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TAKE TIME BY THE FORELOCK, Is a piece of advice which is suitable to all seasons Is a piece of advice which is suitable to all seasons and applicable to all purposes; though there is no instance to which this piece of advice is more valuable, than to persons who have a cough or cold, for if they neglect what may appear to them very trifling

IN THE BEGINNING, it may lead to Inflammation of Lungs, and finally Consumption !- To all who have a cough, we would say, procure a bottle of HANCE'S COMPOUND SYRUP OF

HOARHOUND.

The medicine is pleasant to take and it may save you years of suffering. Price 50 Cents per bottle or six bottles for

DENTAL CARD. D.R. McCORMICK will visit Charlestown, Professionally, on the 10th of July, and re-main during the month. June 11, 1847-3t.

LAWRENCE B. BECKWITH, HAVING removed to the New Ware-house, No. 29, Commerce Street, will continue to sell on commission, Flour, Grain and other Produce. He respectfully asks the patronage of the Farmers and Millers of the Valley. Baltimore, June 11, 1847-6m.

TURNER & MUDGE,

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN PAPER OF all descriptions. Printing and Writing Inks, Bleaching Pow-F all descriptions.

ders, Russia Skins, &c. Tr Cash paid for Rags. No. 3, South Charles Street, Baltimore. June 11, 1847-1y.

HYDRAULIC CEMENT.

HYDRAOLIC CHEMENT. HAVING completed all my arrangements for the manufacture of Hydraulic Cement, I beg to announce, that I am now prepared to furnish the article, at the Potomac Mills (near Shepherds-town) in any quantities, and of quality, which I am willing to warrant, will be quite equal to the very best Water Cements made in any part of the United States the United States.

ALEXANDER R. BOTELER. June 11, 1847.-6t.

CAUTION.

THE notice heretofore published being disre-L garded by many, we once more caution all persons against hunting, or otherwise trespassing upon our lands, as we are resolved to enforce the law against all offenders, without respect to perperso sons. The location of our farm near Halltown, especially as to public roads and other circumstances, seem to expose us in a peculiar manner to various depredations, and we are determined, however unpleasant, to protect ourselves in fu-ture. WM. LUCAS, WM. LUCAS.

Rion Hall, June 11, 1847.

RICHARD PARKER,

attomster at law, HAS resigned the office of Paymaster of the U.S. Armory at Harpers-Ferry, and will in future devote himself exclusively to his profes-

He will attend the several Courts of Jefferson, Clarke, Frederick, Hampshire and Morgan. Charlestown, May 28, 1847-6m.

DOCTOR O. G. MIX.

(LATE OF WASHINGTON CITY, D. C.,)

HAVING permanently established himself in Charlestown, profilers his services to the public. He can be found, either day or night, at is office or at Carter's Hotel, unless professionally engaged. Office one door from Mr. J. H. Beard's dwelling

Dr Operations on the teeth performed by ap-

General Intelligence.

EXTRAORDINARY, HAIL. STORM.—A letter in the Georgia Chronicle, signed Joshua Hill, and dated Monticello, May 31, gives an almost incredi-ble account of the hail storm of the 19th. The Chronicle says, "those who know the writer need no endorsement of his statements." We extract a portion of his letter: "Were you not well acquainted with me, I confess I should hesitate in my brief account, for fear of not being believed. In the neighborhood of Wise's Ferry, Ocmulgee, the storm was very fierce, but it was severest about two or three miles this side of the river. The scene must have been

this side of the river. The scone must have been terrific in the extreme, the hail fell as large as tartific in the extreme, the hall fell as large as goose-eggs, and in quantities incredible to relate. Large banks of the stones yet lie in the corner of the fences, notwithstanding the very coplous rains that have fallen since, and the bright sun of twelve clear days. Our boys are yet enjoying ice drinks from these unexhausted banks. It would be difficult to find a single head of wheat on any sized wheatfield in the immediate vicinity. I am describing. Flocks of goats were killed, and whole stocks of hogs nearly destroyed, the horns of cows were broken off, and some persons severely injured. The forests are almost as leaf-less as in mid-winter, and present a most melan-choly picture. Immense numbers of poultry, birds, snakes, and fish were destroyed. The or-chards were stripped of their entire covering, and the trees so bruised as to leave no hope that they will survive. I have seen post oak saplings, pines, and other trees that were as completely bruised from the root up, as if they had been bruised from the root up, as if they had been struck a thousand hard blows with a heavy ham-mer, clearing the rough bark and indenting the wood at every blow.

WHEELING .- We had no idea that Wheeling was such an extensive place until we read the fol-lowing paragraph in the "Times" of that city : lowing paragraph in the "Times" of that city : "The rolling mill here produces at the rate of \$500,000 annually, and another larger establish-ment of the same kind is progressing. Our foun-daries yield \$150,000, engine shops \$100,000, cot-ton factories \$80,000, steel factory \$90,000, wag-on makers \$150,000, paper mills \$140,000, tallow chandlers \$150,000, glass works \$200,000, silk factory \$75,000, copper and tin workers \$60,000, boat yards \$150,000, cabinet makers \$100,000, tobacco \$120,000, saddle and harness makers \$75,000, chairs \$80,000, white lead \$25,000, hats and caps \$50,000, besides numerous other works of various other kinds, yielding in all not less than four millions annually. These establish-ments are all prosperous, having as much as they can do and having a market unsupplied that would can do and having a market unsupplied that would be equal to the supply of five more establishments in each branch of business."

From the Woodstock Sentinel.

AN AGED PAIR SEPARATED .--- Mrs. Barbara Wisman, consort of Nicholas Wisman, departed this life, near Woodstock, on the 10th inst.; aged ninely years. She shared the joys and sorrows of her husband, (who is of the same age, and still living, sixty eight years and four months ! Their

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THE ORPHAN'S PRAYER. BY BANYARD, THE ARTIST.

BY BANYARD, THE ARTIST. The sun has set amain, mother; My toilsome task is done, And I have come again, mother; To weep with you alone. I've labored hard the live long day, To get wherewith to cat; And at thy feet I've come to pray, And o'er thy grave to weep.

The moon is shining bright, mother, O'er th' dew drops on the trees; And they are sparkling bright, mother, Shook by the passing breze. And as the winds go sighing past, The tall boughs mournful wave, From which the drops are filling fast, Like tears upon thy grave.

The bible I have brought, mother, To read some holy lines, As oft I've done before, mother, Beneath the flowering vine Which grew in graceful, blooming fold Above our peaceful cot; And o'er the doorway clambered hold, In many a tangled knot.

In many a tangled knot. My sister, too, was there, mother; Methinks I wes her now, As with her curly hair, mother, Clustering o'er her brow; We knelt together by your knee, You taught us both to pray; Alas; deat Emma's gone from me, To Heaven she's borne away.

When we our prayer had said, mother, And th' Evening Hymn had sung, You put as in the little bed, With snow white curtains hung; You kissed us then, and both you blost, But ah! how changed around ! The only place I've now to rest, Is th' damp and chilly ground.

Now I am left to monrn, mother, To me how sail the day That I was left alone, mother, And you were the en away. I wish it were that I might die, And by your side lie down; For sure the world is colder far Than th' dark and humid ground

Miscellaneous.

"RUNNING A SAW" ON A JUDGE.

Scraps from the Note-Book of a Missouri Lawyer. Among the members of the bar was young Among the members of the bar was young $H \longrightarrow$, whose round smooth face, soft skin and clear complexion, gave him a rather feminine cast of contenance. And the mode in which he dressed his hair, heightened the effect of his peculiar physiognomy. In his childhood he received an injury on his head from a scald, which ever after prevented the growth of any hair on the scalded spot. On every other part of his head his hair was of the most luxuriant growth. This blemish he was always very careful to conceal by combing his hair over the naked place and fas-

tening it with a lady's comb. But it must not be inferred that H---- was feminine in his disposition; for a more manly generous-hearted, good-natured fellow never lived. He was always full of fun, and always ready to

He was always full of fun, and always ready to enter into any joke that was going. The landlady at one of our usual stopping pla-ces on the Circuit, was a very precise, formal widow, considerably past the prime of life, who valued herself very much for her strict propriety of deportment, and the respectability of her house.

 June 4, 1847-6m.
 Grand children,
 65

 SHANNONDALE SPRINGS.
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 Amounting in all to
 168.

 Of the above number, 31 have died, and 137 are still living.
 Hence was fulfilled the promise in Psalm 128, 3, 6: "Thy wife shall be as a fruitful vie by the side of the house; thy children's children."
 She was naturally an amiable woman, and for

 Every exertion will be made to render the time of visce thy children's children."
 She was naturally an amiable woman, and for

exclaimed the widow with much virtuous indigna-

indignation, replied : "Judge T____, you are the last person from whom I should have expected such treatment.___ You might, at least, have spared me this insult

in my own house." "Insult, Mrs. L....?" said the Judge, with the greatest astonishment. "What is the mean-ing of all this? I am entirely unconscious of having done any thing to injure your foelings." "You are, indeed !" replied our hostess. "Do you not regard it as an insult to a lady to introyou not regard it as an insult to a lady to intro-duce to her such a worthless creature as that," pointing to H_____, who stood by the side of the Judge, cap in hand, and lost in utter amazement at this unexpected attack upon his character. "Why, Mrs. L____," continued the Judge, "this is Mr. H____, one of the most respectable young gentleman in our country. You certainly must have____"

"Respectable indeed!" interrupted our landlady in a scornful and indignant manner. "A worth-less hussy dressed in man's clothes. And you, Judge T_____, to be travelling in company with such a creature. I never would have believed it, had I not beheld it with my own eyes." "My dear Madame," said H____, stepping for-ward, "you are mistaken—some one must have been imposing upon you." "Don't dear Madame me—you brazen-faced trollop," exclaimed the old lady. "How dare you come into my house ? Out of my house this moment—you impudent jade." "Surely, Mrs. L____" said the Judge, endea-voring to stop this torrent of abuse, 'there is some strange mistake about all this. I assure you that you are entirely mistaken in your surmise. This "Respectable indeed!" interrupted our landlady

you are entirely mistaken in your surmise. This young gentleman is well known to all the mem-bers of our bar. Mr. F— you are well ac-quainted with Mr. H—. Where is Mr. F—? The Judge looked around, but all had disappear-

ed, save the actors in the ludicrous scene. As soon as we saw that matters were coming to a crises, we all left the room, and going round the house placed ourselves in a position where

the house placed ourselves in a position where we could hear all that was going on within, with-out any danger of being discovered. In the mean time, Mrs. L— insisted that the Judge and H— should both leave the house. Not being able to find any one to aid them in their extremity, and despairing of convincing her of the mistake she was laboring under, they mounted their horses and rode on to the next mounted their horses and rode on to the next

house As soon as they had departed, we returned to the house, and complimented the old lady on the resolution and spirit she had . anifested on this

EXTRAORDINARY PASSION.

EXTRAORDINARY PASSION.Are some for mine. They shall not stay in my house."F— had succeeded in working up the old lady to the right pitch, when the Judge, in company with H—, entered the house." Mrs. L—," observed the Judge, with much cordiality of manner, "I am indeed very glad to see you looking so well. How have you been this fall ? Allow me to introduce to you my young friend, Mr. H—, who intends to practice in our circuit."The old lady drew herself up to her full height, and with a countenance expressing the utmost indignation, replied : in question invited the lad to spend some days at her house at Clapton, and that having detained the lad in her house for a lengthened period, the lady, who verging on 60 years of age, unblushing-ly made the most fervent avoual of her passion-

ly made the most fervent avowal of her passion-ate attachment for the boy, and declared it to be her intention at once to marry him. The mother shocked and disgusted at this disclosure insisted upon taking her son home with her, and after much difficulty she did succeed in getting the lad away; but he returned, and the lady removed from her residence, 3 Grove, East Clapton, and took apartments at the Railway Hotel, Nine t Elms station, intending to start for Guernsey, and there to get married. Mr. Elliott (the magistrate) thought the father would be perfectly justified in taking away his son and giving him a good flog-ging, and the parties left the court, declaring their determination to have him, one way or other. Af-ter making the application to this court on Tues-day evening, the parents of the boy, proceeded there as directed by the magistrate, for the pur-pose of posseesing themselves of their youthful son, and by threats and menaces succeeded in pose of possessing themselves of their youthful son, and by threats and menaces succeeded in

getting him away .- Eng. Paper. PERILS OF FALSEHOOD .- In the beautiful lan-PERILS OF FALSEHOOD.—In the beautiful lan-guage of an eminent writer, " when once conceal-ment of deceit has been practiced in matters where all should be fair and open as the day, confidence, can never more be restored, any more than you can restore the bloom to the grape or the plum which you have once pressed in your hand."— How true is this ! and what a neglected truth by a great portion of mankind ! Falsehood is not only one of the most humiliating vices, but sconer or later it is most certain to lead to many serious crimes. With partners in trade—with partners in life—with friends—with lovers—how imporcrimes. With partners in trade—with partners in lile—with friends—with lovers—how impor-tant is confidence! How essential that all guile and hypocrisy should be guarded against in the intercourse between such parties! How much misery would be avoided in the history of many lives, had truth and sincerity been guiding and con-trolling motives, instead of provarication and de-ceit! "Any vice," said a parent in our hearing, a few days since, "any vice, at least among the frailues of a milder character, but falsehood. Far better that my child commit an error, or dow better that my child commit an error, or do a wrong and confess it, than escape the penalty, however severe, by falsehood and hypocrisy.— Let me know the worst, and a remedy may possi-bly be applied. But keep me in the dark—let me be misled or deceived—and it is impossible to tell at what unprepared hour a crushing blow, an over-

whelming expose, may come."

Prepared and sold by SETH S. HANCE, 108 Baltimore st. and corner of Chas & Pratt sts. ginia

JOS Database by For sale by J. P. BROWN, Charlestown, JOSEPH ENTLER, Shepherdstown, JOSEPH ENTLER, Harpers-Ferry; A. M. CRIDLER, Harpers-Ferry; and DORSEY & BOLEY, Winchester.

R. S. LITTEJOHN,

HARPERS-FERRY, VIRGINIA, HAS just opened in the store room over the corner of High and Shenandoah streets, an entirely new, fashionable and well selected

Stock of Merchandize,

Consisting in part of Dry Goods, Groceries, Queensware, Hats, Caps, Bonnets, &c. &c., which will be sold as low as they can be bought in the county. A call from my old friends, and the citizens of Harpers-Ferry, and the country generally, is clicited before purchasing elsewhere.

generally, is solicited before purchasing else when Domestic Cottons at city prices. In addition to the above, the basement of 1 is store room is appropriated to the use of Capt. J. Gibson, where will be found for sale, at his usual low prices, Herring, Shad, Salt, Plaster, Tar, and all other articles in his line in their season. R. S. L.

R. S. Littlejohn is duly authorized to act a agent for me in my absence; all orders will be promptly attended to. JOHN GIBSON. April 30, 1847—6m.

NEW GOODS.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the public that he is now receiving a choice se-lection of SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, which will be sold on accommodating terms or exchanged for all kinds of Country Produce. JOHN T. LITTLE.

Shepherdstown, April 30, 1847-2m.

Great Bargains Offered. T is not so very strange, but yet it is true, that persons will invariably purchase Merchandise, doc., of those who sell the cheapest and best arti-cles. Therefore the subscriber, feeling confident that he can and will sell as low as any Merchant in the Valley, would respectfully invite his friends and the clitzens of Harpers-Ferry generally, to give him a call, and he will show them a *splendid*

Groceries, Tin-ware, Queens-ware, Boots, Shoes, Hais, Drugs, Oils and Dye-stuffs. Also-STAPLE DRY GOODS, BACON AND FISH.

He expects to have continually on hand, after a few days, the very best brands of FLOUR, together with Horse Feed, and indeed any and every arti-cle necessary for food or raiment, in the staple

line. . IIT Just call round the corner by Stephens & Wells' Clothing Store, and nearly opposite Abell's Hotel, at the sign of CORRAD & BROTHER, and all shall be O. K. F. J. CONRAD. Harpars-Ferry, April 30, 1847-6m. N. B.—I am the authorized agent for the sale of Norris' Tonic, the best medicine for the cure of Agmes and Feyer now extent F. J. C.

of Ague and Fever now extant. F. J. C.

Plaister. T HAVE on hand a large supply, of Plaister, T and have an arrangement with Mr. James P. Danley, at the Mill formerly accupied by Mr. Hart, by which persons to whom a may be convenient can at once exchange the lump for ground. May 14, 1847. WM. R. SEEVERS.

BLANKS, OF ALL KINDS, FOR SALE LOW, at THIS OFFICE.

The Stage will run as usual (daily) to the Rail Road Depot, at Charlestown, to convey Visiters to and from the Springs.

Children in the state of the TE	RMS.
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isiting the Springs-1	out in all cases I wish visi-

ters to get return tickets at the Bar. May 21, 1847-3m.

NEW CABINET MANUFACTORY.

& T. K. STARRY, respectfully inform J. & T. K. STARRY, respectivity interna-in Charlestown, on the corner west of the Bank and opposite the Post Office, a

CABINET FACTORY.

Having supplied themselves with a stock of Ma terials, they are prepared to manufacture, and will keep constantly on hand,

Bureaus, Sideboards, Sofas, Ward-

robes, Bedsteads,and every other article in the Cabinet line. have also supplied themselves, with a choice as-sortment of PAPER HANGINGS, and will give prompt attention to all business in that line. Repairing of all kinds attended to. -ALSO-

Chair-Making and Painting

Executed with neatness, and all orders from a dis-tance promptly attended to. In UNDER TAKING also attended to with

Also-Turning of every description executed

with promptness. They respectfully invite the public to give

them a call. Charlestown, May 7, 1847-tf.



OFFERS his professional services to the pub-lic generally. He will practise in Jefferson and the neighbor-ing Counties. April 16, 1847.

DIX'S COLUMBIA HOUSE, South Charles Street, opposite German Street, BALTIMORE, MD.

T HIS HOUSE being located in the immediate vicinity of the Railroad Depot makes it a desirable

Situation for Travellers. Terms per day \$1,25 cts. April 23, 1847-6m.

CASH FOR NEGROES.

THE subscriber is anxious to purchase alarge 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 be-fore selling, as he will pay the very highest cash prices.

prices, He can be seen at the Berkeley Courts, at Mar-tinsburg, on the second Monday, and at Berryville on the fourth Monday in each month, and usual-ly at his residence in Charlestown. All letters addressed to him will be promptly attended to. WILLIAM CROW.

Charlestown, Nov. 20, 1846-tf.

more than 70 years, an exemplary member of the Lutheran church. She was prepared for her end and she desired, not only for weeks, but for years, "to be absent from the body, and present with the Lord." May her numerous offspring imitate her pions example. J. P. C. pious example.

STATISTICS AND TRADE OF THE WEST .- The statistics given below have been taken from the "Memorial of the citizens of St. Louis to the Con-gress of the United States, praying an appropria-tion for removing the obstructions to navigation of the Western Rivers," &c., prepared in the year 1843. They will give some idea of the extent and value of the commerce of the Mississippi valley. "The extent of steamboat navigation on the Mississippi and its tributaries, is about 15,-000 miles. The population of those States bordering on those rivers is not far from 8,000,000-or over one third of the population of the United States. Estimated trade of the valley of the Mississippi in the year 1842, \$2,000,000. Estimated number of the year 1842, \$2,000,000. Estimated number of boats engaged in navigating the rivers above nam-cd, in same year 672. Number of persons direct-ly employed in these boats, 13,440. Amount of tonnage belonging to St. Louis 20,765, in 1843--value, \$1,324,500. Amount of tonnage owned elsewhere, but engaged in whole or in part in the St. Louis trade in the years 1842 and 1843, 26, 400. this is the outform here measurement. the 498—this is the custom house measurement; the actual tonnage is from 30 to 60 per cent greater. The number of arrivals in St. Louis in the year 1843, was 2,057-tonnage, 3,151 467 tons. Capi-tal invested in the boats employed in the St. Louis trade, \$4,740,000."

HARVEST MACHINE.—A correspondent writing from Michigan to the New York Evangelist says: "A field of sixty acres was harvested in two days, as follows: a machine wits drawn into the field" by sixteen horses, guided by as many boys as ne-cessary. On the front of the machine a man was stationed to adjust the forks and circular knives to the height of the wheat, which was easily and rapidly thrown back into the machine. No more was seen of it, nor heard from it, till another man in the rear part of the machine was seen tying up well filled sacks of pure grain, in perfect order for the flouring mill. This huge machine, of the best wheat, harvested and bagged three bushels in a minute " n a minute."

BLACKBERRY SYRUF.—The following is the recipe for making the famous Blackberry Syrup. No family should be without it; all who try it will find it a sovereign remedy for bowel complaints:

plaints: "To two quarts of blackberry juice, add half an ounce each of powdered nutmeg, cinnamon and alspice, and a quarter of an ounce of powdered cloves. Boil these together to get the strength of the spices, and to preserve the berry juice.— While hot add a pint of fourth proof pure French Brandy, and sweeten with loaf sugar. Give a child two teaspoonful three times a day, and if the disorder is not checked, add to the quantity."

TO RELIEVE CHOLIO IN HORSES.—Rub spirits of turpentine on the breast of the horse; and if he be drenched with it, he will be relieved.— Horses should never be put to severe work on a full stomach; more horses are hurt by hard driv-ing after a full feed, than by a full feed after a hard driving. To RELIEVE CHOLIO IN HORSES .- Rub spirits

She was naturally an amiable woman, and for more than 70 years, an exemplary member of the to the taste of some of the younger members of the bar, who thought themselves equally as well entitled as the Judge to the kind consideration of the landlady. Some of them, therefore, deter-mined to indulge themselves in a joke, at the first convenient opportunity, at the expense of the Judge and our hostess. The appearance of H---- on our circuit sug-

gested a convenient opportunity for playing off the long contemplated prank. As H. never had een " victimized" on our circuit, no scruples were entertained on his account.

We had been riding during the greater part of

our company for that night. F _____ and B _____ suggested that it would be better to ride ahead and give Mrs. L _____ timely warning of our approach, in order that she might have ample time to prepare the supper, and make the necessary arrangements for stowing us away

This was at once acceded to by all, and F-- and myself offered ourselves as the "advanced guard. Mounted on fine horses, and going at a rapid

pace, we soon arrived at the house.

served for the comfort of the Judge and his horse. "Mrs. L____," observed F____ in a very se-rious manner, "how long have you been ac-

quainted with Judge T-"Ever since he has been on this circuit," re-

plied our hostess. "Mrs. L," continued F., "I have known you for several years and have always entertained a high respect for you, and I deem it my duty to apprise you of a circumstance that may deeply affect your character, and the standing of your

house." "My character and the standing of my house? why, what do you mean, Mr. F.—.? Who has dared to say anything against my character, or the standing of my house?" "No one that I know off," answered F..., "but I want to put you on your guard. Mrs. I.—. I have my doubts whether, Judge T. is the man you take him to be. To come to the point he is now travelling the circuit in company with a young woman, dressed in man's clothes, whom ho is passing off for a young Lawyer. He calls her Mr. H..., and they will be here in a few "moments." "Is it possible i can it be Mr. F.....1 What

" Is it possible ! can it be Mr. F--! What Judge T_____ guilty of such conduct? What have always regarded him as one of the most correct men I ever knew. It cannot be, Mr. F." "You will soon see, Madame, to your satisfac-tion. I could not believe it myself when I first heard of the affair."

"Mr. F," remarked the widow, with great earnestness of manner, " will Judge T have the presumption to enter my house with such company a"

"Doubtless he will, Madame," answered F-

her house the President of the United States. That night F shept in the bed reserved for the Judge, and regaled himself with many little delicacies set apart for the especial use of his ionor.

In truth, we who remained, were treated with unusual attention. The Judge, who soon unrav-elled the mystery, was for a short time very indignant; but being very sensitive to ridicu promised forgiveness upon condition that we

would not tell the story on the circuit. H----, however, said it was too good to keep,

although he was the principal sufferer. Our hostess was for a long time unappeasable but eventually became reconciled to us through

the mediation of a handsome silk dress. GENIUS IN RAGS.

In the humble walks of life, how many " buds

of promise" and flowers of genius, are suffered to wither and die, unheeded, uncared for, and despised. How many minds, young and old, possess-ing the elements of true greatness, which if they were cultivated, would bring forth good fruit, are as it were, pushed aside as the rubbish of mankind merely because they are in rags! Nay! In the poverty stricken tenements of the poor, in the lit-tle shops of toil and industry, there lies many a lastreous diamond, only covered with obscurity and low life. Take off the exterior, clean off the rust of disuse, and the gem will shine brightly in the light of education, with intellectual and moral

Dur Landlady received us in her usual stin, formal manner, and soon commenced making in-quiries about the Judge, of whose health and speedy arrival we gave satisfactory assurances. We found, as usual, that the best bed in the house, and the best stall in the stable, were re-house, and the best stall in the stable, were re-house for the comfort of the Judge and his horse. starved, but for the benevolence of some charita-ble monks. And what was Cincinnatus of Rome? A plain uneducated farmer, who tilled the land for

his support. Raphael, the world renowned painter, lived and

died in rags. He died as he was returning home with the first fruits of his labor-alas! it was for his last painting-and not till he was gone did the world appreciate his worth. Elihu Burritt ! -once a blacksmith, now the American Philan thropist.

Ancient history is tuil of instances, where read worth and greatness, and genius were hidden in the obscurity of poverty. So is middle aged histo-ry, and so is modern history—full of proud deede, accomplished by men "of caste not high." Wealth, too often is only a barrier to the tem-ple of real, true greatness—but poverty is often the mother of genius.—Baltimore Bee.

REVENENCE FOR AGE.—Reverence is always due to sged people. God, nature, and a proper education say to the young, reverence old age.— Gray hairs are crowns of glory, when found in the your of sightcourses.

Gray hairs are crowns of glory, when found in the way of righteousness. The prompti gs of our kindly nature teach us to respect the aged, to rise up before the heary head. The dim eye, the furrowed brow, the tem-ples thinly clad, who would not respect, reverence and love them ?

hard driving. BRAGO'S BATTERY.—It is stated that each gun of Bregg's Battery, at Buena Vista, was dis-charged upwards of two hundred and fifty times during the battle ? "Doubliess he will, Madame," answered F—, "Me love the youth who reverences the aged always, whoever they are. O youth revere thy aged friend, respect those silver locks, so whiten-"He will—will he? I will let him know," ed by the toiling hardships of many long years.

rocks, and assumes the shape of a cockleshell; the living animal is the gluey white-of-egg look-ing substance which is spread over its sponge body; the article known by that name in com-merce being merely the skeleton of the animal. The lecturer declared that the very flints were nothing more than crystallization of sponges. To prove that stones had *lives*, he went into certain geological inquiries, and subsequently spoke of smalls, cuttle fish, &c., and showed that the mouth of the small was furnished with a cutting niece of of the snail was furnished with a cutting piece of mechanism far superior as a piece of cullery to any artificial knife or razor; in which articles, inventive improvements might be attained by a careful study of the snail's mouth 1

AUCTION OF LADIES .- An auction of unmarried AUCTION OF LADIES.—An auction of unmaritien ladies used to take place annually in Babylon.—. "In every district," says the historian, "they as-sembled on a certain day of every year, all the virgins of marriageable age." The most beauti-ful were first put up, and the man who bid the In were first put up, and the man who bid the largest sum of money gained possession of her. The second in personal appearance followed, and the bidders gratified themselves with handsome wives according to the depth of their purses. But alas 1 it seems there were in Babylon some ladies for which no money was likely to be offered, yet these were also disposed of, so provident were the Babylonians. "When all the beautiful virgins," says the historian, "were sold, the crier ordered the most deformed to stand up; and after he had openly demanded who would marry her with a small sum, she was at length adjudged to the man who would be satisfied with the least; in this manner the money arising from the sale of the handsome, served as a portion to those who were either of disagreeable looks, or that had any other imperfection. This custom prevailed about five hundred years before Christ."

WAR ON A GRAND SCALE.-The Chinese Re-pository gives an account of a civil war that repository gives an account of a civil war that re-cently occurred between the two neighboring de-partments of Chang-Chao and Tseven-Choa, which we can scarcely credit, but which, if it be true; throws the Mexican war altogether in the shade, and shows that the semi-barbarous heathens of China infinitely surpass the civilized and Chris-tian people of this continent in the destructive rearms of way. The Renovity states for argument game of war. The Repository states, for exam-ple, that in the progress of this war, 24,515 houses and 668 hats were pillaged, and 130,632 persona killed! The Chinese rather exult at this wholekilled! The Chinese rather exult at the sale destruction of human life in consequence of the density of the population—and because, they say, the removal of so many turbulent people will say, the removal of so many turbulent people will say. make room for a more quiet set-a mode of rea-soning we suppose, in accordance with the feelings of Confucius, and which a being of another sphere, suddenly introduced among us, would naturally suppose is not at all incompatible with those of our own.—Ball. Patriot.

LITTLE THINGS NOT TRIFLING.—The nerve of a tooth, not as large as the finest cambrick needle, will sometimes drive a strong man to distraction. A musquito can make an clephant absolutely

mad. The coral rock which causes a navy to foun-der is the work of an insect. The warrior that withstood death in a thousand forms, may be killed by an insect. The deepest wretchedness often results from a perpetual continuance of petty trials. The formation of character often depends on circumstances apparently the most trivial. An impulse, a casual conversation, a chance visit, or something equally unimportant has change-ed the whole destiny of life, and has resulted in virtue or vice—in weal or woe.

THE MOUNTAIN IN LABOR.



Friday Morning, June 25, 1847. THE OPINION OF MR. WISE.

The Hon. Henry A. Wise, our Minister Brazil, who was once very excellent Whig authority, seems to have been impressed with the tion in relation to the war. And his impressions appear to have been received from witnessing the the minds of foreigners. They sympathise with Mexico; and consider the United States actuated by any other than just or humane considerations. It is difficult, indeed, to conceive how persons, naturally disposed to find fault with us, would come to any other conclusion when they read so many productions, written by our own people, which justible extent, beyond the influence of party considerations, and as it is known that he desires to resign his present high and honorable commission, his opinions should be received as coming from a disinterested patriot, rather than from a heated partizan. Hear what he says :...

"Neither whigs nor democrats have given the President that support which the honor and inter-est of the country demanded in a time of war.-One in a foreign land at this time can see but too United States, and a factious opposition at home has confirmed the proofs of the justice of its feelings.

It seems from the following language, that Mr. Wise is certainly not disposed to reunite himself with the Whig party, of which he was once a distinguished and trusted member:

"I trust that my good old district will be defend-ed against the "desperate efforts" which you say are "being made to bring" it into the "Whig are "being made to bring" it into the "Whig ranks." The Whig party have manifested too strongly the rank Federal tendencies which caused me to renounce it in January 1841, from that time to this, for me to be indifferent even to its success in any part of the United States, much less in a portion as dear to all my affections as is the Williamsburg district of Virginia."

THE PROSPECTS OF PEACE.

All accounts concur in opinion that the party in favor of peace is increasing in Mexico. The establishment of a new paper in the city of Mexico "El Razonador," (the Reasoner,) is looked upon by many as a strong indication in that direction. The Delta extracts the following passages public feeling, and, if they meet with any degree of tolerance, as premonitory of a return of the public mind to more enlightened views of the capacities and interests of Mexico, than have for many country:

war? Are we in a condition to make war, and to carry it on successfully to the end? Can it de-pend upon the whole or a part of the resources of the country? Has the public spirit, so long asleep, been so thoroughly awakened that all the Mexi-cans will fly to arms to exterminate our unjust in-seders and heavest to exterminate our unjust in-Are we in a condition to make war, and to cans will fly to arms to exterminate our unjust in-vaders, and bequeath to our children a country, independence and liberty? Can we dispose of the respect of all Christendom. do Chickasaw, Secretary. They nominated for Governor, J. W. Matthews, of Marshall; for Sesuch an armament, and the other munitions of war, as will be necessary to extinguish the common enemy and reconquer that of which he has robbed us? Would the prolongation of an exterminating war, a war to the death, tedious, indefi nite be more advantageous to Mexicothan an honarrangement, were such possible ?--Would our Government lose any thing should it and probably will continue to be, made to us, by our enemies ? Should we, or not, avoid the conflicts by which we are encircled, through the f just and equitable transactions. means o when these are offered to us ? Should we vascillate between the temerity of a war without truce or ter mination, difficult to be sustained without a total annihilation of the Republic, and the listening to propositions which may, perhaps, be favorable to ns, or, at the least, admissible ? These are great questions which, in our opinion, ought, at this time, in preference, to agitate the periodical press."

The "Free Press" is voluminous this week in ts editorial speculations. Through the kindness of Advertising friends, however, we find our space much better occupied, than sifting ten bushels of chaff, to secure a few hidden grains of wheat. In the opinion of the Free Press, the Whig party stand forth as the especial friends of the Mexican War-its reliance at home and its defenders abroad !! All that was good in its results or wise in its inception, was the work of this same patriotic Whig party, whilst the Administration and its ple the Army and its Generals ! This is about the sum and substance of column one. No. 2, is a miserable abortion. It is a very weak effort to resuscitate a charge which has again and again

been refuted, that the Administration designed to sequestrate the property of the Mexican Church. As to the policy of the measure, if the war be conimpropriety of the course adopted by the opposi- tinued, and the Church still use the immense treasure which she has in her possession, to weaken our efforts and impede our progress, is a mateffects which this opposition has produced upon ter upon which many have differed, and will continue, doubtless, to do so. . Whige and Democrate have, in some cases, alike favored and alike opposed. But for the Free Press to assert that the Administration has endorsed the suggestions of the Washington Union or the Ohio Statesman, in reference to contribution upon the Mexican church and at this time, is utterly void of foundation, and fy that conclusion. Mr. Wise is, to a considera- evidences either ignorance of well-attested facts, or wilful perversion of what was too plain and legible to be misunderstood. But in this article, as the one before referred to, the F. P. refutes its own arguments. In speaking of Gen. Scott's recent Proclamation, it says :- " Instead of issuing edicis for the sequestration of church property, [why

does not the Administration] publish a proclamation, like that issued by Gen. Scott, assuring every man that neither his religion, his rights as a citiplainly how factions of both parties have, say what they will, given both "aid and comfort," if not di-rectly and overly, and treasonably to the enemy himself, to the cause of the enemy. The foreign world does sympathise with Mexico against the ment, but that the Administration was solely responsible for it! The Intelligencer, and all the Whig presses who follow it through its political

meanderings, have asserted that the Administration wrote it, and was alone responsible for its results. Now, when the good effects of this Proclamation are being seen, and it is found one of the wise acts which is likely to bring about a peace, why it is the beau ideal of perfection, and is held up as a perfect model. Verily, how consistent !! No. 3, is rather a fancy sketch. It is a philological examination of the character, habits, and war-like Berkeley Company has been promoted to the 2nd propensities and chivalric bearing of the Mexican Lieutenancy, in consequence of John W. Grav. nation, from its earliest days. Its genealogy is who held that office, having been court-martialled traced back to a noble stock, and we are only sorrow that room will not allow us to furnish the interesting details as given by the Free Press. We were not mistaken in its exalted opinion of the "Mexican character." It has furnished ample

evidence of that heretofore, and hence we regard this late effort as a work of supererogation. But we must protest against its design to inveigle the which may be fairly regarded as intended to test President. Notwithstanding he may have "mistaken the character of the people he had to deal with," yet the impression has gone abroad through this country and the civilized world, that he got cently taken charge of the Hotel in that place, and along with them "pretty well for a stranger."- is making the most ample preparations to enteryears been evinced in the conduct of affairs in that The Whig estimate of Mexican character, is by tain, comfortably, all who may call upon him. His far too high, already, and it would be in much bet- charges are low, and his accommodations vastly " The Republic of Mexico is now in the agoniz- ter taste, and certainly more patriotic, if our own ing moments of a most severe trial, and it is ne-cessary that its sons should make extraordinary efforts for its salvation. But can we save it by some traits in American character, worthy of com-

A SHOCKING MURDER.

A most shocking murder was comm Hampshire county, Va., on Saturday night last, on the person of WILLIAM J. ARMSTRONG, a Deputy Sheriff of that county. In company with others, he had gone, (as we learn by a letter from Romney to a gentleman of this town,) to break up a den of desperadoes at a house of ill-fame, near Ridgeville. As soon as Armstrong entered the door, "he was shot by a pistol ball, in the right breast-the ball taking a range and lodging near the heart. He expired almost instantly." friends, have done nothing but embarrass and crip- individual who committed this fiendish act has been arrested, and is now in the Romney jail, in company with three others, who are charged with being accessary to the murder. Mr. A. was universally beloved, and his death, under the circumstances, has produced intense excitement through out the county of Hampshire. He was in the prime of life, and had a large and respectable con-

nexion in all parts of the Valley. COL. HAMTRAMCK.

We are happy to hear, from the Colonel's own hand, says the Richmond Republican, that he is recovering from the severe illness (dysentery) with which he has been afflicted ever since he reached Camargo, about six weeks from the date of his letter (17th May.) We have reason to hope that he is by this time entirely restored.

HARVESTING.

Has commenced in some portions of this county, and those adjacent. By the first of next week, our farmers will be pretty generally under way and we hope good weather may favor them in gathering their crops. The quality of the wheat has never been better, and the yield will certainly be much greater than was anticipated a month ago.

FOR OREGON. We announced in our last paper that Mr. I. S. ones, formerly of Harpers-Ferry, had commenced an agricultural journal in St. Charles, Mo: He has soon tired, however, and the 3d No. of the "Farmer" informs us that Mr. Jones has been elected a Lieutenant in a company of Volunteers destined for Oregon, and will relinquish the pen for the sword. The paper will be continued by F. W. Cleveland, Esq.

COUNTY TAXES.

The County Levy for the present year, has been fixed at 70 cents, and the Parish do. 90-together \$1 60. Last year the County was 90 cents, and Parish 75-together \$1 65.

THE BERKELEY COMPANY.

By the following, from the Baltimore Clipper, it will be seen that G. W. Chambers of the PROMOTED .- G. W. Chambers of Boonsboro', Md., who went with Capt. Alburtis to Mexico as Ensign or 2d second Lieutenant, has been promoted to a second Lieutenancy, in consequence of a misdemeanor on the part of the officer who held that station, that officer having been courtmartialled

SNICKERSVILLE HOTEL.

Those of our friends having occasion to seel quarters for man or beast, whilst journeying in the neighborhood of Snickersville, may be benefitted by knowing that Capt. A. M. Moore has rebetter than usually found in country villages .-The Capt., besides, is a gentlemanly and clever host, and takes pleasure in making all who call upon him, perfectly at home.

THE PRESIDENT'S TOUR.

THE PREATCENT'S TOUR. On Tuesday the President of the U. S. started, in company with his suite, on a visit to the North. He will be absent about two weeks, and may proba-bly go as far East as Maine. "His visit," it is said officially, " is wholly unconnected with party politics, or any political object," but is merely to "afford him a brief relaxation from his arduona public duties." His reception in Baltimore was truly a magnificent one. The papers of yester-torday contain graphic accounts of the parade, but we can find room only for a few extracts from the Clipper. That paper says: Recertron or THE PRESIDENT.—His Excel-lency, James K. Polk, President of the United States, Arrived in the city yesterday in accordance by Col. Jacob G. Davies, Mayor of the city, and the committee of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, West Pratt street, immediately upon his arrival, atabout Clare Depot, of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, West Pratt street, Nrs. Polk and her neice. Mrs. Polk and her neice took a private carriage, immediately upon his arrival, atabout the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the train of cars, and proceeded to the arrival of the trai guished guest. The Junior Artillerists, Capt. Gill, were posted near by, and fired a national sa-lute as the cars arrived. The Fifth Cavalry Regi-ment, under Col. Bouldin, were on the ground to act as an escort. In a few moments af-ter the cars arrived at the intersection of Cove and Pratt sts., the President, Mr. Clifford, and Col. Davies, took seats in the barouche, amidst

the cheers of a large crowd of spectators, and esthe cheers of a large crowd of spectators, and es-corted by the Cavairy Regiment and Junior Ar-tillerists proceeded into the city, up Cove to Lom-bard, and down Lombard to Hanover street. Throughout the city, from all public places, offices and buildings, the National flag was dis-played; and on the streets, through which the es-cort moved, crowds of persons were collected to see the Chief Magistrate of the Union. The President rode uncovered, and repeatedly bowed to the throngs in the windows and on the streets, all of whom greeted him with a cordial welcome.

all of whom greeted him with a cordial welcome. On reaching the Exchange Hotel, the Presi-dent was conducted to the reception room, where in a short and appropriate address from the Mayor, Col. Davies, he was welcomed to and tendered the hospitalities of the city. His Excellency re-plied in quite a chaste and eloquent manner. The President and suite will leave for Philadel-

phia this morning in the 9 o'clock train of cars. The Mayor, and the Committee of the Council will escort them to the Depot. Mrs. Polk and her neice will leave at 7 o'clock in the Western train for Tennessee.

By the following, from the Philadelphia paper of Tuesday, it will be seen that the "Quaker City" was making all due preparation to give the President a reception worthy of the man and the office :--

RECEPTION OF THE PRESIDENT AT PHILADEL PHIA.—The committee of arrangements in Phila-delphia, of which Mayor Swift is chairman, have resolved that a steamboat be chartered to proceed to Wilmington to receive the President—that he be landed at the Navy Yard under a national sa-lute, be met there by the military, escorted through several of the principal streets, to the residence, of George M. Dallas, Walnut street, near Elev-enth, whose guest he will be while in the city.--

The Inquirer says: The President is expected to arrive by special train and steamboat, at half-past 2 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon. The committee of recep-tion will receive him at the Navy Yard, and a special committee will leave for Baltimore on Tuesday, to meet him on his arrival in that city.

EPES THE MURDERER.

Some two or three months since, the New Or eans Times stated that Epes, the murderer of Muir, had been arrested and imprisoned in that city, since which we have heard nothing of him. The statement must have been erroneous. The Lynchburg Republican contains a letter from a volunteer, dated China, Mexico, April 16, 1847. from which the following is taken :

Should we be discharged in Mexico, a large parof Chickasaw, Secretary. They nominated for Governor, J. W. Matthews, of Marshall; for Se-Texas, and the interior of Louisiana. This would really be a pleasure excursion. The Petersburg Volunteers intend doing so any way, I understand and will take San Antonio in their route, near, which place resides Mr. Dandridge Epes, whom they vow to capture and take back to Virginia. I wish they may succeed. The Albany Argus has the following account of an extraordinary effect produced on the Magnetic Telegraph wires by atmospheric electricity: EXPLOSION IN A TELEGRAPH OFFICE .- ALEA-NV. June 15 .- A severe storm passed directly over the city yesterday afternoon. It was of short du-ration, but the quantity of rain which fell was very great. The heavy rains during the last ten days have given the thirsty earth a thorough soaking. At about half past two o'clock a most violent explosion of electricity took place in the telegraph office, disabling the relay magnets of both l The wires attached to the relays and to the battery were melted off, and the, entire line to New York rendered for a time perfectly useless. The western line as far as Rochester was got into operation during the evening; but nothing could be obtained from New York. It was the most serious disaster the line has sustained from atmospheric electricity since it has been opened. At Troy, too, we understand the wires were melted

PUBLIC MEETING.

On motion of David Hall, Esq., the committee

was added to the list of delegates On motion it was

Resolved, That the proceedings of this meeting be signed by the Chairman and Secretary, and published in the neighboring papers. ROGER CHEW, Ch'n.

GEO. W. BRADFIELD, Sec'y.

THE SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS. The School Commissioners of Jefferson County

The School Commissioners of Jefferson County met on Monday last. The roll being called the following commissioners answered to their names, viz : John Humphreys, Richard Williams, Wm. Grantha..., George Eichelberger, Jacob Morgan, Sabastian Eaty, Charles Harper, Isaac Henkle, J. C. R. Taylor, and H. N. Gallaher. Jacob Mor-gan moved that the Districts as laid off in Septem-ber, 1846 (24 in number) be adopted, and that the vote be taken by aves and noss. At the call of vote be taken by ayes and noes. At the call of the ayes and noes, every member of the Board vo-ted in the affirmative. So the Districts were de-clared adopted. J. C. R. Taylor offered the fol-lowing Resolution: Resolved, That James M. Brown be requested

make out two fair plats of the districts, as divided, and that he be requested and authorised to correct any points which may clash, as the Disricts are now laid out. It was moved and carried that the election for

Commissioners in the several Districts be held on he first Saturday in August, being the 7th day of

It was also ordered that the Districts be published in the papers of the county. The Board then adjourned to meet on Saturday the 31st July, at which time they will complete

the duties devolving upon them. JOHN HUMPHREYS Pres't.

H. N. GALLAHER, Clerk.

DISAPPOINTMENT .- The Sons of Temperance of Martinsburg Division were disappointed in not having their procession according to arrangement on Saturday last, in the first place owing to the sickness of Mr. Harkee, who, in consequence could not leave home; and secondly, because the Harpers-Ferry Band logether with many Sons of Temperance of that place, were disappointed by the Railroad Company who failed to furnish them car according to promise. It will be seen from the notice of the committee

of arrangements, that the procession is postsoned until Saturday the 17th of July next. The pub-lic is invited to attend.—Martinsburg Rep.

ENGLISH MEASURES .- A correspondent furishes the following statement, which may be valuable to those who are not familiar as mercantile men with such matters :-

A quarter of wheat is 560 lbs., equal to 8 Engish standard bushels-and equal to 9 20-60 bushels according to the standard weight of wheat in the United States. A bushel of wheat according to the standard of the United States is equal to six-sevenths of the English. Now when we see the price of wheat quoted in the English journals at 56s. per quarter it is equal to $$1,33\frac{1}{2}$ cents, U S. currency. A shilling sterling is 22 2 9 cents

precisely. ast mail brings us very acceptable accounts o the Wheat crop in the two principal Counties of will be translated to his native mountains, to rewestern Maryland. The Hagerstown News says : main there to the day of resurrection. It is now confidently predicted that there will of O'Connell at Rome, his body in Ireland, and to tonly be a larger crop of wheat in this county his soul in heaven—is not that what the justice not only be a larger grop of wheat in this county this year than last, but it will be of superior quality.

Arrival of the Steamer Cambria 17 DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE.

Decline in Flour of upwards of \$1 per Barrel-Decline in Corn and Breadstuff's generally-Adcance in cotton-Receipts of Flour, &c. The steamship Cambria arrived at Boston on Thursday, 17th inst. She sailed from Liverpool on the 4th inst., and brings intelligence of a ma-terial decline in the price of breadstuff's, which will, as a matter of course, produce a correspond-ing decline here.

ng decline here. The Corn Market .-- Notwithstanding the strong The Corn Market.—Notwithstanding the strong expectations entertained previously to the depar-ture of the last steamer, that the Corn market would maintain its upward tendency, the unusual fineness of the weather promising a favorable home harvest, had the effect of materially depressing the prices and of course contracting the extent of

prices and of course contracting the extent of average transactions. The advices, however, brought by the Caledo-nia of light stock in the American ports have crea-ted considerable activity, aided by the desired re-laxation which has taken place in the pressure of the Money Market have largely tended to re-es-tablish a freer desire to speculate. The reports, though authenticated, of a proba-ble failure of the potato crops, both in Ireland and Jersey, have also had their own influence. The markets have, in point of fact, fallen 20 shillings per quarter from the highest point; but though flour had declined to 40 shillings per barrel, it is now worth 42 shillings, and may be fairly quoted at 43s. for best Western. Sour averages 37s. to 38s. per barrel; American wheat 10s. 6d. to 12s. per 70 lbs.

per 70 lbs. Indian Corn is tolerably steady at 52s. for prime or yellow, and in some instances, owing to the in creased demand from Ireland, white has command ed 2s. per quarter above the currency of yellow. Corn Meal ranges between 28s. and 31s. with a tendency to the higher quotation. The total export of breadstuffs from the United States to Great Britain and Ireland from the 1st

States to Great Britain and Ireland from the 1st of September, 1846, to 4th May, 1847, appears to be as follows; Flour 1,656,802 barrels; Corn Meal, 434,432 barrels; wheat, 1,512,374 bushels; oats, 276,555 bushels; barley, 145,942 bushels. Since the last steamer the market retains an unquestionably firm character, and inquiries from

unquestionably firm character, and inquiries from the trade are more than ordinarily general. *Trade.*—In the Manchester market there is an obvious desire to purchase, but the ascending dis-position of our market has checked transactions, and lead to the relinquishment of heavy contracts which would otherwise be accepted. The orders executing for the U. States were heavier than have been known for many years. In Ireland, death is still making terrible rava-ges in different parts, in the South more especially.

ges in different parts, in the South more especially. The services of the clergy, Protestant as well as Catholic, are in hourly requisition to sustain the sinking people, and transmit their souls to heaven with all the comfort which religion imparts to ex-

piring humanity. In some of the principal towns of the north of In some of the principal towns of the north of England, typhus fever rages, with increased viru-lence. In Liverpool, Leeds and other places, several of the Catholic clergy have fallen victims to their ministerial duties—caught the fever and died. The present hot weather, so favorable for ripening the earth's fruits, is unfortunately extend-ing the like direction is in the force the ing this dire disease; and, it is to be feared, that ere its destructive effects have disappeared, more

The harvest prospects have disappeared, more valuable lives will be sacrificed. The harvest prospects throughout Ireland are most promising; but it is stated that the fatal blight in the present potato crop has again made its appearance, and more than a mouth earlier than its reasons of the present but its interval.

than its ravages commenced last year. Daniel O'Connell, the Apostle of Liberty, as he is called, is no more. He died at Genoa on the 16th of May, at the advanced age of 72. A letter of the Rev. Dr. Miley, his chaplain, an-

ouncing the melancholy event, is as follows: "GENOA, May 17, 1847. Alas! my dear friend O'Connell is dead! I am so completely over-whelmed with the blow that I am almost incapaof writing. His death was sanctified by the sacraments, and alleviated by the consolations which our divine religion lavishes with so much mercy on its children. He replied at first in word, and afterwards with look and gesture, to the exhorta-tions which I addressed to him up to the last moions which I addressed to him up to the last mo-tions which I addressed to him up to the last mo-ment. He rendered up the last sigh with the calm of an infant who falls off to sleep, on Saturday, at twenty-five minutes to ten at night. He request-ed that his heart—that heart which always beat for the cause of religion and liberty—should be taken to Rome. We have had that noble heart embalmed, and have enclosed it in a silver urn; main here in a chapel until our return from our

THE VIRGINIA REGIMENT.

To Capt. JOHN W. ROWAN, of the Va. Regiment, are we indebted for a full account of the unfortunate duel between Lieuts. Carlton R. Munford of Richmond, and Mahan of Philadelphiaboth of the Virginia Regiment. They fought with muskets, loaded with 25 buckshot, and at the distance of 40 yards. Poor Munford was literally torn to pieces-he lived, however, 24 hours, after the meeting. Lieut. Mahan, though severely wounded, was still living at the last accounts, and it is thought he may probably recover.

At the date of Capt. Rowan's letter be was in China, but had received marching orders for Monterey, and from thence to San Louis Potosi .---Here the Virginia Regiment will be joined by Gen. Taylor and his forces, and proceed immediately, it is thought, to the city of Mexico. So if a peace is not speedily obtained, our " boys" will yet have an opportunity of revelling in the Halls of the Montezumas.

Capt. Rowan states that most of his men are in good health and spirits. Those who are on the sick list, are recruits obtained from the neighborhood of Richmond; Lieut. Washington has been quite sick, but has recovered again, and is now ready for duty.

THE SCHOOL COMMISSIONERS.

At a meeting of the School Commissioners on Monday last, the county was divided off into twenty-four districts, and an election ordered to take place in each district on the 1st Saturday in August, for a School Commissioner for each district. The importance of securing the services of able and judicious persons to set the Free School System in operation must be apparent to every one. Those should be selected who are likely to be qualified by education, and who, in addition to this, pos-

sess discrimination, and will be likely to engage in the business with promptness, and discharge their duties with fidelity. The districts as apportioned, will be published

GREEN CORN .--- We notice that they are feast-g on green corn in Philadelphia.

THE "FIRE IN THE REAR." The Boston Statesman says-The attack of the

Whigs on Gen. Scott on account of his proclamation, is much more general than were their complaints of his winning a battle over Santa Anna on Sunday. The Lowell Courier-owned by the hear and examine with attention the proposions editor of the Boston Atlas-shows its open con-is a beautiful and commodious one, too, at that. tempt for the hero of Lundy's Lane and Cerro Gor- It is expected that the machinery will be put up, do, by stigmatizing the proclamation as 'humbug' and 'stuff,' written in a 'miserable style,' 'sneaking and dishonest,' 'not true,' and charging that the author 'knows better,' and that if he wrote thus to Americans he would be 'hooted into silence.' This is now the scurrilous tone of presses which whilom accused the administration of trying to injure General Scott by keeping him away from the army, from a mean jealousy of his popularity as a presidential candidate. Since the world began there never was a more factious crew

in opposition to any government than that with which we have to contend here. Gen. Scott at home was bepraised by these wretched grumblers, but at the head of the army, conducting the war with vigor, and exhibiting patriotic conduct, he subjects himself to their obloquy-a sufficient proof that he is now in the right.

THE FAMILIES OF VOLUNTEERS. The "Free Press" again calls the attention o our citizens to the families of our Volunteers, who are now in Mexico. It is but right, proper, and common humanity, that they should be looked to, and whenever necessary, their wants anticipated. Such, we hope, has been the case so far, and there should be no abatement of this guardian care .---Provisions of all kinds are now very high, and the small pittance of the soldier, even should it reach in safety their families, would in many cases be inadequate to their wants. To the Ladies, particularly, is this duty of love and of charity committed. They can ascertain without difficulty, the wants of these families, and will know best how to supply them, when ascertained .-There are, we feel assured, none in the community, who would not cheerfully render some assistance to give the families of Volunteers every necessary comfort, during the absence of their head, on so patriotic a mission as the defence of our common country, its honor and its institutions.

RECEPTION OF VOLUNTEERS .- The 10th inst. was a gala day in New Orleans. It was the occasion of the public reception of the Mississippi Volunteers. They were received in an eloquent speech by S. S. Prentiss, to which Col. Davis made a beautiful reply. After the procession an elegant collation came off.

Neilson Division, No. 53, S. of T., will dediate their Hall in Newtown, Frederick county, on Saturday the 3d of July. Addresses will be delivered by R. W. Barton, Esq., Rev. Mr. Campbell, &c. An invitation is extended to all neighboring Divisions to be in attendance.

cretary of State, Samuel Stamp, of Hinds ; for Auditor, George T. Swan, of Rankin ; and for Treasurer, Wm. J. Austin, of Madison. Good feeling, harmony and unity prevailed throughout.

The Harpers-Ferry Manufacturing Com pany have ready for roofing, their 1st building. It and the Factory fully under way in manufacturing some description of goods, during the month of September. If this be the case, the President of the company, and all who have been connected with him, deserve great credit for the energy, enterprise and indomitable perseverance, which they have exhibited.

The Whig Marion (Ala.) Review is utterly at a loss to know what Gen. Taylor's real opinions are : but whatever they be, that paper avows itself opposed, for the present at least, to seeing his name "paraded" before the people for the Presidency. It concludes with the following remarks, the spirit of which, mutatis mutandis, we commend to the Republican party :

" If, when the war is over, it shall be found that he is a Whig—that he is over, it shall be found that he is a Whig—that he is decided in his approval of the cardinal principles of the Whig party, then we shall be ready to assist in elevating him to the seat of Washington. If he is not a Whig of the true stripe, nothing could be more fatal to the Whigs than to adopt him as their candidate. In that even the two proposed to the him the function that event, let our opponents take him. 'Princiles, not men'-we prefer defeat with our princies, rather than success by means of their sacri-

IT COL. MAY, who so signally distinguished himself at Resaca de la Palma, and subsequently at Buena Vista, Capt. Webster (son of Hon. Daniel Webster,) and several other officers recently from the " seat of war," passed through Harpers-Ferry, on Thursday week, en route for Washington.

The Winchester Lyceum has invited Jour S. SEINNER, Esq., to spend a few days in that town during his contemplated tour through the Valley of Virginia, this summer, and deliver such lectures as he may deem best calculated to advance the great agricultural objects to which he has devoted so much of his time and mind. Mr. S. is not positive that he can comply with the invitation of the lyceum, but promises to do so, if it lies in his power.

17" Judge Parsons of Pennsylvania, has decided that by an Act of Assembly of that State, a man of competent income is bound to support his son's children where the father has deserted them, leaving them in a state of dependence.

UTWm. T. Goldsborough has been nominated by the Whig State Convention of Maryland their candidate for Governor. Dr. Williams was a competing candidate. The"knowing ones" seem to have been "taken in."

WATERMELLONS .- We learn from the Phila delphia papers that these luxuries are abundant in • 1.1

from the battery and the relay magnets.

VOLUNTEERS.—A few enterprising young men of this city recently determined to make an effort to raise another Volunteer company for the Mexican War. Their efforts promise to be speedily crowned with success. They have already suc-ceeded in obtaining the requisite number of enlistments to be received into quarters by the State. Their rendezvous is between 13th and 14th streets in rear of Messrs. H. W. & J. J. Fry's Storeand their office for receiving recruits at Military Hall. Here is presented another favorable opportunity for the young man who wishes to serve his country and win distinction. There may be por-tions of companies formed in the country, which tunity would be at once mustered into service, at the ex-pense of the State, by repairing without delay to this rendezvouz, and enrolling themselves.— Stronger inducements exist now than at any pro-vious period for enlistment. The probabilities are that the war will soon be over-and a young man, besides seeing the Mexican country, will entitle himself to 160 acres of Government lands or \$100 in cash, at his option. To view the entrance of General Scott's fine army into the splendid city of Mexico would of itself be worth a trip across the

Gulf .- Richmond Enquirer. THE VOLUNTEEES.—We understand that arrangements are in active progress, and nearly completed, for the fete, in honor of the returned volunteers—they will be received by the Governor and Military on Canal street, from whence they will be escorted to Lafayette square, where the address will be delivered by the Hon. S. S. Prentiss, after which they will proceed to the Place d'Armes, to partake of the collation—the whole number of volunteers will be about 2200.—The hosts and the guests together will probably form a company of nearly or quite 4000, and will require a considerable spread of tables—ample provisions, however, have been made for all. New Orleans Bulletin, May 9. THE VOLUNTEERS .- We understand that ar

FEMALE LABOR. --- Not far from \$5,000,000 are yearly carned in Massachusetts, by females em-ployed in the various factories and manufactories of straw hats; stocks, &c. About 40,000 females are thus annually employed.

The Frederick Examiner says-The cool weather and the refreshing showers, vithin the past three weeks, have imparted a health and vigor to the growing grain working almost a miracle. The wheat is not so thick on the earth as could be wished, but remarkably well filled and the heads large. The average yield will be as good as last year, perhaps better.

Gen. R. Jones, Adjutant General of the U.S. Army, has informed Brig. Gen. BROOKE, Com'g. Western Division of the Army, at New Orleans, that the sum of \$500,000 appropriated by Con-gress for the comfort of discharged soldiers, who may be landed at New Orleans or other places within the United States, so disabled by disease or by wounds received in the service, as to b anable to proceed to their homes, is now available. The letter stating this fact instructed Gen. B. to draw on the Quartermaster at New Orleans for any funds that he might think necessary, to be laced in the hands of the persons authorized by the Act of Congress to receive and distribute it

From the 1st of April, 1846, to the 1st of April, 1857, there passed through Toll-gate No 2 of the Smithfield, Charlestown and Harpers-Ferry Furnpike, (kept by Mr. C. L. Noland,) seventeel hundred and seventy-one hogs ; two hundred and eighteen Drove Horses : and fifteen thousand and orty-two Cattle-being four hundred Cattle more han the previous year .- Free Press.

FLOUR AT NEW YORK .- The receipts of Flou down the North River, since the first of the month have averaged over forty thousand barrels a day and the exports over ten thousand barrels a day The receipts of wheat during the same period have been 441,306 bushels, and 917,876 bushels of Corn. Experts from 1st to 15th of June-Wheat, 289,550 bushels; Rye, 14,266 bushels; Corn, 45,643 do.

AFFOINTMENT .- Dr. James L. Cable, now Pro fessor of Anatomy and Surgery in the University of Virginia, has been selected, and has consented, to take charge of the Professorship in the Rich-mond Medical College, recently made vacant by the death of the late Dr. A. L. Warner.

THE POTATOE CROP AT THE SOUTH .---- A gentleman who has recently been in some of the coun-try parishes, informs the N. O. Picayune that the Irish potato crop never promised to be so abundant. Irish potate crop never promised to be so abundant, and the quality of these which have been dug is pronounced better than any ever grown in the State.

HENRY J. LEVY, U. S. Mail agent at the Bra-zos, gives notice-and it is necessary that per-sons writing to the army should bear in mind-that it is absolutely necessary that the positive regiment (and division of the army to which such regiment is attached, if it is known) should be stated on the superscription to ensure a correct transmission and delivery of army letters.

GEN. PILLOW AND THE TENNESSEANS .- Th Baltimore Sun says :-- "A very skilful criticism is made of the card of the 2d Tennessee Regi-ment, assailing Maj. Gen. Pillow, by an officer in the Army, in the Military Argus. It convicts the authors and endorsers of that attack of some most ridiculous bluaders." Contraction of

main here in a chapel u il our return i The heart of man and the mercy of God demands!

Dr. Chalmers, the light of the Free Churchthe learned and impressive divine-the sturdy as-serter of ministerial independence-the acute preceptor-the eloquent pulpit orator-the pride, in fact, of the Scottish Church, is no more. He expired as calmly, in Scotland, about the first of June, as the babe at its mother breast—as placid, resigned, contentedly.

ALAS! POOR IRELAND .- A late Irish paper is Where are the laughing revellers? Alas! the finger that wove the wreath and cornet of this day twelvemonth, are either stiff in death, or busy closing the eyes of those whom famine and pestilence have swept away; if flowers are plucked, it is to deck the death bed or the grave-and no more joyful sounds are heard in our afflicted land than the moan of the dying and the voice of the

weeper. On the May-day morning of by-gone years, the On the May-day morning of by-gone years, the pessantry of Ireland arose to celebrate a jubilee. To-day, with tottering limbs and hungry stomache, seven hundred thousand men crawl from their wretched hovels, to throw, coffinless into hurried graves, their parents, wives and children ; or to betake themselves to seek a wretched mockery of nourishment at the nearest soup-kitchen.

GEN. MINON AND SANTA ANNA .- Gen. Mino

GEN. MINON AND SANTA ANNA.—Gen. Minon, whom Santa Anna has denounced for a want of skill and courage at Buena Vista, has published in the Republicano, a refutation of the charge brought against him. He declares that the as-sertion by Santa Anna, of the want of provisions and water in the army, is a falsehood. He states that he himself had cattle to the num-ber of 600 head, besides maize and flour, of which he apprized Santa Anna. He further asserts that the latter's retreat was unjustifiable ; that the man-ner of it was still more so—moving off in the dark-ness of the night, and leaving hundreds of his poor wounded soldiers to their fate on the field—more like a fugitive hiding from his enemy, than a general retiring to recruit his forces. It was to ince a tugitive hiding from his enemy, than a general retiring to recruit his forces. It was to prevent these facts from being made public, that he Gen. Minon, was persecuted, imprisoned and denied communication with his friends. Trath will out, it appears, and Sants Anna will shrink into a pigmy, by and by, from the inflated dimen-sions he gave himself, as the Napoleon of the West.

BEARER OF DESPATCHES.—Dr. A. H. Saun-ders, of Fairfax county, Virginia, left Washington on Thursday morning, with despatches for Gen. Scott, to be delivered by the Doctor to Col. Wil-son at Vera Cruz, and by the Colonel to be for-warded to the General-in-Chief. Dr. Saunders also carries despatches to Major F. M. Dimond, U. S. Collector at Vera Cruz, in reference to the recent modifications of the Mexican tariff, or the tariff of "military contributions."

LARGE RECEIPTS OF REEADSTUFFS PROM THE WEST.—The receipts of flour and wheat at Al-bany from the commencement of navigation to the 14th of June, exceed those of last year by 361,369 barrels of flour, and the same increased in corn is 1,369,468 bushels, and that of barley 77,108 bushels, over the receipts of last year.

RESIGNATION OF SANTA ANNA.

RESIGNATION OF SANTA ANNA. The Union contains the letter of General Santa Anna, to the Mexican Congress, tendering his resignation of the Presidency. This letter is dated at the Capitol on the 28th of May. It is a singular document—rich in all the qualities which have distinguished this general's pronun-ciamentos—full of professions and sacrifices of himself for the good of his country—fearless of all dangers to his own person, and abandoning office for her alone. He admits that there is a party in Mexico desirous of peace ; and it is to defeat their object, that, even at a time when he could best serve his country by prosecuting hos-tilities, he thinks it due to her to retire from the public service, and leave her to fight out the war. Whether the resignation was accepted or not, is uncertain. The letter is as follows :

Whether the resignation was accepted or not, is uncertain. The letter is as follows: Most Excellent Sirs: Since my return to the country, I have been occupied solely with one great and holy purpose—that most important pur-pose for which the nation summoned me—the defence of the integrity and independence of my country. The public has witnessed my anxious exertions. Thave spared no meane—I have toiled without intermission—I found nothing, and strove to create everything—without resources, and without an army. I hurried to the field. In the manifesto which I addressed to the na-tion on taking charge of the government, and which was published on the 22nd inst., I made known the events which have taken place up to the time of my arrival in this capital, the causes of them, and the salutary purposes which brought me hither. I came at the head of a body of troops, assembled by great exertions, under afflicting circumstances, to reinforce the garrison of the capital. I entered upon the exercise of the execu-tive power, for the purpose of arranging every-thing necessary for its defence; and I can now say, with pride, that Mexico has the means of defending itself, and, that the enemy cannot take it with the forces at present at his disposal. I have always said, and I have been firmly re-solved, that I would not take upon myself the executive power, unless in one of those moments of extreme urgency in which a great national and political interest rendered it absolutely ne-cessary; except in such a case, I have refused, and will always refuse, to exercise it. But, un-der existing circumstances, a powerful motive for retaining it was found in the fact that the post

cessary; except in such a case, I have refused, and will always refuse, to exercise it. But, un-der existing circumstances, a powerful motive for retaining it was found in the fact that the post is one of danger—a seat of trouble and misfor-tune only; and that, called upon as I was to make sacrifices in behalf of my country, the last and gratest remained for me, which was to ex-pose myself to the shafts of malice and calumny, to confront them all; and to respond, by deeds, to the envenomed imputations of periody. It is this sacrifice which I have recently been making; and I should not hesitate to persevere in it, if it were capable of producing any good effect, or could lead to any useful result. But I can no longer entertain that hope; I am now persuaded that my remaining in the post of chief magistrate oc-casions increased clamors, and is an impediment to the good which I so ardently desire. The ene-mies of my country are despatching in every di-rection their artful emisaries; they propagate dis-trust and calumny; and although their efforts should convince every Mexican that I am regard-ed as an obstacle to their acquiring sway over the country they nevertheless succeed in miscading the judgments of many, and ensmare and deceive them by flattering their inclinations or their inter-ests. Those who shrink from the defence of the them by nattering their incinations or their inter-ests. Those who shrink from the defence of the country, and whose aspirations are for peace, see that they cannot obtain their object while I am at the head of the government, because they are aware that my determination has been to combat unto death. The various factions, into which the

country is split, forgetting now the common dan-ger, give play to their desires, and hope through a change to obtain possession of that power, which is now on the eve of departing from the hands of the nation, unless a decisive and powerful effort

gle word; and it is my duty to utter it, as the last and most efficient service which it is left me to render. That word is the formal resignation, which I tender in this note, of the provisional presidency of the republic, with which the nation honored me. So earnest is my conviction, that I have no hesitation in asserting that I ought not to continue in the post, nor even bear the title of President of the republic; and I therefore pray the sovereign Congress to be pleased immediately to accept my resignation, and declare itself in per-manent session, in order to nominate the individu-al who is to be intrusted with this responsible manent session, in order to nominate the individu-al who is to be intrusted with this responsible charge. I have fulfilled my daty to my country, to the utmost of my abilities. I have dedicated to it my life, the fortune of my children, and even my own reputation ; my blood has been shed, and my body mutilated, in its defence ; and I have the proud satisfaction of now terminating forever my public career, without dread of disgrace, and with the consciousness that my services have been the fruits of loyality and patriotism. Where-ever my fate may lead me, I shall lift up my hoad, and will be able to say that I do not bear a dis-honored name, of which my kindred or my fellow-countrymen are ashamed, but that they behold in me a faithful and patriotic Mexican, who, in all his actions, had but one view—the honor of his country.

IMPORTANT FROM MEXICO. Minonte in Prison-Gen's Salas and Valencia Ordered to San Louis-The Presidency, Gr. The New Orleans Pleayane has received, by

the way of Tampico, its files from the capitol as late as the 29th of May. This is a week later than the papers received last week by the Oregon, and full as late as the private advices from the

capitol. Santa Anna's letter of resignation, is published in the papers of the 29th ult., but we know nohing of the action taken by Congress on the sub-

ject. In the city of Mexico every thing is manifestly in a state of confusion and almost unlicensed an-archy. Gen. Bravo has resigned not only his command of General-in-Chief, but also his com-mission of general of division. Gen. Rincon is said to have done the same thing. If it is true that Gen. Almonte is under arrest, though the causes of his imprisonment are not avowed. He is confined in Santiago Tlaitelolco. The death of Gen. Scott was for several days reported in the city of Mexico, and generally credi-ted. The error was discovered, however, prior to the latest dates. Gen: Ampudia has been directed to await fur-ther orders at Cuernavaca. What suspicious thing he has done or contemplated we are not in-formed.

thing he has done or contemplated we are not in-formed. The Capitol is nearly defenceless in spite of Mexican fanfaronade, and it is thought that if Scott were to present himself, he would enter without resistance from a population of nearly 200,000 souls. Almost all others than the mili-tary are in favor of peace, and do not care to con-ceal their opinions. The soldiers are for war, not through patriotic motives, but that they may give full vent to their licentiousness and rapacity. With respect to the Clergy, they have wonder-fully modified their views since the promulgation of Gen. Scott's proclamation. Perceiving that the Americans pledge themselves to respect the Church property, and observe their pledges, the Clergy have determined not to surrender their wealth for the benefit of the Republic, arguing that when they agreed to despoil themselves be-fore, they imagined that the Americans would strip them, and that, therefore, they had better help their own countrymen. Now, however, that they do not fear being molested, the Clergy keep their purse strings tightly drawn. FROM THE ARMY OF GEN. TAYLOR. From the Brazos, by the arrival of the Tele-

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graph, our news is later. From the Flag of the 7th inst., we learn that Col. Doniphan, with a portion of his command, passed down the Rio Grande on the 5th inst. The

passed down the Rio Grande on the 5th inst. The Flag thus speaks of them: The unshorne beards and goat and deer skin clothes of many of them reminded us of descrip-tions we have read of the inhabitants of some of the countries of the Russian Empire. They stop-ped in town a couple of hours. Col. Doniphan is a stout, rough-featured, good-natured looking sort of a man. He brought along with him Clark's battery, and ten pieces of cannnon captured at Sacramento. The sick, &c., forty or fifty wagons, with several hundred mules, were turned over to the quartermaster.

with several hundred mules, were turned over to the quartermaster. A letter in the Picayune from Saltillo, dated May 21, states that two Mexican officers from San Luis had arrived at Gen. Wool's camp, with a communication from the Governor of San Luis Potosi, announcing that he had heard of the intend-ed approach of the American army, and begging to inquire whether it was the intention of the com-manding general to conduct the war according to the magnes of civilized nations, or according to the the usages of civilized nations, or according to the manner adopted by the Camanches. The letter

What reply Gen. Taylor will make to a ques What reply Gen. Taylor will make to a ques-tion and communication of so insulting a charac-ter I cannot say, but I am told his unusually even temper was considerably rufiled upon reading it, and he is said to have remarked that he should think the Mexicans had become pretty well ac-quainted with our manner of conducting war be-fore this. If they have not it is certainly not his fault, for he has tried hard enough to *beat* it into them. There is no doubt that we shall march up-on San Luis at a very carly period, as soon as sufficient numder of troops arrive from below, and the nation, unless a decisive and powerful effort is made to defend it. The views of the external enemy, and the con-flicting interests of parties in the interior, are di-rected to me individually, as a common target for all; and I find myself placed in a position—I will not say dangerous, for I do not fear dangers—but extremely difficult, and in which I can render no eervice. The attempts at a revolution are public, and the government holds in its hands the thread of them; and it is also publicly known that the enemy dare not advance from Puebla upon Mexi-co, as he loudly threatens to do, unless he is aided by a revolutionary movement by a sin-gle word; and it is my duty to utter it, as the last and most efficient service which it is left me to ceives orders there, but leaving a garrison for the place, will proceed with the residue of his com-mand to the city of Mexico.

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In Shepherdstown, on Wednesday the 16th inst., Mr. Georae UNSELD, aged about 55 years.
At the residence of his father, at Mt. Alpine, Morgan county, Va., Mr. Enwand ORAICS, son of Cronwell Orick, Eq., in the 25th year of his age.
At the residence of his son-in-law, Marshall B. Perry, Gum Spring, Londoun county, Va., Mr. BENJAMIN MAX-turat., in the 25th year of his age.
On the 8th inst., after a lingering illness, Miss RACHEL LOTT, of this town, aged 55 years.
At her residence near Smithfield, on the 14th instant, Mr. Mrs. Mary Hirstry, wile of the last Join Hiett aged 72 years, 7 months and 21 days, having suffered from affliction for the last 30 years of her life. But in all her sufficiences with charten the Friends, for the last for untime, but bors her afflictions with christian forthinde and resignation. She was propared to leave this world, with full confidence of resping her reward in heaven.
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COMMUNICATED. At the residerice of his uncle, Mr. Alfred Bales, in Summerfield, Summerset county, Pa., on Tuesday the Jotu inst., Mr. Jonn A. BaLes, of Marinaburg, aged 24 years and six months. —The deceased was a member of Capt. E. G. Alburtis' Company (H.) of Virginia Volunteers, and was on his way home from Monterey, in Mexico, where he had re-ceived an honorable discharge from the Army on ac-count of "Chronic Dislocation of the right ankle joint and wasting of the leg." While in the service of the U. S., he took the "Camp Dysentery," from which he could find no relief, and which carried him off. His af-flicted parents and friends are consoled by the assurance from those who watched over his last moments, that "his end was peace," and that he is now in the full enjoyment of everiasting rest, in that "House not made with hande, eternal in the Heavens !"

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	If this vile house of clay, This tabernacle sink below,	
	In ruinous decay; We have a house above,	1911
	Not made with mortal hands; And firm as our redeemer's love,	
30	That Heavenly fabric stands."	574

CHURCH NOTICE.

The subscribers to the re-building of the Episcopal Church, Charlestown, are respectfully requested to pay N. S. White one-third of their subscriptions by the las day of Jaly next. B. C. WASHINGTON, Warden. June 11, 1847.

June 11, 1847. HAS THE GREAT AUTHOR OF NATURE pro-vided us with no remedy for Consumption—and the dis-eases leading thereto which are so fearfully common in our country! Has he left us to find relief from that fa-tal scourge by ransacking other lands! No, it is not so. The best—Nature's own remedy, is ready at our hand. The wild Cherry and the Pine furnish us with a cure, where a cure is possible. Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry, formed by clemical extracts from Wild Cherry bark and tar, relieves all cases of consumption, and ef-fectually cures it where it has not progressed so far as to be beyond cure—subdues the most inveterate cases of the Asthma, even of 30 and 40 years standing—stops raising of blood, after other remedies fail—and removes every kind of affection of the Lungs and Liver which our climate induces. The remarkable efficacy of this won-derful medicine, in many diseases hitherto deemed incur-able, has excited among physicians great curiosity as to the precise nature of its ingredients. Let purchasers be-ware of imitations and counterfeits. The model of affective and counterfeits. \$1,50 per lb. Every package (in addition to its containing full weight, independent of the wrapper,) bears the stamp of neatness and elegance, and the Teas therein are so thoroughly secured from light and air that their quality and power will remain un-impaired in any climate. AUGUSTUS M. CRIDLER. Harpers-Ferry, Va., June 25, 1847-3m.

by A fresh supply of the above Balsam, on hand and or sale by J. H. BEARD, Charlestown.

EXECUTOR'S SALE.

"And the cause coming on to be heard this 7th day of June, 1847, upon the Bill and exhibits, wasargued by counsel, upon consideration where-of the Court doli adjudge, order and decree, that a Commissioner of this Court, do by proper no-tices, assemble each of the parties before him WILL be sold on Friday the 16th day of July next, at the late residence of Mary Hiett, dec'd, one mile South of Smithfield, all the Real and Personal Property, belonging to said Estate. The Real Property consists of Four Lots or Par-cels of Land, the first containing about 27 Acres, about helf of which is in Timbar. The second tices, assemble each of the parties before him, and do ascertain and report to this Court, to whom the fund in the bill mentioned is probably due and payable, and if to more than one of the de-fendants, in what proportions. And the said Com-missioner is directed to state specially all such matters as he may deem pertinent, or as he may be required by either of the parties so to state, and make report to this Court in order to a final de-cree." about half of which is in Timber. The second contains about 3 Acres, cleared. The third contains about 6 Acres, two in Timber, and the fourth contains about 3 Acres, all in Timber. The Personal Estate embraces all the stock,

consisting of 6 head of Cattle, some of which are excellent Milch Cows; 18 or 20 Hogs and Shoats; 1 Wheelbarrow, &c., together with all the

Household & Kitchen Furniture,

consisting in part of several Feather Beds, Bed-steads and Bedding; 1 Bureau; Cupboard and contents, Tables, Chairs; Knives and Forks, &c.; 2 Ten-plate Stoves and Pipe, and a great variety

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

A T an annual meeting of the Overseers of the Poor of Jefferson County, held at Sapping-ton's Hotel in Charestown, on the first Monday (7th day) of June, 1847, the Board proceeded to lay the levy for the present year, as follows : DR

The Sheriff of Jefferson County, as follows : To Samuel Cameron, salary as Superin-tendant of the Poor House, for the year ending 31st December next, To Dr. John Reynolds, Physician in Dis-trict No. 1, for the year ending this day \$300 00 30 00

day, To Dr. Vincent Butler, salary for same

time, To Dr. W. F. Alexander, do. Physician to Poor in Poor-house and in District No. 3, for same time, To Dr. J. J. H. Straith, do. same, "Dr. W. O. Macoughtry, do. in Dis-

125 Chatham and 163 Greenwich Sts. They moreover possess facilities, in relation to the Tea Trade, in a very abundant degree, and doublees, superior to any other Tea Concern in America. Their scrupulous regard to all princi-ples that tend to elevate the character of of a large house, is well understood, and has already secured them a connection, probably, larger than all other Tea Establishments united, and they consequent-ly are determined to sell Teas purer, more fra-grant, and perfect for the prices in the aggregate, than any house in the world—China excepted. Reader make the experiment! Retail pricos as follows, subject in all cases to be returned if not approved of: GREENS. triet No. 8, " Dr. Mann P. Nelson, do. same, " Dr. Geo. B. Stephenson, do. in Dis-Dr. Geo. B. Stepnenson, do. in D trict No. 4,
Dr. James Garry, do. same,
John P. Brown, Clerk to Board,
Solomon Staley, am't account,
Samuel Show, do
Thomas Messy, do
James Shepherd, do
Daniel Entler, do
Lanch Line, do \$0 50 per lb. 0 621 do 0 75 do do " Jacob Line, do " Charles Harper, balance aco't. 1 25 0 75 do Joseph Starry, am't account 1 00 " J. J. Miller, " W. C. Worthington, do do " Crane & Sadler 0 75 " Wm. H. Griggs, do " Mahala McLoughlin, do 1 00 do 1 25 " John Moore, " E. M. Aisquith, " John Kable, " Henry Miller, do

do Nace Johnson, (taxes to be deducted, Benjamin Roderick, do William Reid, John P. Brown, do William Langlon, 'do " Miller & Tate, " Gibson & Harris, do " Samuel Cameron, do " John F. Smith, do " Semony L. Minghini, do Semony L. Minghini, do J. W. Grantham, do W. O. Macoughtry, do Geo. W. Sappington, do George Manzy, do R. S. Littlejohn do Rawleigh Jett, (subject to taxes due Sheriff) do William McCoy, am't Hiett's acc't John Hiett, am't acc't: William McCoy, do, P. McBride's Adm'r. do, Philip Coons, Mrs. Rokenbaugh, do do Billy Drew, do Keyes & Kearsley do Wm. Roach, (taxes to be deducted) do Miss Loudon and children, Mrs. Verner, Mrs. Jackson, Miss Buseys, Lew-is Duke and John Noland, levied in hands of Col. Harper, to be paid

do

quarterly,
"Jacob Smurr, rent for Miss Busey,
"Daniel Brooks, rent for Mrs. Verner and Mrs. Fleming,
"B. T. Towner, rent for Lewis Duke 180 00 24 00

and Eveline Duke, "Jacob Line, rent for Mrs. Edwards, "Jacob Snyder, Mrs. Edwards and Eve-19 00 line Duke, levied in hands of Mr. Hessey to be paid quarterly, "Elizabeth Mercer and Mrs. Zombro, 70 00 levied in hands of Dr. Macoughtry, to be paid quarterly, "Nancy Hall and Peggy Smith, levied in hands of Mr. Gruber, to be paid quar-

terly "Maria Hutchinson, Wm. Whitlow &

wife, Mrs. Milbern and three children, Mrs. McFillen, levied in hands of Mr. " Mrs. Divide and the factor of the factor of the second s 160 00

at a salary of \$25, to be levied in Jane, 1848. Dr. Mann P. Nelson and Dr. W. O. Macoual try were appointed Physicians to the Poor in Dis trict No. 3 for the ensuing year, at a salary

trict No. 3 for the ensuing year, at a salary of \$25 each. Dr. George B. Stephenson and Dr. James Gar-ry were re-appointed Physicians in District No. 4 for the ensuing year, at a salary of \$30 each. 1 Ordered, That the Treasures of the Board draw from the Sheriffs the balance due on the de-positume of 1946 and 1846 now in their bands. John G. Wilcon, Esd., a thember of the Board, tendered his resignation as an Overseer of the Poor for this younty, in District No. 4, which was on motion, received, and ordered to be certified by the County Coart of said County. On motion, the Board adjourned. Signed. WM. McMURRAN, THOM AS HESSEY, JOHN F. SMITH, JOHN GRUBER, GEORGE MAUZY, JOHN GRUBER, JOENS, W. O. MACOUGHTRY, CHAS, HARPER, JOSEPH STARRY, JOHN KABLE. A 'Copy-Teste, JOHN P. BROWN, Clerk. June 25, 1847.

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June 25, 1847.

NOTICE.

THE Stockholders of the Smithfield, Charles-town and Harpers-Ferry Turnpike Company, are notified to attend a meeting at Carter's Hotel, on Saturday the 10th July next, for the purpose of electing a President and Three Directors for the ensuing year, and for other business. HUMPHREY, KEYES, June 25, 1847. Sec'y and Treasurer. 36 50 16 53 20 45 23 51

NOTICE.

A MEETING of the Stockholders of the She-nandoah and Harpers-Ferry Bridge Compa-ny will be held at their Office on the first day of August next. All the Stockholders are request-ed to attend, as business of importance will be transacted. By order of the President. GEORGE MAUZY, Sec's. 10 00 11 51

Harpers-Ferry, June 25, 1847.

HATS AND CAPS

FOR THE PRESENT SEASON.

FOR THE PRESENT SEASON. JUST received a fine assortment of Hair Cloth and Straw CAPS for children. Also, in store and constantly finishing, HATS of every variety, suitable for summer wear. I would call the attention of my friends and the public to a new mode of trimming adopt-ed by me, to prevent the perspiration coming thro the Hat. Baltimore, June 18, 1847. Terench and German Looking Glass Depot and Plattare France Magazine to the sectors. 5 82 22 25 22.67

1 90 Picture Frame Manufactory. Picture Frame Annulactory. THE most extensive assortment of GLASSES, framed and unframed, and Portrait and Pic-ture Frames, on hand, or manufactured to order. For sale at lowest cash prices, by SAMSON CARISS, Carver & Guilder, No. 138 and 140 Baltimore street. 6 00 16 00

Baltimore, June 18, 1847.

DANCING SCHOOL.

DANCING SCHOOL. I sufficiently encouraged, the undersigned will-open on the 30th day of this month, at Capt, G. W. Sappington's Hotel, in Charlestown, & Dancing School, wherein all the modern and elegant Hops, Waltzes, and Dances of the pre-sent day, will be taught. Proper attention will be given to the mordle, as well as the manners of the pupils. Persons wishing to be taught, will please leave their names with Capt. Sappington, who will make known the terms. JOAB OSBURN. June 18, 1847. 12 00

24 00 June 18, 1847.

To the Farmers of Jefferson & Clarke.

THE undersigned, John Kable, Solomon Heffe-bower and David Johnston, trading under the name and firm of KABLE, HEFLEROWER & JOHN-stox, having leased the Kabletown Mills for a term of years, will offer fair inducements to the Farm-ers generally, either to grind their Wheat or to purchase the same for cash. These Mills have purchase the same for cash. These Mills have very recently undergone a thorough state of re-pair, such as new Burrs, Bolting Cloths, &c., and our present facilities for grinding will enable us to manufacture thirty barrels of flour per day.— Families wishing a prime article of Family Flour can be supplied at all times on accommodating-terms. We hope by strict attention to business and promptness in all matters, to merit a share of the public patronage. JOHN KABLE, SOLOMON HEFLEBOWER, DAVID JOHNSTON. Kabletown, June 18, 1847—3m.

Kabletown, June 18, 1847-3m.

155 00 80 00

Mrs. Dix, levied in hands of Mr. Sap-pington, to be paid quarterly, "Richard Larue and wife, Mr. Barnes and Wesley Asby, levied in hands of Mr. Kable, to be paid quarterly, "George W. Little, rent for Mrs. Golds-borough to April, 1848, "Mrs. Weimer, Mary Wilson, Hannah Lott, Rachael Lott, Matilda Foreman, Mrs. Brean and Mrs. Wilberow Levied Mrs. Bryan and Mrs. Witherow, levied in the hands of Mr. Starry, to be paid quarterly, 155 00 "John H. Smith, rent for Mrs. Smithey, 12 00 W. O. Macoughtry do. for Mrs. Zom-"Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Yeamans, Mrs. Lar-kus, John W. Holt's child, John Pierce, Susan Taylor and Patrick and wife, levied in the hands of Mr. McCoy to be paid quarterly, "Sarah Board, Mrs. Marlatt, Mrs Her-ron, Alcy Ball, Mrs. Donavin, Mrs. Rawlins, and Mrs. Overton, levied in the hands of Mr. Mauzy, to be paid construction 175 00 quarterly, "Mrs. Rokenbaugh, rent for Patrick 163 00 "Betsy Watkins, Betsey Hewitt and old Mrs. Watkins, levied in the hands of Mr. Yates, to be paid quarterly, "J. S. & H. N. Gallaher, for printing 105 00 10 00 one year, "James W. Beller, do do

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DR.

Your excellencies will be pleased, as I pray you, to make report of this resignation to the sovereign Congress, and receive the assurances of my par-ticular consideration. God and liberty. Антонто Lopez DE SANTA ANNA.

For the Spirit of Jefferson. TO MISS JANE W., QUEEN OF MAY. Fair Queen of May, With thy trains so gay, That hover around thy bowers; May happiness bo Their lot with theo, Thou fairest of earth-born flowers.

May the future ne'er bring

The sorrows that cling Around the best and fairest of earth; And to thy heart No chill impart, As it breaks o'er the bounds of aged mirth.

In the spring-time of life, Let not envy nor strife Cast a shadow o'er thy dreams : Live with heart as gay As the month of May; And hope as bright as rainbow beams. shington College; Jane 19th, 1847. C. H. S.

SCHOOL COMMISSIONER.

SCHOOL COMMISSIONER. The name of Ws. C. WORTHINGTON, Esq., is suggest ed to the Votors of the Charlestown (Northern) District as a School Commissioner. Mr. W. is eminently quali-fied to discharge the duies of the office, both by educa-tion and experience as a public man. It is necessary that in putting a system of education into operation, tha is new in many particulars, to place those at the heas who are qualified, and willing to do justice to the scheme respecting both of which, Mr. W. is O. K.

CAPT. CALWELL.—The Lewisburg Chronicle states that Capt. James H. Calwell, having suc-ceeded in raising his company of Voltiguers, start-ed for Fortress Mource on the 8th inst. The Company is said to number 70 or 75 athletic mountaincers.

L.C. C.R.R. W. T.S.

SALA TRIBINICA

On Tuesday morning last, by the Rev. Wm. M. At-kunson, the Kov. WARREN B. DUTTON, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Charlestown, to Miss MARY FRANCES ATKINSON, daughter of the Rev. Wm. M. At-kinson, of Winchester. On Thursday evening the 17th inst., on Camp Hill, Harpers-Ferry, by the Kev. Nelson Head, Mr. EZEKIEL D. Youwo, of this town, to Miss CLARANNA AVIS, daugh-ter of the late Wm. Avis, of this town. In St. Paul's Church. Lynchburg, on Thursday aven

In St. Paul's Church, Lynchburg, on Thursday even-ing, the 10th inst, by the Rev. Mr. Kinkle, Dr. Joun STAIGE DAVIS, of Charlottesville, to LUCY LANDON, daughter of Wim. M. Blackford, Esq.

Near Snickerwille, Loudoun county, on Tuesday, the ist inst., by Elder Jas. T. Massey, Mr. Annra G. Hua-PHREY, to Miss MARY C., eldest daughter of Joseph Lodge, Esq., all of that county.

The Markets.

BALTIMORE MARKET-

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 From the Baltimore Clipper of Wednesday.

 CATTLE -- Sales at 3 124 to \$4 124 per 100 lbs on the hoof, equal to 6 25 a \$3 nst.

 HOGS---Sales at 5 50 a \$6 25 per 100 lbs.

 FLOUR--The market is very dull to 43.

 A general to 6 25 a \$3 nst.

 HOGS---Sales at 5 50 a \$6 25 per 100 lbs.

 FLOUR--The market is very dull to 43.

 A general state of Howard st. brands were made at \$6 75, we quote commend.

 Buryers

 Grant which it will not now command.

 Buryers

 Grant a st \$4 50.

 Sales of Pa. yellow com

 at \$3 a \$4 cts, while is worth \$5 a \$8 cts.

 Pa yellow com

 at \$1 45.

 Substate to at \$6 36 \$6 80.

 Child A.- A traction, 129 hbds.

 Porto 10 a \$7 f0 a \$7 01 a \$7 01 a \$10 at \$10 bls \$24 bet at prices ranging for \$1 to 8c. per lb.

 Substate at \$1 45 at \$1 at \$100 bags \$10 at prices ranging for \$1 to 8c. per lb.

 Mathematical \$10 at \$21 12; No. 2 at \$28.

 Mot sat \$25.
 Cof fab \$2 per 10.

Ibs. Wagon Freights from Cumberland to Wheeling, 624c per 100 lbs; frem Cumberland to Brownaville, 40c. do. and from Brownaville to Pittaburg, 10c per 100 lbs. From Haltimors to Wheeling, \$1 50 per 100 lbs.

NEW YORK MARKET.

Company is said to number 70 or 75 athletic mountaineers. Post-office stamps for the convenience of pre-paying postage, are to be sudd on the 1st of July. The stamp for ten onts will be of the head of Washington, colored lack. The five cents stamp will be colored rown, and will represent the head of Franklin. NEW YORK MARKET. At New York, on Tuesday, there were sales of some super ; some small parcels were taken at \$7 31}. Southern flour held at \$775, but no sales. Ohio do sold at 6 87 to \$7. Corn meal 475 to \$4 932. Ohio do sold at 6 87 to \$7. Corn meal 475 to \$4 932. Ohio do sold at 6 87 to \$7. Corn meal 475 to \$4 932. Ohio do sold at 6 87 to \$7. Corn meal 475 to \$4 932. By four held at \$1 72 a \$1 75. Prime Genasee brought 1 80 a \$1 85. Some 30,000 bashels yallow corn were taken at 99c a \$1. Rys is held at 1 13 a \$1 15 per bishel.

Kitchen Furniture, such as Pots, Ovens, Kettles, Shovels and Tongs, &c., &c. Also-1 Loom and Tackle-Bacon, Lard, Vine-

gar, Meat Tubs, Barrels, and a variety of other articles too tedious to mention.

Terms-A credit of six months will be given on the personal property for all sums above \$5, the purchaser giving bond and approved security —all sums of \$5 and under the cash will be re-quired. Terms for the Land made known at sale. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, A. M.

JOHN LOCK, Sr., Ex'r. June 25, 1847. of Mary Hiett, dec d.

TRUSTEES' SALE.

A CCOUNTS contracted with John H. Beard, prior to the 1st of January, 1847, are now ready for settlement, and immediate payment of them, as well as of all notes, &c., due the said Beard, is earnestly requested. Those who are not prepared at this time to pay their accounts, will be given the time of aixty days from the 1st of July next, provided, such accounts amount respectively to Two Dollars, and they are closed by notes, by the 30th inst. The accounts, &c., of all those who disregard this notice will be placed in a course of collection by law. Accounts for the present year will be ready for settlement, in the course of a week or ten days, and it is desired to have them closed either by pay-CCOUNTS contracted with John H. Beard

settlement, in the course of a week or ten days, and it is desired to have them closed either by pay-ment or notes, before the 15th of July next. On all accounts of Two Dollars and upwards, if closed by notes, before the said 15th, a credit of ninety-days from that time will be given, other-wise these accounts will also be placed in a course of collection by law. Settlements to be made with A. J. O'Bannon, one of the undersigned

one of the undersigned. The stock of MEDICINES, DRUGS, Paints

&c., &c., is now offered at retail, for cash, at cash prices. J. GREGG GIBSON, A. J. O'BANNON,

June 25, 1847. Trustees.

CHRISTOPHER THOMAS,

FASHIONABLE TAILOR & HABIT MAKER. THE subscriber would respectfully inform the public that he carries on the

Tailoring Business

in the shop lately occupied by Mr. Kercheval, at Duffield's Depot, and is prepared to execute all work entrusted to him in the neatest and most Dumeid's Depot, and is prepared to execute all work entrusted to him in the neatest and most fashionable style. His experience in the business, and the arrangements made to receive regularly the reports of the adopted style of dress, enables him to assure his customers that garments will be cut and made to order, and in strict conformity with the prevailing fashions and taste of the day. While be flatters himself with the belief that his work in taste and fashion will be equal to that done in any of the cities, he also feels as-sured that he is prepared to cut and make up the garments to please the fancy of those who do not wish to be governed by the prevailing fashions. He hopes by strict attention to business, and a determination to lack in no effort on his part to please his customers, to receive a liberal share of public favor. CHRISTOPHER THOMAS. Duffield's Depot, June 26, 1847-3m. N. B. The Shop at Halltown will still be car-ried on under my superintendence. C. T.

30000 POUNDS BACON, a prime article, for sale by GIBSON & HARRIS. June 25.

Description of the state of the date

M., to execute the foregoing order of Courtwhen and where they are requested to attend and submit any papers as evidence they may have to offer, connected with the cause.

R. WORTHINGTON, Com'r. June 25, 1847.

A Copy-Teste, ROBERT T. BROWN, Clerk.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

Harpers Ferry Manufact'g Company.

WE the undersigned, having been appointed an investigating committee, by the Stock-holders of the Harpers-Ferry and Shenandoah Manufacturing Company, at their annual meeting held May the 3d, 1847, respectfully report: That we have examined the Books and accounts of the Transverse of the Company as for a st

of the Treasurer of the Company, so far as it respects the disbursement of the funds, and have found that all of the sums paid out have been duly approved of by the President in accordance with the By-laws, and that the vouchers exhibit a clear and satisfactory statement of the objects for which the different sums have been paid. The funds expended so far as the committee were able to dge have been judiciously and economically ap-

plied. The committee beg leave to state also, that they made a cursory examination of the building and other works connected with the factory, and that they were highly gratified with the rapid progress made in every department of the work. The arrangement made for securing the steady and uninterrupted advancement of the work exhibits great prudence and foresight, and the committee feel assured that they cannot speak in terms too complimentary of the ability and success with which, so far, the President has conducted the va-rious and complicated affairs of the company. Respectfully submitted,

Respectfully submitted, GEO. SMITH, BENJ. MOORE, PHILIP BURHART. To the Stockholders of the Harpers-Ferry and Shenandoah Manufactory. June 25, 1847.

To Contractors.

THE Smithfield, Charlestown, and Harpers Ferry Turnpike Company, wish to contract for breaking stone, in the street in Charlestown, and for the delivery of a quantity of stone on the road between Capt. James M. Brown's and Halle town. JOHN YATES, Pres't. June 25, 1847.

Make Hay While the Sun Shines. A WORD to the wise is sufficient. As Har-WORD to the wise is sufficient. As Har-my friends and the citizens of Harpers-Ferry and the contiguous country, that I am just receiving a fine lot of Groceries, consisting of No. 1 and 2 Coffees, do. do. Sugars, Molasses, Shad, Her-rings, Mackerel, Cheese, Rice, Bacon, Salt, Lard, Hops, Boots, Shoes, &c. All of which were pur-chased for cash, and will be sold cheaper than the cheapest on the same terms. Call opposite Mr.

\$2,638 40 To a depositum in the hands of the 1.258 60 Sheriff.

\$3,897 00 CR. By 4330 Tithables at 90 cents, \$3,897 00

ORDERED, That the Treasurer stand credited by the following sums:

By am't paid J. W. Hooper acc't, " do W. R. Seevers, Camer-2 84 do W.R. Seevers, Camer-on's order for Corn, 60 00
do J. Grantham for Pork, 92 00
do G.W. Sappington, 10 85
do 12 Members, 12 00
The Sheriff returned his delinquent Lists and set-tled the Depositum of 1846, as follows:
Daniel G. Henkle 9 Delq'ts for '45 at 60c \$5 40
Same 91 " ' '46 at 75c 68 25

Same 91 " " '46 at 75c 68 25 Benjamin Lucas 57 " " '46 at 75c 42 75

Benjamin Lucas 57 " 46 at 75c 36 00 John W. Moore 48 " '46 at 75c 36 00 Robert Lucas, 28 " '45 at 60c 16 80 Same 255 " '46 at 75c 191 25 Same 8360 45 By 6 per cent. commission for collect-172 31 ing \$2,870 25,

By balance due of depositum 1846

To am't Depositum 1846,

chased for cash, and will be sold cheaper than the cheapest on the same terms. Call opposite Mr. Abell's Hotel, at the sign of CONRAD & BRO. Harpers-Ferry, June 25, 1847. Tease, had better call and procure a bottle of that invaluable medicine, known as "Motris' Tonic," as it is a certain and asfe remedy. "On-ly a few more left." Call at the sign of June 25, CONRAD & BRO.

P. S.—The above to take effect on the first o July, 1847. K. H. & J.

DISSOLUTION.

THE firm of Kable & Johnston will expire on the first day of July, 1847, at which time it is desirable that all persons knowing themselves indebted to said firm should come forward and make settlement. Persons having claims against the firm will present them, as it is desirable that the business of the concern should be settled up to that time. KABLE & JOHNSTON. Kabletown, June 18, 1847-3t. Kabletown, June 18, 1847-3t.

Sale of Valuable Lots.

O's Saturday the 100h day of next month, (July.) at the house of Mr. John Lambaugh, in North Bolivar, I will sell at public suction, a number of valuable Building Lots. Sale to comm at 2 o'clock, P. M.

at 2 o'clock, F. M. Terms of Sale.—One-fourth cash and the bal-ance in one and two years, with interest from date. The deferred payments to be secured by a Deed of Trust upon the premises. The Lots will be staked off, and a plot exhibited on the day of sale. SUSAN DOWNEY. 10 00 Harpers-Ferry, June 18, 1847.-[F. P. copy.

Grocerics.

CAF Sugar, best quality; Brown do., first quality; Brown do., second quality; Molan-ses, &c., just received and for sale cheap by June 18. E. S. TATE.

For Harvest.

G RASS and Grain Scythes, Wades aud Hodges Grain Cradles, just received by WM. R. SEEVERS. Summit Point, June 11, 1847.

Grain Cradles, Scythes, &c.

GRAIN Cradles, Grain and Grass Scythes, Grain Sneads, Whetstones, and Patent Ri-fles, for sale by CRANE & SADLER. fles, for sale by June 18, 1847.

EMONS.—" A few more" Lemons, just re-ceived and for sale low. Call at June 25. CONRAD & BRO.

SPICES.—Allspice, Nutmegs, Cloves, Cinna-mon, Mace, Race Ginger, Ground do., Pepper &c., for sale by E. S. TATE. &c., for sale by June 18, 1847.

CHEAP GROCERIES —Just received for Harvest, Brown and Loaf Sugar, Coffee, Chocolate, &c. CRANE & SADLER. June 18, 1847. \$532 60

WHISKEY.—Just received a good article of low priced Whiskey, for harvest. June 18, 1847. CRANE & SADLER. 284 46 \$817 19

BLASTING Powder: Patent safety fuse. For sale by WM. R. SEEVERS. Summit Point, June 11, 1847. 8817 12

HARVEST WHISKEY-We have on hand some very good Whiskey, at low prices June 11, 1847. GIBSON & HARRIS.

50 PIECES CALICOES at MARRIS

HOPS-Of superior quality, for sale by June 18. MILLER & BRO

A GOOD assortment of Tin Wars for sale by June 18, CRANE & SADLER.

bariety.

From the Utica (New York) Organ. AN ESSAY TO MISS CATHARINE JA

An S A now I mean 2 write, 2 U sweet K T. J; The girl without a =, The bells of U T K.

I 1 day if you got the 1 I wrote 2 U B 4 I sailed in the R K D A, And sent by L N Moore

My M T head will scarce con I caim I D A bright, But A T miles from U I must M~ this chance 2 write.

And 1st should N E N V U, B E Z, mind it not; Should any friendship show, B true, They should not B forgot.

But friends and foes alike D K, As U may plainly C, In every funeral R A, Or uncle's L E G.

From virtue never D V 8, Her influence B 9, Alike induces 10derness And 42de divine.

Or cause an ! 1 hope U'll put a . 2 1 ! R U for annexation 2,

My cousin-heart and \$37 He offers in a T, A § 2 of land.

He says he loves U 2 X S, U R vir 2 ous and Y's; In X L N C U X L All others in his I's. This S A until U I C, -Tpray U 2 X Q's; And do not burn in F I G, My young and wayward more.

Now fare U well, dear K T J, I trust that U R true-When this U C then U can say, An S A I O U.

REFORM .--- We clip the following ludicrous hit from one of our exchange papers. It is too laugh-able a joke to be lost, even for relation's sake :---

How well it is the sun and moon, Are placed so very high, That no presuning man can reach To pluck them from the sky.

If 't were not so, I do believe

That some reforming ass Would soon attempt to take them down, To light the world with das!

MAKING BULLS AND PIGS .- It is generally admitted that the Irish are more famous for making bulls, but we think the Dutch can go ahead at making pigs. For instance :

I've got a pig cat and I've got a pig dog, I've got a pig calf, and I've got a pig hog. I've got a pig baby, so pig and so tall, And I've got a pig vife dat's pigger as all.

THE PRAIRIES.—Bryant has written a delight-ful poem—second only to his "Thanatopsis"— on these "gardens of the desert." A poetic contributor to the Burlington (Vt.) Free Press has also apostrophized them, but in a more practical and familiar style. He says:

- miliar style. He says: Great western waste of bottom land, Fiat as a pancake, rich as grease! Where grats are full as big as toads, And "skeeters are as big as greese! O, lonesome, windy, grassy place, Where buffaloes and smakes prevail ! The first with dreadful looking face, The first with dreadful sounding tail! I'd rather live on Camel's rump, And be a yankee doodle beggar, Than where they never see a stump, And shake to death with fover-n ager !

LONG SPEECHES.—Bradbury, of the Cincinnat-fi News, tells a capital story about a man, who, some years ago, was indicted in the Grand Circuit Court, State of Kentucky, for the crime of petit larceny. Determined not to surrender at discre-tion, the prisoner appeared on the day of trial, 'by himself and counsel,' as the law of that State per-mits. The actionce uses heard upon which it himself and counsel, as the law of that State per-mits. The evidence was heard, upon which it clearly appeared that the defendant had been guil-ty of stealing "one bag of corn worth two dollars and twenty cents." Nothing daunted by the ar-ray of facts against his client, the lawyer rose, and poured out an argument two hours in length.— When he concluded, the jury retired and returned a verdict of "petit larceny." Theattorney moved for a new trial, which was granted by the Court, and the case again brought before the jury. This time the lawyer spoke three hours and a half, the result of which was a verdict by the jury of 'guil-ty of grand larceny." Again the attorney rose to move a new trial. He squared himself, and com-menced in a style of grandiloquence worthy of an itinerant tragedian. He had spoken but a few words when the prisoner rushed forward, seized him violently by the arm and exclaimed : "Hush, Him violently by the arm and exclaimed : "Hush, hush, for Heaven's sake, hush! Another speech will hang me as sure as I'm a living man."

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Armenians and others. ews, 100.000.000 Mohammedans, 630,000,000 Pagans.

Total, 1,000,000,000 The Christian Journal remarks: "It is now about forty years since the commencement of the modern missionary effort. There are now among the heathens about 2000 missionaries; and these occupy nearly as many stations. In connection with these are 7 or 8,000 native and other salawith these are 7 or 8,000 native and other sala-ried teachers, catechists, helpers, and assistants of various kinds, engaged in the offices of educa-tion and religious instruction. There are about 200,000 converts in Christian communion, and about 250,000 children and adults belonging to missionary schools. Some 300 or 400 churches, and 2000 or 3000 schools have been organized.— The Bible is printed in most of the principal dia-lects of the children of men. These are the brief results of what has been done for the heathen in. the period of 1840 years' effort."

MAXIMS FOR THE WEEK.

SUNDAY.-The criminal neglect of one religious opportunity, will most probably indispose and unt you for the next.—Roby. MONDAY.—Those are the best Christians who

are more careful to reform themselves than to

are more careful to reform themselves than to censure others.—Fuller. TUESDAY.—Live every day as if it were the last you had to live. Lay hold of every season to prepare for heaven.—Ambrose. WEDNESDAY.—The man who is satisfied with himself is beyond the hope of improvement; there is the clay of earth without the fire of heaven.—

R. W. Hamilton. THURSDAY.—The spring of peace and content-ment is within, and therefore we had need look that it be clear and undefiled.—Bishop Patrick. FRIDAY.—Be much with God; and your face will shine; let all men see the new creation.— Bramwell. SATURDAY.-We are never beneath hope while

we are above hell, and never above hope while ve are beneath hedven .- Condor.

SELFISHNESS:

God has written upon the flower that sweetens the sir; upon the breeze that rocks the stem; upon the rain drop that refreshes the sprig of moss that lifts its head in the desert; upon the ocean that rocks every swimmer in its deep chambers; upon every pencilled shell in the caverns of the deep, no less than upon the mighty sun which warms and cheers millions of creatures that live in its light; upon his works he has written—" none of us liveth to himself." And probably, were we wise enough to understand these works, we should find that there is nothing; from the cold stone in the earth, or the minutest creature that breathes; which may not, in some way or other, minister to God has written upon the flower that sweetens which may not, in some way or other, minister to the happiness of some living creature. We ad-mire and praise the flower that best answers the end for which it was created, and bestows the most pleasure. We value and praise that horse, which best answers the end for which it was created, and the tree that bears fruit the most rich and abundant. The star that is the most useful in the

heavens is the star that we admire the most. Now it is not reasonable, that man, to whom the whole creation, from the flower up to the spangled heavens, all minister; man who has the power of conferring deepermisery or higher happiness than any other being on earth; man, who can act like God if he will; it is not reasonable that he should live for the uoble end of living, not to himself but others ?

feet below the level of the plain around Richmond, Virginia, occurs one of the most remarkable deposits in this country, or in any country. The place in which we have found it most fully devel-oped is where the small brook at the east end and the north side of Clay street empties into Shockoe Creek. On the bank of that brook will be seen a stratum from ten to fifteen feet thick, which most persons would call white clay; but Prot. W. B. Rogers, of the University, (the State Geologist.) has ascertained that it is made up alinfusoria—that is, microscopic animals. These skeletons, consisting of silex, are incredibly small, so that each cubic inch of this infusorial earth contains many thousand millions of them ! How nconceivably numerous, therefore, must they be, to form a depositat least ten feet thick and extending many miles over the adjoining country ! It has excited great interest among the learned naturalists of Europe as well as of our own country, and henceforth none of them will visit Richmon without searching at once for this deposite. Pro fessor Ehrenberg, of Prussia, the most eminent discover them in this almost impalpable dust re-quires a powerful microscope: and doubtless, therefore, many who look at specimens with the naked eye will be very incredulous as to these statements. But they are considered as estab lished facts by the scientific world. The substance may be distinguished from clay by being much lighter when dry. It is not, ineed, much heavier than magnesia, when pure .-In other parts of the world it is sometimes used for polishing powder. From a slight trial, I judge that the Richmond deposite would answer the same purpose. Beneath the infusorial deposit is a greenish o bluish clay, containing numerous sea-shells, or rather casts and moulds of them, with sharks' eeth, &c. ; but these although of deep interest to geologists, will not excite much attention from others. BEAUTIFUL EXTRACT.

BEAUTIFUL EXTRACT. I saw the temple reared by the hands of men, extending with its high pianacles in the distant plain. The storms beat upon it—the God of Na-ture hurled his thunderbolts against It—and yet it stood as firm as adamant. Revelry was in its hall—the gay, the happy and the beautiful were there. I returned and the temple was no more i Its high walls lay scattered ruins—moss and wild grass grew wildly there and at the midnight hour the owl's cry added to the deep solitude—the gay and young who revelled there had passed away. I saw a child rejoicing in his youth—the idol of his mother and the pride of his father : 1 return-ed and the child became old. Trembling with the weight of years, he stood the last of his genera-tion—a stranger amidst the desolation around him. him.

I saw an old oak stand in all its pride on the mountain—the birds were carroling on his boughs. I returned—the oak was leafless and sapless, the winds were playing at their pastime through its branches.

"Who is the destroyer ?" said I to my guardian

angel. "It is Time," said he, " when the morning stars sang together in joy over the new made world, he commenced his course, and when he shall have destroyed all that is beautiful on earth—pluck the sun from his sphere—veil the moon in blood—yea, when he shall have rolled heaven and earth away as a scroll, then shall an angel from the throne of God come forth, and with one foot on the sea and one on the land, lift up his hand towards heaven, and swear by Heaven's Eternal—" Time was but

lime shall be no longer ... FARMING BY STEAM.—The leading article of the London Agricultural Gazette of May 8th is on the employment of steam in farming, to which the editors are favorable, considering it a most docile and less costly power than man or horse. Every hundred acres of ploughing involves the passing over 1,000 linear miles by 500 consumers of food. They calculate the saving by steam on every ploughing at \$1 per acre, or \$100,000,000, on as many acres. on as many acres.

HARVEST GOODS.

G IBSON & HARRIS have supplied them-selves with a large stock of goods for har-vest. They respectfully call the attention of farmers to the following: New Orleans Sugar, Coffee, good and prime, Teas, Chocolate, Spices, Rice, Patent Rifles and Whet Stones, Cradling and Grass Scythes, Plates, Dishes, common Knives and Forks, Spoons, &c., Crocks, Jars, Earthen Pans, &c., with every

rticle necessary to make our stock complete. June 11, 1847.

Zollickoffer's Vermifuge. THIS remedy possesses advantages over most articles of the kind—being easily taken by children—and very effectual in removing worms. A fresh supply just received. June 18, 1847. JOHN P. BROWN.

Harvest Goods.

WE have a full supply of such goods as are needed by the Farmers at this season, for harvest purposes; which we pledge ourselves to sell as low as any house in the place. Please give us a call, and we will endeavor to make it your nterest to supply yourselves of us. June 18. MILLER & BRO.

Reduction of Prices.

A S the season is advanced, we now offer the remainder of our stock of Berages, Lawns, Summer Silks, Scarfs, Shawls, and many other fine goods, at very reduced prices. Ladies who have not supplied themselves can now obtain great bargains if they call early. June 18. MILLER & BRO.

Boots, Shoes, &c.

GEOLOGICAL FACTS .- Some twenty or thirty I HAVE just received a large lot of Shoes and Boots, a large portion of them cheap Brogans suitable for summer Shoes for negroes. I have also on hand some best Beaver, Silk, Guyaquil, and a great variety of other Hats. WM. R. SEEVERS. Summit Point, June 1, 1847. Of rare articles to be found at Miller & Bro's.

NEW HARDWARE STORE.

THE undersigned having associated themselves for the prosecution of the Hardware Business, are prepared to offer their friends and all who may call on them an *Entire New Stock*, which has been selected with the greatest care, from the European and American Manufacturers. Our Stock, in part, comprises the following ar-ticles, viz :

Our Stock, in part, comprises the following ar-ticles, viz : Knives, Scissors, Needles, Razors, Saws, Axes, Files, Locks, Hinges, Bolts, Sorews, Guns, Cur-tain Bands, Tea Trays, Fire Irons, Cat Pots, Ovens, Kettlea, Spades, Shovels, Scythes, Rakes, Forks, Chains, Nails, Iron, Steel, Tin, Wire, Cop-per, Zinc, Lead, Lead Pipe, Pumps, Hydraulo Rams, &c.; Stoves, Grates, Anvils, Vices, Bel-lows, Harness and Saddlery Mountings; Elliptic Springs and Axles, warranted; Patent Leather, Painted Cloth, Coach Lace, Lamps, Hubs, Bows, Hub-bands, Mallable Castings, and all Goods usually kept in Hardware Stores, which we offer wholesale and retail at our new Granie front Ware-houses, sign of the Gilt Plane, at the South-Ware-houses, sign of the Gill Plane, at the South-east corner of Bridge and High streets. Entrance, first door from the corner in either street. MUNCASTER & DODGE. Georgetown, D. C., March 5, 1847.

LAND FOR SALE.

I HAVE several fine TRACTS OF LAND in this county and in Berkeley, for sale at low prices and on most accommodating payments. H. ST. G. TUCKER.

Hazelfield, Jefferson county, Va., } Sept. 25, 1846-tf. [F. P. copy. }

Valuable Jefferson Land for Sale.

THE subscriber being desirous of removing to the South, offers for sale his

Valuable Landed Estate,

valuation Landed Estates, situated three miles North West of Charlestown, (the seat of Justice for Jefferson county, Va.,) within half a mile of the Winchester and Potomac Railroad, and the Smithfield and Harpers-Ferry Turnpike, and also within four Miles of Kerney's. Depot, on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad,

Containing 600 Acres. The Impromements consist of a commodious

BRICK. DWELLING HOUSE, buildings consist of a Smoke-house, Negro Houses, Stabling, &c. There is a great variety of

TIVER EDLOND growing and yielding upon the Estate

besides every variety of Ornamental Trees grow ing in the yard. The Dwelling commands a beautiful view of

the Blue Ridge and North Mountains, and is very healthy, but lew cases of sickness having ever oc-curred, arising from its local situation. The land is of the best limestone. From its location,-be-ing convenient to all the improvements, so that all the produce raised upon the farm con be easily

conveyed to market at little expense,-this estate is one of the most desirable in the county. This land can be divided into two farms, giving

both wood and water to each. The subscriber respectfully invites a call from those desirous of purchasing land, as he is pre-pared to accept a price that would make the purchase a valuable investment, even as a speculation, to any disposed to engage in such an enter-prise. To a gentleman of fortune, who desires a country residence, an opportunity is now offered

country resterice, an opportunity is not the rarely to be met with. WM. T. WASHINGTON. Near Charlestown, Jefferson Co., Va., December 18, 1846.

Saddle and Harness Manufactory.

THE undersigned, thankful for past favors, takes this method to inform his friends and the pub-lic generally, that he has made arrangements to be supplied with the best of Baltimore Leather, for the manufacture of all articles in his line. He will make to order and keep constantly on hand, Saddles of all kinds; Trunks large and small, of Saddles of all kinds; Trunks large and small, of the most approved patterns; Wagon and Carriage Collars; Coach and Buggy Harness, Brass, Silver and Japanned Mountings, Carpet Bags, Valices, Raw hide waggon whips, Riding Bridles; Bitts, from 12½ cents to \$3,00. Martingales, En-glish worsted Girths, &c.

AGENTS. ulenien have kindly c The following gentlemen have kindly conserved as Agents for our paper, and will forward money for a scriptions, &c., or receive any additional names to out that can be procured. The present is a favorable to for advancing our enterprise, and we hope those who feel an interest in its success, will give us their aid.

an interest in its success, will give us their aid. WM. J. STEFRENS, Harpors-Perry; Joun G. WILSON, do. SOLOMON STALEY, Shepherdatown; H. B. MirLER, Elk Branch; Joun Coox, Zion Chuch; WM. RONEMOUSOF JOHN HERS, Union School House; GEORGE E. MOORE, Old FURIACE; JOUN H. SMITH of J. R. REDMAN, Smithfield; EDWIN A. REILY, Summit Point; DOLPHIN DARW of S. HEFFLEBOWER, Kabletown; JACON BLER OF J. M. NICKLIN, Berryville; WH. TIMBERLARE, D. J.J. JANNEY, of J. O. Coyle, Brucetown, Frederick County; HENRYF, BAKER, Winchester; Col. WM. HARMISON, Bath, Morgan County; JOUN H. LINENS, Martinsburg; GEORGE W. BRADFFELD, Snickersville; J. P. MEGEATH, Philomont, Loudoun county; WM. A. STEFHENSON, Upperville, Fanquier county; SILAS MANMADUKE, Hillsboreugh, Loudoun county; GABRIEL JORDAN OF W. BARE, LURPY, Page County

AGENCY.

AGENCY. V. B. PALMER, whose offices are S. E. corner of Balti more and Calvert streets, BALTIMORE; N. W. corne Third and Chesnut streets, BALTIMORE; N. W. corne Buildings, NEW YORK, and No. 12 State Street, Bos ToN, is the agent in those cities for the "SFIRIT of JEFFERSON." He will receive and forward promptly Subscriptions Advertisements, &c., and is fully authorized to receive payment for the same. March, 1847. \$ MR. C. HERSTORS :--A daughter of mine was cured of a vary bad sore leg, by Shepherd's Pa-tent Specific Ointment. Judkins' Ointment, got-ten from a neighboring store was applied first, but afforded no relief ; the wound kept getting worse. I then sent to Mr. Miller's, Lovettsville, and ob-tained a pot of Shepherd's Patent Specific Oint-ment. This so clanged the appearance of the sore that it very quickly began its healing ope-ration; and from a dangerous and alarming sore; succeeded in making a perfect cure. Bo valu-able a medicine is worth the patronage of the public. Dr. Brenaugh of Lovettsville, advised the use of this Ointment. SAMUEL KALB.

SAPPINGTON'S THREE-STORY BRICK 選受習選匹。 WHITE PORTICO IN FRONT,

CHARLESTOWN, JEFFERSON COUNTY, VIRGINIA, October 24, 1845.

FURNITURE DEPOT At Harpers-Ferry.

THE undersigned has the pleasure to announce to the public that he has for sale, a large as-BALTIMORE, October 23, 1844. MR. C. HERSTONS: Last winter I received a small wound in one of my feet. I sent to a Druggist for a pot of Judkin's Oiniment, but un-fortunately the article obtained was spurious. In using it my foot kept getting worse, until I be-came incapable of attending to business—was confined to bed, and had to send for a Physician. Had I not got relief I might have been ruined.— Fortunately, however, a friend called to see me'. and brought with him a pot of Ointment which I find is prepared by you, now called Shepherd's Patent Specific Ointment. On applying the first plaster an alteration in a few hours took place— the wound coon became in a state of amendment, and it effected a perfect cure. From delicacy,

Such as Sofas, Bureaus, Tables, Chairs, Mattresses, Bedsteads, Looking Glasses, &c. all of which he will sell at very reduced prices. These articles are manufactured in Alexandria, of the best cles are manufactured in Alexandria, of the best materials, and in the best manner, with the aid of machinery, and under such favorable circumstan-ces as enables him to assure the public that they are better and handsomer, and will be sold cheap-er, than any made in this quarter of the country. Those who have been in the habit of supplying themealway from the Alexandria establishment. themselves from the Alexandria establishment are particularly invited to call and see the articles now offered.

Call and examine before you purchase else where

the wound soon became in a state of amendment, and it effected a perfect cure. From delicacy, I forbear to mention the name of the Druggist from whom I bought the spurious Ointment, but think the public ought to be made acquainted with the fact. The one I deem very valuable, the other ought to be discountenanced. E. C. THOMAS, Market street, west of Pine. UNDERTAKING, and Repairing of all kinds of Furniture, attended to promptiy. JOHN R. ZIMMERMAN. Harpers-Ferry, April 30, 1847-6m.

Latest News from Mexico!

SPRING FASHIONS. From William McJillon, Esq., BALTMORE, January 10, 1846. MR. C. HERSTONS: Although the reputation of Shepherd's Patent Specific Ointment has been so long sustained by the public, I feel it a duty to add again my approbation to its well earned merit —it sught not to be lost. A grand-daughter of mine was bitten by a spi-der or other insect, which caused much informers. KINNINGHAM respectfully congratu-J. lates his friends and the public generally, upon the recent glorious victories of the American Arms in Mexico, and at the same time assures them of the fact that he has received the SPRING FASHIONS with full explanations and directions and is prepared to cut and make up all kinds of garments in the most tasteful and fashionable style. tion and became a dangerous sore. Many salves were tried without relief. Finally, her mother applied to a physician, yet for three months it kept getting worse, until it extended from the knee to the ankle. At length I advised your Ointment

Thankful for past favors he earnestly solicits a continuance of his old customers, and hopes by his untiring endeavors to please, to add many new ones to his list. The public's humble servant,

J. H. KINNINGHAM. N. B. All kinds of country produce taken ayment for work at market prices. J. H. K. Charlestown, April 2, 1847-3m.



WM. ABELL tenders his thanks to the citie of rare articles to be found at Miller & Bro's. COLOGNES AND EXTRACTS.—French and German Colognes in handsome bottles; Gran was and German Colognes in handsome bottles; Gran was and German Colognes in handsome bottles; Gran was a cologn

BEWARE OF INPOSITION. MPOSITION having been practised upon the public by a spurious article bearing the mame of "Judkins Olatment," the proprietor, C. HERS-tors, recommends the following communication : Some years back, Nathan Shephard, informed the public in the newspapers, that he was the original discoverer of Judkin's Olatment, and had having in the first instance assigned as a reason for so doing, "that many persons would try to make it, and would not be able, and the Olatment be propagated in this adulterated state, in some the propagated in this adulterated state, in some difference reasonabling the genuine Olatment." As complaints have been made repeatedly of this being the case, to the subscriber, who is still le-gally concerned, it is due to the bedie. *C. HERSTONS.* Here follows a few out of many instances, dis-closing the fact: BEWARE OF IMPOSITION.

Here follows a few out of many instances, in closing the fact : BALTIMORE, January 10, 1846. MR. C. HERETORS : I have been using Shep-herd's P. S. Ointment in my practice for a num-ber of years, for sores of various descriptions and have no hesitation in appending my mame to its value. GIDEON B. SMITH, M. D.

SHORT HILL, Loudoun County, Va., March, 1847.

BALTIMORE, October 23, 1844.

A HOME THRUST .- The late Rev. Dr. . a certain town in Maine, an eccentric but honest minister, was once preaching on the practical virtues, and having a short time previously bought a load of wood from one of the officers of the church, and finding it fell short in measure, took church, and finding it fell short in measure, took this occasion to speak thus plainly on the subject : "Any man that will sell seven feet of wood for a Cord, is no Christian, whether he sits in the gallery, below, or in the deacon's seat."

Hocc's TALES .- A great deal of fun has been perpetrated on Hogg's Tales : the last we have seen is the following: "Are you fond of the Hogg's Tales," said a

mther verdant miss, to a shepherd. "Yes, I likes 'em roasted, wi'salt on 'em," wa

the response. "No-but I mean-have you read Hogg's

"Noa," said the pumpking, "our hogs are all white or black-I doant think there is a red one

one among 'em."

He who is puffed up with the first gale of pros-perity, will bend beneath the first blast of adversity.

O. K .- the girls have at last found out the true meaning of these mysterious capitals, which is-Only Kissing.

It is a conceded fact that editors are the pump handles of charity-always helping people to wa ter, but never thought to be thirsty themselves.

A lawyer wrote "rascal" in the hat of a brother lawyer, who, on discovering it, entered a complaint in open court against the trespasser, who he said, had not only taken his hat, but had written his own name in it.

The Picayune says that when a bar-room loafer is asked to drink by two "crowds" at the same time, he is decidedly "between two horns of a

"Jim/you've been drinking ?" "No I haven't; Ishave been looking at another man drinking-

"The last link is broken that bound me to thee," an the horse said when he kicked off the traces and ran away from the plough.

To work half your life in amassing a fortune, and then be obliged to spend the remainder of your days in watching that fortune, just for your victuals and clothes, may be called a hard case.

urgh Telegraph states that the Synod of the med Presbyterian Church, at its late sension a city, suspended one of its members from inistry for beesing his sister-in-law. THE COST OF A CLERGYMAN'S KISS .-

It can hardly be doubted that when this region vas covered by the ocean, the waters swarmed with microscopic animalculæ, whose skeletons, as the animals died, dropped to the bottom, and in the course of ages accumulated prodigiously. But when we recollect how astonishly fast they multiply, we need not suppose many centuries ne-cessary to produce even this extraordinary thickness.- Christian Watchman.

A SFIRITED IRISH LASS .- A whimsical incident happened on Tuesday, two weeks ago, on board one of the emigrant ships lying at the Custom-House Quay, Dublin. Among the passengers were a strapping country girl and her sweet-heart, who intended to be married the other side of the who intended to be married the other side of the Atlantic. The fair emigree had a little fortune of £200, which she had discreetly placed in the hands of the captain. She had hardly done so, when her intended asked her for some of it, and on her refusal, coolly bade her good morning, and disembarked. The deserted damsel rushed to the side of the vessel, but instead of throwing herself overboard, she addressed the drowd on the quay, telling her story, and finished by offering herself telling her story, and finished by offering herself, on honorable terms, to any young fellow who would take the place of her faithless swain. A There is one great distinction to be made be-tween generosity of manner and generosity of heart. A good man is sometimes disguised by a sertain coldness and formality of manners; while I libertine, whose life is spent in the gratification f self, imposes on the multitude, by the bravery in frankness of his air, for a most generousheart. Thus Core of the set terms, to any young fellow who handsome young mason, who happened to be among the standers by, immediately offered him-self, and was accepted on the spot. The captain very properly sent to make inquiries about him, and found thathe was, as he represented himself to be, a single man; and the parties to this extem-pore match sailed with that very tide for the shores of America.

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Perfumery-Comprising all the most popular Extracts, viz :-Laban's Extract Patcholy ; Do Double Extract Musk; Do Boquet de Carolemo; Boquet de Carolemo;

A Catalogue

Double Extract Meuchoir; Do do do Oirbena; do de Choulaud Flowers; Do Do do Otto Roses, &c., and a great Do

any others, too numerous to mention. Soaps .- Wright's superior Rose Cream, for shaving, Military, Jessamine, Savon, Old Wind-

sor, Palm, superior pressed Castile, and Rypopha-gon Soap, said to be superior to all others for sha-Miscellaneous .--- Orris and Teabury Tooth

Paste; Fancy Bohemian Toilet Bottles; Paste; Fancy Bonemian Toilet Bottles; Wright's Indellible Ink, without preparation; Spool Stands, superior Lip Salve; Perfumed Satchels, a great variety of perfumed Bags, handsome Fancy Boxes, &c. Purse and Bag Trimmings.—Full Steel Trim-mings for Bags; do do for Purses; Purse Twist, Steel Beads, Tassels, Clasps, &c.

Combs, Brushes, dc.—Palo Alto Twist Combs, new and fashionable Combs, Bufalo twist Combs, Horn Dressing do., Shell Side do., superior Ivory do., Double end and plain Tooth Brushes, Hair Brushes of all sizes, Flesh do., Hat do. The above is but a small number of the new and

elegant fancy articles to be found among our stock. Call and see for yourselves. May 28. MILLER_& BRO,

"Keep it before the People" THAT I have now on hand the very best as-sortment of Old Segars of all kinds and at

lower prices than they can be had in town, also Starr's celebrated Snuff, and Spanish Cuttings very cheap. THOS. RAWLINS. June 4, 1847.

Scythes. J UST opened a large assortment of genuine English and American Grass and Grain Scythes which I will sell at reduced prices. June 4, 1847. THOS. RAWLINS.

ON hand, a large assortment of Philadelphia finished Ladies Morocco and Kid Skins, Gentlemen's Boot Morocco and PhiladelphiaCalfekins, also Blue, Pink, Green and Scarlet, lineing skins, all very cheap for cash.

Hew's Linament for Rheumatism, A LL Rheumatic persons have very good rea-ticle that will set all rheumatic complaints at deticle that will set all rheumatic compaints as a fiance. We wonder that people will suffer a mo-ment with this distressing and excrutiating pain when they can find a certain cure in this preparawhen they can find a certain cure in this prepara-tion. The certificates that the proprietors have, would astonish the most incredulous. Patients, who have been laid up for years, and who never expected again to be about, in health or without crutches, have been almost miraculously raised from their bed of pain, and restored to their friends, sound in their limbs and entirely free from pain of any kind. This is no fiction, but fact, and thou-ands who have used it can tastify to its machine

"Pay me that six-and eight-pence you owe me, Mr. Mulrooney,' said a village attorney to his client. "For what?" show hat a street, New York, and by J. H. BEARD & Co., Charlestown, J. H. BEARD & Co., Charlestown, J. H. BEARD & Co., Charlestown,

he invites all in want of articles in his line, to call and see for themselves. Collars can be furnished to Sadlers or others at wholesale prices. IT Repairing done at short notices. JOHN BROOK. [Free Press Copy 3t. Jan. 29, 1847. SAMSON CARISS,

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Mahogany Frame and Toilet GLASSES, Por-traitand Picture Frames, Bracket Pier Tables, Window Cornices; Rods and Rings, on hand, or by him manufactured to order, and sold as low as the same can be obtained at any establishment either in this city or elsewhere. He would here invite his friends and the public generally, (before pur-chasing.) to give him a call. hasing,) to give him a call. Baltimore, Sept. 25, 1846-1y.*

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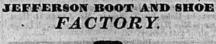
FOR THE CURE OF SICK HEADACHE. FOR THE CURE OF SICK HEADACHE. THIS distressing complaint may be cured by using one bottle of Sophn's Sick Headache Remedy, which has oured thousands of the worst cases. Persons after suffering weeks with this deathlike sickness, will buy a bottle of this remedy, and be cured, and then complain of their folly in not buying it before. People are expect-ed 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. Sold wholesale and retail by Comstock Co., 21 Cortland street, New York, and by J. H. BEARD & Co., Charlestown, A. M. CRIDLER, Harpers-Ferry.

A. M. CRIDLER, Harpers-Ferry. Jan. 17, 1846. 75 SACKS SALT, for sale by June 4. GIBSON & HARRIS.

his friends, customers and the public generally, his friends, customers and the public generally, that he has removed his stock of Furniture from Mr. John G. Wilson's to the lower room of the Stone Building, three doors west of A. Holland & Co.'s store, where he intends keeping on hand an assortment of all descriptions, made in the most workman-like manner, which he is deterpersons in want of Furniture, to call before purchasing elsewhere, as he flatters himself the style

and quality cannot fail to please. Any article sold by me, or my Agent, Mr. A. Holland, is warranted what it is represented to be when sold.

Harpers-Ferry, April 2, 1847-tf.





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Do do Slippers, Point Isabel, do Misses' Boots, Buckskin and walking Shoes, Slippers and ancle ties, great variety ; Children's Boots, Buckskin, Polka, Walking, ancle and strap Shoes of all colors and prices,

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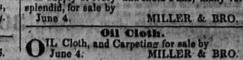
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