen, Mr. Charles J. Nourse, was one of them, and Mr. Louis Vivans another.

The Globe printing office, which occupies the lot on the west side of the Theatre, was saved from injury by being protected by the high and thick walls of the latter building, and on account of the wind blowing pretty freely at the time from the west, which carried the flames in an opposite direction.

ROBBERY AT GEORGETOWN.—The fancy and commission store of Edward S. Wright, at Georgetown, D. C., was on Friday night, robbed of from \$400 to \$500 worth of jewelry and fancy articles. The entrance into the store was effected by means of a false key, from the front door opening on Bridge street. The principal part of Mr. Wright's loss is ascertained to be in gold and silver pencil cases, spectacles, breastpins, gloves, ties, &c., besides articles of cutlery, penknives, purse trimmings, and the like. Several pairs of blankets and a piece of cloth were also taken. A liberal reward is offered and the probability is that the articles have already reached this city, so that the police should be on the look out.

CALIFORNIA.—The Washington correspondent of the Journal of Commerce says: "There is now a fair prospect that we shall acquire California by Treaty. The Whig party will commence the new movement for this object, by way of a set-off against Texas. The possession of California will be as valuable to us as that of Texas, and it can be, and probably will be, acquired by Treaty. A joint resolution will be introduced, in Executive session, it is said, (by Mr. Archer), requesting the President to open a negotiation with Mexico for the settlement of the boundary between the United States and Mexico, and also for obtaining indemnity from that Government for spoliation of American commerce and outrages on American citizens. Mexico will be expected, of course, to give up California, in part pay."

The Tory journals of France and England are calling the liberals and other reformers, Locofocers. That name will soon be the most popular one in Europe, as it is in the United States.

MR. CALHOUN.—It is said that a large number of persons in New York have united in an invitation to the Hon. John C. Calhoun to visit that city, and partake of a public dinner.

ANOTHER STAR IN THE FIRMAMENT.—The magnificent chandelier suspended in the Hall of Representatives supported twenty-six lights, the number of the States, as soon as the vote was ascertained on Thursday night, on the Texas question, says the Morning News, another light was immediately added to the galaxy, making twenty-seven. The coincidence hunters may also remark, that the vote in favor of admission in the Senate was twenty-seven, being one of each State, including Texas. It is also remarkable that the majority in the House on the final passage is fifty-six, being just four times the number (14) of new States that have been added to the Union since the original confederation. This may be indicative of the number yet to come in. Like Banquo's glist, it reflects the long line of States that are yet to swell the confederation.

Washington is rife with rumors, if we may judge by the varieties which abound in the letters from the metropolis, published in the Northern papers. Among these is the report, that Mr. W. O. Butler of Kentucky is to be nominated Minister to Mexico, and Gen. Armstrong of Tennessee Consul to Liverpool. One report is, that Mr. Richard Rush of Philadelphia will be nominated Minister to England—(a letter in the New York Evening Post speaks of Mr. Stevenson for that appointment).—Another rumor is, that Mr. Woodbury will be offered the mission to Russia; and Mr. Alexander Everett Commissioner to China, &c.—Enquirer.

On Monday morning last, the 10th inst., by the Rev. J. A. Gere, Mr. John W. McCurdy to Miss Jane A. Look, daughter of Mr. John Look, Sr., of this county. On the 4th inst., at Locust Grove, by the Rev. John Smith, Mr. ADRIAN D. HARDY of Jefferson county, to Miss MARY JANE, daughter of John Pierce, Esq. of Clarke county, Va.

Democratic Meeting.

A meeting of the Democracy of Jefferson county will be held at the Court House, in the room above the Courtroom, on Monday the 17th inst., at 2 o'clock, P. M. A general attendance is requested, as business of much importance will be transacted.

Meeting at Smithfield.

The Democratic party intend to meet at the School Room in Smithfield, on Saturday the 22nd March, at 4 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of appointing delegates to the proposed Congressional Convention to be held in Winchester on the 28th March. A full expression of the party is desired.

Meeting at Shepherdstown.

A meeting of the Democratic party will be held, at the usual place of meeting in Shepherdstown, on Saturday, 22nd March, at 1 o'clock, P. M. The object of this meeting will be, to appoint Delegates to represent that precinct in the proposed Congressional Convention to be held in Winchester on the 28th inst. A full attendance of the precinct is desired.

Meeting at Harpers-Ferry.

The Democrats of Harpers-Ferry precinct are requested to meet at Mr. James Walling's Virginia Hotel, on Saturday, March 15th, 1845, for the purpose of selecting delegates to represent this precinct in the Convention to be held in the town of Winchester on the 28th inst. A full meeting of the Democracy is earnestly desired, so that a free, full and fair expression of feeling of this precinct may be had as to its choice of the gentlemen, whose names may be proposed to that convention, as candidates to represent the 10th Congressional District in the next Congress of the United States.

Harpers-Ferry Merchant Tailor AND Ready-Made Clothing Store.

THE subscriber, intending to keep on hand at all times, the newest and most fashionable style of Goods in the Gentlemen's Department, would respectfully make known to his numerous customers, and the public in general, that he has just returned from the "City of Monuments," with a new and splendid assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, Satines, Drillings, Gambroons, Linens, Nankens, Suspenders, Gloves, Socks, Stocks, Scarfs, Cravats, Pocket Hdk's, &c., which I will sell at most reasonable prices.

Hats and Caps.

A new and splendid assortment of Beaver, Cassimeres, Silk and Russia Hats, Cloth and other Caps.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

A general assortment of Gentlemen's Boots and Shoes, Boys' do., Ladies' Sewing Machines, Children's Shoes. The stock being now full and complete, I respectfully ask a call from those who wish to purchase, and I feel satisfied that none will go away dissatisfied or disappointed.

WILLIAM J. STREPPENS.

Harpers-Ferry, March 14—F. Press copy.

SAPPINGTON'S HOTEL.

THE undersigned, having no other ambition to serve than that of paying his honest debts and those for which he is liable, and supporting, in an honorable way, himself and those dependent upon his exertions for support, begs leave to inform his numerous friends, and the public generally, that he has determined, upon the 1st day of April next, to take charge of his

LARGE and very commodious three-story BRICK HOTEL, in Charleston, Jefferson county, Virginia.

This Hotel is well known at home as well as abroad for the comforts of its pleasant parlors, its delightful chambers, and its very healthy and agreeable location—situated in the centre of the town—the front presenting a southern exposure,—adjoining the public square, near the market house, and but a few steps from the Court House, having a good pavement leading to the latter—nearly opposite the post office—and in all respects decidedly the most desirable and convenient location for all business transactions in the town.

It has also acquired much notoriety and celebrity by being known as Abell's Hotel, and without flattery or unmerited applause to Capt. Joseph F. Abell, public (and especially his patrons) will bear testimony with me to the fact—it is therefore the privilege and pleasure of the undersigned to express a fond hope for the success of his predecessor, and for the undisturbed happiness of his amiable family in their new abode at Harpers-Ferry, where they intend to remove and settle about the 1st of April next.

The undersigned deems it only necessary to add, that it will be the constant desire of his heart to keep a genteel, orderly and dignified house, and promises to spare no labor or attention on his part to make it equal, if not more agreeable, than heretofore.

The chambers are all large, airy and comfortable, with fire-places in each, and boarders can have choice of wood or coal for fuel.

The bar hall at all times supplied with choice Liquors, and (except upon Sabbath days) may be dealt out in moderation to the weary and thirsty.

Having procured from Bushrod Taylor, Esq., of Winchester, one of the best cooks in the Valley, the undersigned can, with great confidence, promise to his guests, dishes rare and palatable. And lastly, relying upon his unlimited acquaintance with the good people of his native county, his own unremitting exertions to please, and the liberality of a just and generous public, he flatters himself that he will merit, and hopes to receive, a bountiful share of patronage, with the further assurance, however, that none who favor him with a call shall go away dissatisfied. His charges will be moderate, and all sorts of country produce will be received in payment of bills now due or contracted hereafter at the Hotel.

G. W. SAPPINGTON.

Charleston, Jefferson co., Va., }  
March 14, 1845.

NEW FIRM.

THE undersigned having purchased the entire STOCK OF DRY GOODS, &c. of Mr. C. W. Aisquith, will continue the business at his Old Stand, where they will sell goods on such terms as cannot fail to please. They can say that they will always be found at their post, and will make every exertion to please, and hope to receive a share of the public favor. Business will be done under the name of

HARRIS, HAMMOND & Co.

Charleston, March 14, 1845.

Groceries.

WE have just received N. O. Brown Sugar, very good;  
Rio Coffee, Rice;  
Sperm and Tallow Candles;  
Winter Spices, warranted good;  
For sale at a small advance by

HARRIS, HAMMOND & Co.

March 14, 1845.

Liquors.

WE have on hand a small quantity of very fine Old Sherry Wine;  
Cognac Brandy;  
Apple Brandy;  
Old Port and Madeira Wines, &c., which we recommend to the sick. For sale by

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

BY virtue of a Deed of Trust from Anthony B. Storm to the undersigned, for the benefit of R. Doran & Co., I shall sell at the late residence of the said Storm, in Bolivar, in Jefferson county, and State of Virginia, on SATURDAY the 29th day of March, 1845, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, a variety of articles of

Personal Property,

Consisting of four Beds, Bedsteads and Bedding; 1 Bureau, 1 Side-board;  
1 Sofa, 1 Corner Cupboard;  
1 Clock, 1 Looking Glass;  
6 Windsor Chair, 6 Split-bottom do.;  
2 Walnut Tables;  
Besides other articles of Household and Kitchen Furniture, in said Deed mentioned—as, also, one Cow.

Sale to take place at 2 o'clock P. M., and terms made known on the day of sale.

ISAAC FOUKE, Trustee.

March 14, 1845—ts.

For Sale or Rent.

THE large BRICK HOUSE on Main street, Charleston, near the Valley Bank, at present in the occupancy of Geo. W. Ranson, Esq. Possession given the 1st of April.

FOR Hire.

FOR the balance of this year, a Negro Man, who is a good farm hand, and careful with horses.

For sale, about 10 or 12 bushels clean clover seed; about 1,000 lbs. prime Bacon, and Lard; by the firkin; all of which will be disposed of for credit or cash.

Hathaway Hot Air Cook Stoves.

PERSONS that may be in want of the above named Stoves, are respectfully informed that the subscriber has become the purchaser of the right for selling them in Jefferson county, Virginia. All letters on that subject, if directed to Harpers-Ferry, shall meet with prompt attention. A large number of these Stoves are kept constantly on hand.

WANTED.

A YOUNG MAN, who prefers a residence in Virginia, is desirous of obtaining a situation as Teacher, either in an Academy, or with a private family. Liberal salary will be required. He is highly qualified to teach the Latin, Greek, and higher branches of the English language. Satisfactory references as to capacity and conduct will be given. Communications (post paid) addressed to "C. K.," through the Baltimore Post Office, will be promptly attended to.

WALDEY LODGE, No. 11, I. O. F.

DESIGN celebrating the Twenty-fifth Anniversary of Odd-Fellowship, as introduced into the United States, by a Procession, &c., on the First Saturday in May next, (3rd.) An Address will be delivered on the occasion by a distinguished Brother of the Order.

FOR RENT.

I WOULD rent to a good tenant, the dwelling part of my large three-story BRICK HOUSE, opposite the Arsenal Yard. The house is large and well calculated for a Boarding House, having sixteen rooms, independent of two basement rooms and cellars. The Army is now in full operation, and to a person qualified to keep a boarding house, it is one of the best situations in the country. If the house was well kept the tenant could have as many boarders as he could accommodate. Possession can be had on the 1st of April. The rent will be moderate and the greater part may be paid in board. Terms made known by applying to the subscriber living on the premises.

PUBLIC SALE.

WILL be sold, at public sale, on THURSDAY, the 13th day of March next, at the residence of my father, near Cameron's Depot, the following property, viz:

Horses, Cattle, Hogs, & Sheep; Farming Implements of every kind, (not necessary to enumerate.)

TERMS.—A credit until the 1st of October will be given on all sums of \$5 and upwards, by the purchaser giving bond with approved security. Sums under \$5, the cash will be required.

Sale early in the day.

ABRAHAM MYERS.

Feb. 21, 1845.

Postponement.

THE sale of the above property has been postponed until TUESDAY, the 25th instant, when will also be sold, at the same time and place, by the Administrator, all the Personal Property of John Moyers, dec'd, consisting in part of

Household and Kitchen FURNITURE;

Two Horses, three new Wheel Fans; One Turning Lathe and Tool, and an extensive lot of Joiner's Tools, &c.

The terms of John Moyers' sale will be made known by the Administrator, on the day of sale.

March 7, 1845.

Town Lots For Sale.

FOUR Town Lots, each 1-4 of an acre, well fenced in, and situated in the most public and business part of the town. They would suit persons of small means exceedingly well. They would be sold for good paper. Early application will suit best terms. Enquire at

February 14, 1845. THIS OFFICE.

New Goods.

THE subscribers are now receiving a fresh supply of seasonable Goods.

KEYES & KEARSLEY.

Feb. 14.

Rare Chance.

1500 LBS. first-rate Spanish and Country SOLE LEATHER, which I will sell to any person taking 100 or more lbs., at 21 cents per lb. Less quantities, 23 cents Cash.—25 cents per lb. for all that is Booked, invariably.

BALTIMORE CITY.

TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS.

WHOLESALE HOUSES, BALTIMORE.

THE undersigned Merchants, Manufacturers, and Dealers of the city of Baltimore, being fully supplied with Goods in their respective departments, suited to the Spring and Summer Trade, avail themselves of the opportunity afforded through the medium of the newspapers, to invite Country Merchants to an examination of their several Stocks and Prices.

The superior advantages which this market affords, in many respects, to Country Dealers, the facilities for travelling and transportation, and a disposition on our part to offer every inducement to purchasers, both in terms and prices, will, we hope, attract old and new customers, to whom this invitation is respectfully addressed.

Importers and Dealers in Silk and Fancy Dry Goods.

B. F. Gardner & Co., No. 279 Market street.  
Domestic Cotton and Woolen Goods.  
John H. Duvall & Co. No 281 Market st.  
Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods.  
Pendleton, Rely & Co. No 277 Market street.  
Whitely, Gwyn & Co. " 243 "  
Wilkins & Wonn, " 245 "  
Pittman, Phillips & Co. " 256 "  
Hopkins & Hall, " 258 "  
Winchester, Irwin & Co. " 294 "  
Davidson and Sanders, " 298 "  
Bayne, Latham & Co. No 6 Hanover, near Market street.

Yeth & Norris, No 240 Market st.  
Sangster & Co. " 269 "  
Dealers in Florence Braids and Straw Bonnets, French Millinery Goods, Ribbons and Fancy Dry Goods.  
Salmon & Small, No 221 Baltimore st, four doors East of Charles st.  
Hardware and Cutlery.  
Thomas & Co. No 248 Baltimore st.  
B. F. Voss, No 8 South Charles st.  
Publishers, Booksellers and Stationers.  
Cushing & Brother, No 262 Baltimore st.  
Boots, Shoes, Bonnets, Caps, Fur, Leghorn and Palm Leaf Hats.  
Tinges & Duvall, No 279 Market st.  
J. Nesbitt, No 239 Baltimore st, between Charles and Hanover.  
James Carey, No 9 Hanover st., Commission Merchant.

Importers of China, Earthenware and Glass.  
C. Levering & Clark, No 118 and 120 Lombard street.  
E. M. Kerr & Co. } 250 Market st.  
Moses Potter, }  
Manufacturers and Dealers in Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, &c.  
Coulson & Co. No 4 South Liberty st.  
Stabler & Canby, No 120 Pratt st wharf.  
Dealers in Umbrellas, Parasols, Sun Shades, India Rubber Goods, &c.  
H. B. Field & Co. No 225 Baltimore st, next door to Charles st.

Manufacturers of Hats and Caps.  
Elmes & Seaver, No 219 Market st.  
Manufacturers, Importers and Dealers in Carpeting, Oil Cloths, Table and Piano Covers, &c.  
Shaw, Smith & Co. No 238 Market st.  
Grocers and Commission Merchants.  
John C. Sellman, Chesapeake, near Pratt at wharf.  
William Chesnut, corner of South and Pratt sts.  
William Crawford, Jr., Commerce st.  
David Hays, Exchange Place.  
Charles F. Pitt, No 14 Commerce st., Agent for Tin Plate, Druggists' Glassware, White Lead, Ground Spices, Chocolate, &c.  
Coach Manufacturer.  
Richard Bishop, No 79 Fayette st.  
Manufacturers and Importers of Paper Hangings.  
Howell & Brothers, No 217 Baltimore st.  
Watches, Jewelry, Silver and Plated Ware, Lamps, Cutlery, Military and Fancy Goods.  
Canfield & Brother, 227 Baltimore st, corner of Charles.

Importer and Dealer in German, French and English Fancy Goods, Clocks, Jewelry, Cutlery, Combs, Brushes, and Fancy Hardware.  
Jacob Trust, No 312 Baltimore st.  
Manufacturers of Furniture and Importers and Dealers in Upholstery Goods, Hardware, Glue, Mahogany, Lumber, and all Cabinet Maker's Materials.  
John & James Williams & Co. No 58 South st.  
Manufacturers of Cabinet Furniture, and Dealers in Mahogany, Hair Cloth, Glue, and all other Cabinet Materials.  
Hiss & Austin, No 112 Fayette st.  
Commission Merchants for the sale of all kinds of Manufactured and Leaf Tobacco.  
Jacob Heald & Co. No 68 South Gay st.  
Tobacco, Snuff and Segar Manufacturers.  
Boyd & Chapell, No 121 Pratt st wharf, corner of Hollingsworth st.

Manufacturers and Dealers in Window Glass, White Lead, Paints, Glue, &c.  
H. J. & C. J. Baker, No 2 North Liberty st. Patapoco Steam Carriage and Lard Oil Factory, Canton.  
Hancock & Mann, Manufacturers of Lard Oil, Adamantine and Diaphane candles, No 3 Commerce st.  
Biscuit and Cracker Bakers.  
Holden & Co, corner of Lombard and Gay sts., opposite the Custom House.  
Commission Paper Dealers and Manufacturers.  
Turner Wheelwright & Mudge, No 2 S. Charles st., second door from Baltimore st.  
The names Baltimore and Market designate the same street.

The undersigned, proprietors of BARNUM'S CITY HOTEL, Monument Square, Baltimore, respectfully unite in the above invitation to Country Merchants and others, pledging ourselves to do all in our power to render our House an agreeable "Home."

ZENUS BARNUM & ANDREW McLAUGHLIN, Surviving Partners of the late David Barnum. Baltimore, March 7, 1845—3t.

Fresh Milk Cows.

SEVERAL Fresh Milk Cows with Calves by their sides, for sale. Apply to

JOSEPH M. BROWN.

Charleston, March 7.

Carpeting, Cheap.

VERY extensive assortment of superfine, common, figured and striped Carpeting—also, Rag Carpeting, from good to superior quality—and all at very reduced prices—just received by

Feb. 28. J. J. MILLER & WOODS.

Figs, Grapes, Raisins and Almonds—fresh and cheap—just received and for sale by

Wanted to Hire.

A NEGRO GIRL, from 10 to 14 years of age. A good home and a liberal price will be given. Enquire at

THIS OFFICE. Feb. 28—3t.

REMOVAL.

THE Shop of the undersigned has been removed to the building two doors East of I. N. Carter's Hotel, Main street, where he will be happy to see his old friends.—All kinds of Saddles, Bridles, Harness, &c. as well as best Kip-skin Collars, manufactured in the best manner, always on hand, and sold at the very lowest price.

Feb. 28, 1845. JOHN BROOK, Agent.

FOR RENT.

THE HOUSE AND LOT near the Presbyterian Church, in Charleston, is for rent the ensuing year. The house is a good one, having three rooms on the lower floor, two above, and a good kitchen. There is also a good Stable, Corn-house, &c., attached to the premises. For terms, apply to

WM. P. EASTERDAY, Agent for Henry T. Dean. Feb. 28.

FOR SALE.

OATS, of a superior quality; Corn, Bacon, Hay, and two kinds of good Potatoes for sale by

GEORGE B. BEALL. Feb. 28, 1845—bow3t.

FARM FOR SALE.

The Best in Jefferson County, Va.

THE subscriber offers his old residence at private sale. It is situated 24 miles South of Shepherdstown, 24 miles from Dumfries Depot, on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, and immediately on the road leading from Shepherdstown to Charleston. The farm contains about

300 Acres Prime Limestone Land, well situated, and in a better state of cultivation than any other in the county. The tract is well watered, having two or three never-failing springs. There are about Seventy Acres of PRIME TIMBER. The improvement consist in part, of a comfortable two-story

Brick Dwelling House, a Switzer Barn, 84 feet long, with good stables underneath, sufficient for 28 horses, a CORN-SHED WITH GRANERY and WAGON-SHED attached. Also, a comfortable LOG DWELLING AND BLACKSMITH-SHOP, belonging to the farm, and situated on the main road.

There is on the farm a fine, young and THIRTY ORCHARD of the choicest Fruit, some of the trees of which are just beginning to bear, and have been selected with great care. Any person desiring further information as to this farm, terms, &c., can address the subscriber at Shepherdstown, Jefferson county, Va., or call on my son, R. A. Lucas, on the premises.

EDWARD LUCAS, Sr. Feb. 28, 1845—3t.

Seasonable Goods.

WE have just received a supply of Heavy Twills; Cottons; Cotton Osmaburgs; 4-4 Brown Cottons; Burlaps Lines; Maryland Penitentiary Plaids. For sale low by

HARRIS, HAMMOND & Co. Feb. 28, 1845.

New and Seasonable Goods.

THE subscribers have just returned from Baltimore, and have commenced receiving their supply of NEW AND SEASONABLE Goods, to which they invite the attention of the public.

Feb. 28. J. J. MILLER & WOODS.

Domestic.

Heavy twilled Osmaburgs, for servants' clothing; Plain do; 4-4 Brown Mullins; Bleached do, a good assortment; Penitentiary plaid Cottons; Furniture and apron Checks; Prints, American Nankens; Cotton Laps, Knitting Cotton, &c.

LONG AGO.

Afar by an ancient and shadowy wood, In the midst of a garden my early home stood.

Variety.

KEEP YOUR CHILDREN TIDY, THEN.—Send two children into the street, let one be a bare-headed, bare-footed ragamuffin, with a face which perhaps never had more than one thorough washing.

RELIGION.—Nothing has been more the object of ridicule than religion. It has been assailed by the wit of Voltaire, the ribaldry of Payne, and the elegant but subtle satire of Gibbon.

DURABLE VIRTUES.—Let me see a female possessing the beauty of a meek and modest deportment, of an eye that speaks intelligence and purity within.

Benjamin Franklin, at the commencement of the Revolutionary war, wrote the following:— "I am not terrified at the expense of war, should it continue ever so long."

IS THE COUNTRY RUINED?—The Boston Times asked "the country" and furnished the Legislature of Massachusetts for an act of incorporation, with a charter of half a million, for the purpose of erecting a new dam on the Merrimack river, six or seven miles below Lowell.

THE LIFE OF "GEORGE THOMAS."—He gets up leisurely, breakfasts comfortably, reads the papers regularly, dresses fashionably, lounges fastidiously, eats a tart gravely, tattles insipidly, dines considerably, drinks superfluously, and kills time indifferently.

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BALTIMORE CITY.

A CARD. THE subscriber would respectfully call the attention of Merchants, Apothecaries, and others in Virginia and elsewhere, to his assortment of

Drugs, Paints, Oils, Spices, Patent Medicines, &c., viz:

- Bull's Sarsaparilla—Sands' Sarsaparilla, Chapman's Worm Mixture—Swain's Pomace, Wright's do., do., Juckin's Patent Ointment, Camphor, refined—Rhubarb, root & powdered, Castor Oil, (cold pressed)—Gum Arabic, Epsom Salts—Roll Brimstone, Magnesia, Calcined and lump, Oil of Lemon and other Oils, Flowers of Sulphur—Calomel—Hydrobromide, Together with a general assortment of Perfumery and Fancy articles.

COULSON & Co. (Successors to William Emack) WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS,

No. 4, S. Liberty st., BALTIMORE.

KEEP constantly on hand a large and general assortment of

Drugs, Paints, Oils, Dye-Staffs, &c., which they offer upon accommodating terms for cash, or the usual credit to punctual customers.

Baltimore, Nov. 23, 1844—6m.

Drugs, Medicines, Paints, &c. &c., THE Subscriber keeps constantly for sale, on the most liberal terms, a general assortment of

Medicines, Drugs, Dye-stuffs, Paints, Oils, Glass, Varnishes, Brushes &c.

Having a Steam Mill in operation, for the purpose of grinding Spices, &c., he is enabled to sell these at the very lowest prices, and of as good a quality as it is possible to get them.

No charge for delivering goods in any part of the city.

N. B.—Country merchants dealing in Putty would do well to give the subscriber a call, as he has patented a machine for making this article, and sells it much below the market price.

JAMES W. W. GORDON,

152, West Pratt street, opposite Baltimore & Ohio Rail Road Depot.

Baltimore, Nov. 29, 1844—3m—pd.

FOUNTAIN INN,

(LATE BELTZHOVER'S,) LIGHT STREET, BALTIMORE, MARYLAND.

W. W. DIX, PROPRIETOR, ARTHUR L. FOGG, {

HAVING leased this extensive and favorite establishment, and entirely renovated and refitted it thoroughly, so that it can compare advantageously with any similar establishment in the Union, have no hesitation in endeavoring to attract the attention of the travelling public to this favorite Hotel.

In accordance with the difficulties of the times, they have determined to reduce their charges to correspond. TERMS \$1.25 PER DAY.

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 15, 1844—1v.

JOHN WONDERLY,

Formerly Conductor of the Balt. & Ohio RAIL-ROAD.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL China, Glass and Liverpool Ware-House,

No. 47, South street, Baltimore,

INFORMS his friends and the public in general, that he will sell any articles in his line of business as cheap, or perhaps cheaper than any other house in this city.

But a few months since the whig presses in the interest of the manufacturers raised a universal outcry of ruin. They inisted that the very shadow of the approaching administration of Mr. Polk had bighted the most vital business interests of the country.

They seem now to have as little confidence in their opinions as the people have manifested; to place as little reliance on their predictions as ruin as the people have in their promises of "better times," and to conclude that their estimate of the consequences of the democratic victory are as unfounded as their former calculations of a whig triumph.

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PHILADELPHIA.

TO SOUTHERN AND WESTERN MERCHANTS.

THE subscribers, Wholesale Merchants, Manufacturers, and Dealers in Philadelphia, respectfully invite those Merchants from the South and West, who are about to purchase their Spring and Summer supplies, to call and examine their

respective Stocks of Goods.

As we intend keeping on hand full and complete assortments in our several departments of business, suited to the Southern and Western Markets, we assure those who may favor us with a call, that no reasonable endeavors on our part shall be wanting to give them entire satisfaction.

Caleb Cope & Co., 165 Market St.

M. L. Hallwell & Co., 143 " "

W. & R. P. Remington, 92 " "

See, Brother & Co., 70 " "

Ashhurst & Remington, 80 " "

Buck & Pater, 118 " "

Yard & Gilmore, 109 " "

Reynolds, McFarland & Co., 105 Market St.

Burnet, Withers & Co., 120 " "

John H. Brown & Co., 126 " "

Reese & Heylen, 185 " "

Importers of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, &c. &c.

Wood & Wilson, 65 Market St.

William H. Love, 147 " "

Importers of Hardware and Cutlery.

Yardley, Sowers & Co., 141 Market St.

Martin & Smith, 113 " "

Edward S. Handy & Co., 98 " "

Rogers, Brothers & Co., 52 " "

Importers and Manufacturers of Saddlery Hardware.

Craigie, Holmes & Co., 110 Market St.

William Ford, 7 North Fourth St.

Importers and Manufacturers of Saddlery and Saddlery Hardware.

Fairbairn & Co., 11 North Fourth St.

Publishers, Booksellers, and Stationers.

Hogan & Thompson, 80 North Fourth St.

Grigg & Elliott, 9 " "

Uriah Hunt & Son, 44 " "

Manufacturers, Importers and Dealers in Carpets, Oil-Cloths, &c., &c.

A. McCallum & Co., 87 Chestnut St.

Clarkson, Rich & Mulligan, 111 " "

Boots, Shoes, Bonnets, Caps, Leghorn and Palm Hats.

W. E. & J. G. Wheelan, 158 Market St.

Levick, Jenkins & Co., 150 " "

Manufacturers and Importers of China, Earthenware and Glass.

James Tams & Co., 217 Market St.

John Y. Rushton, 245 " "

Manufacturers and Dealers in Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, &c.

George W. Carpenter & Co., 301 Market St.

Samuel F. Troth, (late Henry Troth & Co.) 224 " "

Importers of Watches, Jewelry, Fine Cutlery, Plated and Silver Wares.

Dickson & Co., S. E. cor. Market and Third St.

Watson & Hildeburn, 72 Market St.

Manufacturers of Umbrellas, Parasols and Sun-Shades.

Wright & Brothers, 125 Market St.

Sleeper, Brothers, 126 " "

Manufacturer of Combs and Looking Glasses, and Dealers in Brushes, Buttons, Threads, and Staple Fancy Goods.

Thos. Burch, Jr., (late of Pittsburg), 182 Market St.

Wm. A. Eversly, 225 " "

Harris & Mason, 128 Market St., Up Stairs.

Manufacturers and Importers of Paper Hangings.

Howell & Brothers, 80 and 142 Chestnut St.

John Beatty, 118 Chestnut St.

Manufacturers of Patent Floor and Furniture Oil Cloths and Carriage Curtains.

Isaac Macaulay, Jr., 6 North Third St.

Potter & Carmichael, 568 " "

Importers of Hosiery, Gloves, Threads, Trimmings and Fancy Goods.

Setley & Sevenson, 23 North Third St.

Thomas Mellor, 99 Arch St.

Manufacturers and Importers of Military Goods, Carriage Laces, Fringes, Cords, Tassels, and Ladies' Fancy Trimmings.

Wm. H. Horstmann & Sons, 51 N. Third St.

Manufacturer of Patent Solar Lard Lamps, Chandeliers, &c., &c.

Elias S. Archer, 32 North Second St.

Importer of Toys, Fancy and Staple Goods.

A. F. Ott Moore, 16 South Fourth St.

Importers of Fancy Articles, Combs, Brushes, Soaps, and Perfumery.

R. & G. A. Wright, 23 South Fourth St.

Importers of British, French, Fancy and Staple Stationery, and Manufacturers of Playing and Blank Cards.

L. I. Cohen & Co., 27 South Fourth St.

Importer and Manufacturer of French Artificial Flowers, Feathers, &c.

R. Barton, 51 Chestnut St.

Manufacturer of Saddles, Bridles, Trunks, and Carpet Bags.

James E. Brown, 4 South Fourth St.

Piano Forte Manufacturer.

E. N. Scherr, 266 Chestnut St.

Philadelphia, January 10, 1845—4m.

Headache Remedy,

FOR THE CURE OF SICK HEADACHE.

THIS distressing complaint may be cured by using one bottle of Sayer's Sick Headache Remedy, which has cured thousands of the worst cases.

Persons after suffering weeks with this deathlike sickness, will buy a bottle of this remedy, and be cured, and then complain of their folly in not buying it before. People are expected to use the whole bottle, not use it two or three times and then complain that they are not cured. A bottle will cure them.

Small wholesale and retail by Constock & Co., 21 Cortland street, New York, and

J. H. BEARD & Co., Charleston, A. M. CRIDLER, Harpers-Ferry.

Jan. 17, 1845.

Oil of Tannin for Leather.

MONEY TO BE SAVED! The proprietors of this preparation say without any hesitation, that it is the best article in use. It will not only keep harness bright and soft, but will restore old harness that has been taken poor care of, taking off the crust, and making it perfectly soft and pliable.

It adds to the wear of harness or leather at least 50 per cent. It is an article that comes cheap, and is worth its weight in silver.

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J. H. BEARD & Co., Charleston, A. M. CRIDLER, Harpers-Ferry.

Jan. 17, 1845.

Additional supply of Hardware.

I HAVE just received, in addition to my former Stock, a good supply of the following articles: Jack-screws, Bramble Secures, Cross-cut Saws; Corn and Garden Hoes;

Hand-axes, Plasterer's Hatchets, Cooper's Froes; Street Traps, Sheep-bells;

Pratt Lever Shot Chargers, Percussion Caps; Brass and Iron Hat and Coat Pins;

Cutting Nippers; Back-chains, Curbs;

Red-screws, Hammers, Padlocks, Files, Rasps, &c., making my assortment almost complete, all of which I will sell on the very best terms.

THOMAS R. WILKINS, Jan. 31, 1845.

CHEAP OVER-COATS.—Over-Coats heavy and warm, ready made for sale at \$5 a piece

J. J. MILLER & WOODS, Jan. 31, 1845.

NEW YORK CITY.

WHOLESALE HOUSES, NEW-YORK.

THE subscribers are now simply prepared with full Stocks of Goods in their respective departments, peculiarly suited to the wants of Southern and Western Merchants.

The large and varied assortment which the New York market affords to purchasers, presents a superior opportunity for a choice selection, and on terms in all respects as favorable, to say the least, as any other market.

Southern and Western Merchants are assured of our determination to please, if possible, all who are in search of Spring and Summer Supplies—and are respectfully invited to examine our several stocks and prices.

Silks and Fancy Goods.

Bowen & McNamee, 16 William, corner of Beaver street.

Carleton, Frothingham & Co., No. 173 Pearl street, corner of Pine street.

Straw Goods.

G. M. Peck, 146 Pearl street.

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods.

Dortmus, Snyder & Nixon, No. 39 Nassau street, corner of Liberty, opposite the Post Office.

C. W. & J. T. Moore & Co., 207 Pearl street, four doors above Maiden Lane.

Neilson & Graydon, 61 Cedar street, next door to the new Post Office.

J. W. & R. Leavitt, 166 Pearl street.

Parsons & Lawrence, 139 Pearl street and 82 Beaver, a few doors below Wall street.

Bradner & Co., 160 Pearl street, near Wall.

John P. Stagg & Co., 182 Pearl street.

F. S. & D. Lathrop, 63 William street, corner of Cedar street.

Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings and Summer Goods.

Wilson G. Hunt & Co., No. 82 William street, corner of Maiden Lane.

F. S. Winston & Co., 138 Pearl street; Foreign and Domestic Woollens, Vestings and Pantaloon Stuffs.

Hardware and Cutlery.

Wolfe & Gillespie, 193 Pearl street, near Maiden Lane.

Hyslop & Brother, successors to Robert Hyslop & Son, No. 220 Pearl street, above Maiden Lane.

Cornell, Brothers, 269 Pearl, corner Fulton street.

Wetmore & Co., 79 and 81 Vesey, and 205 Washington streets; Importers and Dealers in Hardware, Bar Iron and Steel.

John Van Nest, successor to Abraham Van Nest, 114 Pearl street, Hanover Square; Importer and Dealer in Saddlery, Coach and Harness Hardware.

W. I. Buck, 209 Pearl street, four doors above Maiden Lane; extensive Manufacturer and Importer of Saddlery, Harness and Coach Hardware.

Henry Baylis, 105 Maiden Lane, Manufacturer and Importer of Needles and Fancy Goods.

Importer of French and English Staple Stationery.

Lewis I. Cohen, 138 William street, two doors from Fulton.

Importers of Watches, Fine Cutlery, Jewelry and Plated Ware.

Fellows, Wardsworth & Co., No. 17 Maiden Lane.

Ball, Tompkins & Black, (late Marquand & Co.) 181 Broadway.

Boots, Shoes, Leghorn, Palm Hats and Caps, Bonnets, &c.

D. & A. Wesson, 157 Pearl street, near Wall.

Spofford, Tilton & Co., 149 Water street.

Watson & Shipton, No. 37 Nassau street, opposite the Post Office.

Calvin W. How, 131 Maiden Lane.

Books and Stationery.

Collins, Brother & Co., 254 Pearl street.

Pratt, Woodford & Co., 63 Wall street.

Huntington & Savage, 216 Pearl street.

Importers of Fancy Articles, Brushes, Combs, Perfumery, &c.

A. H. Ward & Co., (formerly Baily, Ward & Co.) 41 Maiden Lane.

Levi Cook & Co., 138 Pearl street, also Buttons, &c.

Wm. H. Carey & Co., 186 Pearl street, opposite Cedar street.

Spelman & Fraser, 136 Pearl street—also Cutlery, Buttons, &c.

Manufacturers and Dealers in Drugs, Medicines, Paints and Dye Stuffs.

Haviland, Keese & Co., 80 Maiden Lane.

H. H. Schieffelin & Co., 104 and 105 John street.

J. & J. F. Tripp, 90 and 92 Maiden Lane.

Headley, Dimes & Co., 142 Water street, near Maiden Lane.

Cutlery, House-keeping Hardware, Tin and Wood Ware, Baskets, &c.

J. B. Windle & Co., 56 Maiden Lane.

Wines, Liquors, Segars, Fine Groceries, &c.

A. Blinniger & Co., 141 Broadway.

Wholesale Grocers.

J. & A. Lowery, 121 Front street.

China, Glass and Earthen Ware.

Henry W. Haydock, 276 Pearl street.

Umbrellas, &c.