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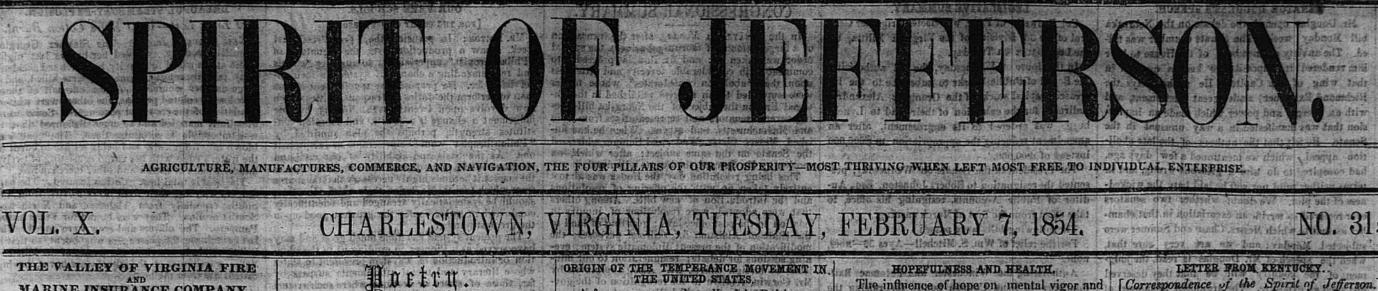
Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London Graduate from one of the most eminent Colleges of the United States, and the greater part of whose life has been spent in the Hospitals of London, Paris, Philadel-phia and elsewhere, has effected some of the most as-t mishing cures that were ever known. Many troubled with a maging in the cars and head when asleep, great nervousness, being alarmed at sudden sounds, and bashfulness, with frequent blushing, attended some-times with decangement of mind, were cured immedi-ately.

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ignorant pretenders, who, by the use of that deadly bison, mercury, ruin the constitution, and either send he unfortunate sufferer to an untimely grave, or makes the residue of his life miserable.

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## August 2, 1853-1y

Testimonials. **Testimonials.** WINCHESTER, MAY 27, 1853. We, the undersigned, being solicited to give our opinion as to the character and standing of the Insu-rance Company of the Valley of Virginia, have no hesitation in saying that we have the utmost confi-dence in the ability and integrity of the President and Directors of that Company. The fact that we have insured our own property in the Company, is perhaps the strongest evidence we can give as to out opinion of its merits. J. H. SHERRARD, Cash. Farmer's Bank of Va. Hon. J. M. MASON, U. S. Senator.

Hon. J. M. MASON, U. S. Senator. JACOB SENSENY, Esq., Merchant, Winchester. T. A. TIDBALL, Prest. of Bank of Valley of Va 1854. 1854.



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Wheeling. FROM BALTIMORE FOR WHEELING, CIN-CINNATI, LOUISVILLE, INDIANOPOLIS CLEVELAND, CHICAGO, TOLEDO, SAINT

CLEVELAND, CHICAGO, TOLEDO, SAINT LOUIS, &c. O'N and after MONDAY, January 23d, two daily TRAINS, (except on Sundays,) will be run be-tween Baltimore and Wheeling, Leave Baltimore for Frederick, Harpers-Ferry, Cumberland, and all Way Places, at8 A. M., arriving in Wheeling at 4.30 A. M. next day. EXPRESS TRAIN Ext Wheeling at 4.30 A. M. next day.

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TO MY HOME AND MY FRIENDS. [FOR THE SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON.] Farewell sweet home, my own dear friends farewel I bid you all a long heartfelt good-bye; To part from you, it makes my bosom swell, And bids the briny tear into mine eye. I soon must leave you all; to cast my lot, And seek my fortune, in a foreign land; To go 'mid those who know, or love me not, And take a stranger neighbor by the hand. It grieves me thus, from home and friends to part; But why should I against my fate complain? It will not ease the anguish of my heart, Nor rid my bosom of a single pain. I fain would stay, but duty hids me go,

And points the pathway that I soon must tread; Perhaps that path may lead to scenes of wo, Perclauce where fortune's sunny smiles are shed. But good or bad, whate'er my fate may be, When far away I oft shall cast a thought

Of fond remembrance, my sweet home, to thee; My home, with dearest recollections fraught. And you, companions of my early youth, Bound to my heart, by every tender tie

Of friendship, love, sincerity and truth; For you I'll heave full many a heartfelt sigh. Though far away from home, and friends most dear, Deep in my mem'ry they must ever dwell;

And oh, how oft, of them will love's sad tear Speak that which words or pen can never tell. Then when dear friends you meet in social glee, And when your hearts are tree, and light, and gay,

Then, then, oh then, will you not think of me, And pass a health for him that's far away? Yes, think of me, for oh 'twill give relief, And make me bear more patiently my lot, To know amid my absence and my grief,

That those I hold most dear forget me not. Once more dear friends, I bid you all farewell ; Soon, (ah yes, 'tis far too soon,) we sever; When we shall meet again, oh, who can tell! It may be years, it may, perchance, be-NEVER!

Never, the dreadful word! but oh, they say, Beyond those fleecy clouds, so airy light, There is a home, where one eternal day Of peace doth reign, without dark sorrow's night.

And tho' my friends, here in this cold rude world, The tenderest tics affection binds be riven, And fondest hearts from fondest hearts be hurled, We yet may "inect, to part no more," in heaven.

HOME AND FRIENDS.

THE UNITED STATES

A few years ago, there lived in Baltimore a himself for his weakness in going there, yet it dung to him like a curse; and every day he went there, and only came thence when he was no longer able to stand; and, late in the evening, or in the night, staggered home, of-ten falling on the steps, where he must have remained lying, and have perished of cold and wretchedness, had it not been for his daughter, little Hannah. She sat up till she heard him coming home, and then went out to meet him, and helped him up the steps; and when he fell down, and she was not able to raise him, she carried down pillows and a bed-cover and made him a bed where he lay, doing all in her power to make him comfortable, and then lay down beside him. The wife, who in her despair had grown weary of striving with him, endeavored, by her own labor, to maintain herself and the other younger children. Lit-tle Hannah, however, only ten years old, did not grow weary, but still watched over her father, and devoted to him her childish affection. When he, in the morning, awoke out of his drunkenness, he used immediately to send the little girl out to get him some brandy, and she did as she was bid, when her prayers could not prevail with him to abstain. She succeeded only in awakening in him a yet stronger sense of his misery, and the need there was for him to forget it. He cursed himself for being so unworthy a father to such a child, and he compelled the child to give him through the system. the drink which would drown his misery .-

And when he, by the means of the fresh, fiery liquor, was revived and invigorated so that he could stand and walk, he again went to the ale house. Such was his life for a long time-a lengthened chain of misery and self-accusation. interrupted merely by fresh debauch. The family had sunk into the depth of poverty, and each succeeding day only added to their distress.

One morning, when Hawkins, ill both in body and mind, after the carouse of the fore- people once, as there once were plesiosauri and

The influence of hope on mental vigor and physical health has never received sufficient family of the name of Hawkins. They had been in better circumstances, but were redu-eed through the drunkenness of the father.— There was a public house in one of the lanes whose effect is more favorable to longevity. in Baltimore, where, every day, five or six drunken companions used to assemble, to guz-zie, all day long. Hawkins was one of this set; and although he cursed it, and cursed is the following soundly phi-losophical remarks on the influence of hope on health, from which we may infer the im-portance of cultivating its organ in the brain: on health, from which we may infer the importance of cultivating its organ in the brain : Hope moderately indulged, communicates a mild but delightful sensation to the whole region of the heart, and elevates and strength ens both mind and body. What we call vital or nervous energy is by its influence, diffused equally, or nearly so, through every part of the system. The result is a state of things approximating more nearly to what is usually called perfect health, than anything known. It preserves the mind from violent emotions, agitations or depressions and enables us to exercise its noblest power with a tranquil vigor. It tends to keep the body in a regular and proper discharge of its varied functions, without the least sensation of difficulty or embarrassment. "In these circumstances, says Dr. Cogan, in his excellent "Treatise on Passions," respiration is free and easy, neither requiring conscious exertion, nor even a thought. The action of the heart and arteries, with the consequent circulation of the blood, is regular and placid, neither too rapid nor too indolent; neither labored or oppressed, Perspiration is neither deficient nor too excessive. Aliments are sought with a proper appetite, enjoyed with a high relish, and digested with ease and facility. Every secretion and excretion, is properly performed. The body is perfectly free from pain, dullness, oppression and every species of uneasiness, and a certain vivacity and vigor, not to be described, reign

#### A TOUCH AT THE TOUCHY.

I have heard a great deal in my time, through books and pulpit, of offensive people—that is, people who, being of a rude and malicious disposition, frequently give offence to their neigh-bors and friends. It strikes me that the remark thrown out upon such persons are in a great measure uncalled for and useless, for it so happens that I scarcely ever meet an offensive person. I believe there was a class of such

LETTER FROM KENTUCKY.

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PARIS, BOURBON Co., Kentucky, ) January 16, 1854. J FRIEND BELLER :- Agreeable to my promise I proceed to give you a synoptical view of some incidents that have happened in my travels. Nothing worthy of note occurred to mar the pleasure of my trip from Chatlestown to Boarbon County, Ky., the locality of my present sojourn, save the breaking of one of the piston rods of our engine, when within ten miles of Cumberland, the running of the engine in with a single piston, working one wheel, (rather a one sided affair;) and besides the grounding of the steamboat, on the Ohio, which occurred about midnight, and threw most of us ont of our births; 1 am now, safe and sound in the land of Daniel Boone, a land richer in truth than the fabled "Ormus of Ind," since its soil is inexhaustible. From Maysville to Paris you pass through a coun-try, resembling very much, by its rolling appearance, our own county. The topography of Bourbon county, however, is more level and presents in every field, the appearance of hav-ing been "swept" from the absence of all rub-bish that might mar the beauty of a level plain. The county generally is divided into large farms on which graze innumerable herds of cattle and droves of mules. There are no main roads except such as connect towns; all other ways are through pastures by means of numerous gateways that admit ingress and egress. This morinon mode of traveling is admissable here, but would not be so in our county. Here almost every field is set in grass. A man possessing a thousand acres will cultivate one hundred and fifty of corn.

(which is all cut and carried into shocks in the Fall, and hence interferes but at certain seasons with passages transitu.) and probably not ten acres of wheat, or merely enough for family consumption. The corn is fed out

of the shocks by being hauled and scattered over the grass fields where the herds graze. There are two sets of cattle sold from each farm every year: one in June fattened on grass, the other in January fed on corn and the second crop of grass, or that which grows after June and which is now in many places twelve inches long. The cattle imported by the society of this county excel any other | when their lamp was unfortunately broken

## OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, BOOKS, PAMPHLETS, COPD BLANKS, CHECKS, HANDEILLS, LABELS, & EXECUTED WITH NEATNESS AND DEMPATCH AT THE OFFICE OF SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON. ply of Magistrates', Sh supply of image of Bargain ANKS Devolution Bargain tempestous,) the principles of constitutional liberty, to gladden the hearts of his country-

liberty, to gladden the nears of his could p men. The other thought the personification of every lion-like quality domiciled at Ashland, in a country as level as the plain of the Dana-he. It is evident that circumstances more than choice shape the destiny of a man's locality. We left the hallowed grounds of Ashland to join in the festivities incident to a wedding evening. Here the belles of this beautiful country assembled in numbers, and after dancing until 3 o'clock, A. M., (not an un thing here.) we adjourned size die to Leng-ton, and on the following day repaired to our respective places of sojourn, as joyous a set as ever retired from the smiles of lovely woman. But I must conclude, with the promise, howev-er, of something else, should an incident occur capable of interesting you. Yours, with respect, JEFFERSON!

THE LOFTY AND THE LOWLY. The Washington Union indulges in the follow g sensible remarks:

"Who is he, no matter how exalted his po ition, who has no relatives in the humblest The writer has himself seen members of the immediate families of two Presidents of this Remediate families of two Presidents of this Re-public toiling for their support in the severest of employments; and it is probably that no man has occupied the White House who has not been aware that many of his kindred, unless relieved, by himself, were reckoned among the poor if not the honest of the land? The only brother of Clay was only a cabinet maker; Webster, the giant of statesmen and the ornament of his country, had a brother-in-law who never learned to read until after completing the period of three score and ten, and a majority of the first statesmen of the present time are energetic and ambitious sons of 'p but honest parents,' Everett (who will nev-er blush to hear it) was discovered in his vounger pursuit of knowledge under difficulties-the difficulties of poverty-though they presented to him but slight impediments on the road to renown."

PERILOUS ADVENTURE IN A CAVE. On Tuesday, 3d January, while the steamer Fling was aground near St. Genevieve, Caper Flag was aground near St. teneviere, cap-tain Grey, the pilot, accompanied by an Eng-lishman, undertook to explore a cave situated three miles above that place, taking with them a lamp, ladder, &c. They entered the cavo about eight o'clock, on Tuesday evening, and advanced in distance of hearly two miles st ck in the United States. Diamond, the and extinguished. After groping about for a th of time, they found an upwar

mean for either business or society. These are some of the sad and melancholy effects pro-duced by early labits of youth, viz: Weakness of the Back and limbs, Pains in the Head, Dinness of Sight, Loss of Muscular Power, Palpitation of the Heart, Dis-papsis, Nervous Irritability, Derangement of the Diges-tive Functions, General Debility, Symptoms of Con-sumption, &c. MENTALLY.—The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded; loss of memory, confusion of id-as, depression of spirits, evil forebodings, aversion to society, self distrust. Love of solitude, timidity, &c.

to society, self distrust, love of solitude, timidity, &c. are some of the evils produced. Dr. Johnston's luvigorating Remedy for

General Debility. By this great and important remedy, weakness of the organs are speedily cured, and full vigor restored. Thousands of the most nervous and debilitated, who had lost all hope, have been immediately relieved.— All impediments to Marriage, Physical or Mental Disqualification, Nervous Irritability, Trembling and Weakness, or Exhaustion of the most fearful kind,

Weakness, or Exhaustion of the most fearful kind, are speedily cured. Young Men Who have injured themselves by a Certain Practice, indulg d in when alone—a habit frequently learned from evilcompanions, or at school—the effects of which are nightly felt, even when asleep, and if not cured, renders marriage impossible, and destroys both mind and body, should apply immediately. What a pity that a young man, the hope of his country, and the darling of his parents, should be snatched from all prospects and enjoyments of life, by the consequences of deviating from the path of nature, and indulging in a certain secret habit.— Such persons before contemplating

Such persons before contemplating Marriage, should reflect that a s and mind and body are the most

necessary requisites to promote countiblat happiness, indeed, without this, the journey through life becomes a weary pil rimage: the prospect haurly darkens to the view; the mind b comes shadowed with despair, and filled with the melancholy reflection that the happiness of another becomes blighted with our own. Weakness of the Organs

Weakness of the Organs immediately cured, and full view restored. To Strangers. The many thousands of the most desperate and hopeless cases cured at this institution within the last twelve years, and the numerous important Surgi-cal Operations performed by Dr. Johnston, witnessed by the reporters of the papers and many other persons notices of which have appeared again and again before the public, is a sufficient guarantee to the afflicted. He who places timself under the care of Dr. Johnston may religiously confide in his honor as a Gentleman, and confidently rely upon his skill as a Physician. There are so many ignorant and worthless Quacks copying Dr. Johnston's advertisement, and advertising themselves as physicians, trifling with ond running the health of the already Afflicted, that Dr. Johnston decms it necessary to say especially to

Dr. Johnston decins it necessary to say especially to those unacquisited with his reputation that his cre-dentials or diplemas always hang in his Cffice. ALL LETTERS MUST BE POST-PAID-REME

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THE BRITISH QUARTERLIES,

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great political events of the time shall have passed away. It is to thes: Periodicals that readers must look for the only really intelligible and reliable his-tory of current events, and as such, in addition to their well-established literary, scientific, and theolo-gical character, we urge them upon the consideration of the reading public. Arrangements are in progress for the receipt of early sheets from the British Publishers, by which we shall be able to place all our Reprints in the hands of subscribers, about as soon as they can be furnished with the foreign copies. Although this will involve a very large of the same low rates as here-tofore, viz: Per annum.

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FBOM and after this date the Passenger Train will leave the Ticket Office of the Company at 92 o'clock, A. M., instead of 9 o'clock, as heretofore. J. GEO. HEIST, Agent. January 24.

TO WHEAT SELLERS. THE undersigned are prepared to buy any quanti ty of WHEAT for the Baltimore market. Far

ners will find it to their interest to give them a call R. S. BLACKBURN & CO. January 10, 1854-tf [F. P.]

THE LOUDOUN COUNTY AGRICULTURAL INSTITUTE & CHEMICAL ACADEMY.

THE above Establishment will be opened for the re-ception of Students on the 1st day of March, 1854. It is not to be a Mahual Labor School. But a course of practical instruction will be given in Mathematics, Chemistry and other sciences useful to the man of bu-ing the sciences useful to the man of business. The Students will not only be instructed in the Theory, but they will be taught the use and appli-cation of the sciences to the every day purposes of life. The principles of science will be illustrated by a great number of interesting experiments in the Lecture-room, in the Laboratory, and on the farm. The advanced students will be instructed in the anal ysis of soils, minerals, maris, &c. The apparatus will be the best in the United States; and the Laboratory will be furnished with every convenience for complete and elegant manipulations. For terms, and other particulars, see a circular which may be had by addressing a letter to BENJ. HYDE BENTON,

Principal, Aldie P. O., Loudoun county, Va.

January 10, 1854-4t

BERRYVILLE HOTEL. THE subscriber having leased the above well known Hotel, in Berryville, Clarke county, begs leave to inform the travelling public that he is now ready to receive guests. He is also prepared to accommo-date Boarders, either by the day, week, monthor year. HIS TABLE will always be furnished with all the printing which the same need unabled with all the

HIS TABLE will always be furnished with all the varieties which the season and market will alford; his Bar with the choicest liquors, and his Stable with the best buy, grain, and ostler. As he intends to make this his permanent residence, he will spare no pains in endeavoring to render those who give him their custom, both comfortable and hap-py. He flatters himself, from his long acquaintance with business, and the manners of the world, that he can please the most flatidious. His charges will be as moderate, as the expenses of any good public house in this section of country will justify. He, therefore, in-vites all to extend to him a share of their custom. Berryville, April 5, 1853. WM. N. THOMPSON.

HARDWARE. THE subscriber has now opened the largest stock of Hardware that was ever offered in Charlestown, selected by hinself in Baltimore, consisting in part of Locks of every description. Hinges of all sizes and pat-Locks of every description, Hinges of all sizes and pat-terns, Screws of all sizes, Saws, Hatchets, Axes, Plas-tering and Brickhayer's. Trowels, Table-knives with and without Forks, silver-plated Forks, plated Table and Tea-spoons, Brass Head and Polished Steel Shov-els and Tongs, Brass top Andirons, a few Eight Day Clocks, metal cases laid in with Pearl, a handsome ar-ticle; White Ivory handle Table-knives with and with-out Forks; a first rate lat of Double Barret English Twist Gums a first rate but of Double Barret English inn. To seek for, or hunt after fame, is a vain enout Forks; a first rate lot of Double Barrel English Twist Guns, a first rate article, warranted; Powder-fiasks and Horns, Dupont's Powder, Gun-wads; Pen and Pocket-knives; Plated Coffin handlesand Screws; a large lot of Bench-planes, cheap; fifth Log, Breast Stretcher Trace and Halter Chains; Hand and Sledge Hammers; Stocks and Dies; Plated and common Bri-dle-bits and Stirrups; Plated and Steel Spars; a fine lot of Plough, Bar, and Horse-shoe Iron, together with a general assortment of Groceries, Queensware, Sc-gars and Tobacco, all of which I will sell cheap for cash, or on short credit.

As sweet as Heaven designed it; Nor need we roam, to bring it home. Though few there be that find it; We seek too high, for things close by And lose what Nature found us; For Life hath here, no charms so dear, As home and friends around us.

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We oft destroy, the present joy. For future hopes—and praise them, Whilst flowers as sweet, bloom at our feet, While howers as sweet, bloom at our leet, If we'd but stoop to raise them! For things afar, still sweeter are, When youth's bright spell hath bound us; But soon we're taught, that earth hath nought Like home and friends around us! The friends that speed, in time of need, When Hope's last reed is shaken,

To show you still, that come what will, We are not quite forsaken; Though all were night, if but the light, From Friendslip's altar crowned us, 'Twould prove thebliss, of carth was this-Our home and friends around us!

# Miscellancous.

THE LOWER CLASSES. Who are they? The toiling millions, the laboring in and women, the farmer, the mechanic, artisan the ventor the producer? far from it. These are nature's nobility, God's favorites, the salt of the earth. No matter whether they are high or low in station, rich matter whether they are high or low in station, rich or poor in pelf, conspicnous or humble in position, they are surely the "uper circles, in the order of nature, whatever the factitions distinctions of society, fushion-able or unfushionable, may decree. It is not low, it is the highest dufy, privilege and pleasure, for the great man, and the whole-souled woman to earn what they possess to work their own way through life, to be the scaling of the source of t

be the architects of their own fortunes. Some may rank the classes we have alluded to, as only relatively low; and in fact the middling classes. We insist they are absolutely the very highest. If there is a class of human beings on earth, who may be properly lenominated low, it is composed of those who spend without carning, who consume without producing, who dissipate on the earnings of their fathers or relatives without being or doing any thing in and of

hemselves. We are all mariners on this sea of life: And they who climb above us up the shrouds, Have only, in their overtopping place, Gained a more dangerous station, and foothold More insecure.

THE ONLY CHILD. From the bottom of our heart do we pity The only child. We care not how large the fortune that awaits

that only son or daughter, we do not envy their posi-tion. When we behold one, who will soon be the sole heir to all a parent's wealth we do not have my envious feelings arise within our bosom towards that favored one; but we pity, that they have no kind mother or sister, to share alike their wealth and affections. They may be idol of idolising parents but they know not the value of a brother's love, or the priceless wealth of a fond sister's affection. We would not exchange a sister's love for all the untold wealth of Golcouda's mines. Oft do we take a restropective glance down the dim and shadow valley of the past and mingle in happy scenes again, with the loved

ones at home. There was no envy there in our happy home circle. Oft as we have gathered around the festal board have we thanked God that there were others near and dear to us, to share that mother's love, and the father's guardian care.

THE BIGOT. The darkest of all scorners is the bigot; for, with

a presumption in the measure of his contempt, he calls men common or nuclean, when they believe; otherwise than he believes; and while he takes to himself the seal of salvation, marks them with the braud of perdition. I do not call a man a bigot, who merely supposes another lost in error for this may be a conviction which he cannot resist. He may be a man, I admit, of tenderness and mercy; he may hold his opinion with fear and trembling, and look upon his brother whom he regards in the path of ruin, with exceeding sorrow and compassion. But the bigot is not thus. Proud in his assumed humilityclated in his vociferated depreciation-secure in his fancied election-confident as the favorite of grace. his faith becomes actual in a spiritual intolerance. and a practical exclusivenses. He is the one who says most emphatically to his brother, "Thou fool: Thou impious : Thou wretch."

.... A piece of wood burns, because it has the mat-

ter for burning within it. A man comes to be famous, because he has the matter for fame within hand, managing the reins with their mouths

going day, awoke, in his bed, he desired Hannah, as usual, to go out and get him some brandy. But the girl would not go., She besought him earnestly:

"Dear father," she said, "not to-day-not to day, dear father !" and she wept bitterly. The father, in extreme anger, bade her leave the room. He got up, and with staggering steps crawled down to the usual place. Here, in the meantime, an extraordinary scene had occurred-one which is difficult to explain, except by a mysterious and higher intervention. The drunken companions were already there, with their glasses in their hands, when one of them said-"It is very foolish of us, though, to sit here

and ruin ourselves merely for the good of ----!" meaning the master of the public house. The others agreed. Some of them said-"Suppose that from this day forth we were not to drink another drop !"

One word led to another. The men hastily made an agreement, and drew up a paper, in which they bound themselves, by oath, to a total abstinence from all intoxicating liquors. When Hawkins, therefore, entered the public-house, he was met by his companions, with the temperance-pledge in their hands, and by the cry from all-"Sign it! sign it!"

Astonished, overpowered, almost beside himself, he added his name to that of the others. Without having asked for a drop of brandy, he now hastened home, as if from a new sort of carouse. He found his wife and his daughter together. He threw himself upon a chair. and could only cjaculate-

"It is done !" His paleness and his bewildered aspect terrified them. They asked him what he had dune.

"I have signed the pledge !" exclaimed he at length. . Hannah and his wife threw themselves upon his neck. They all wept tears of a new delight .- Frederika Bremer's Homes of the

New World. THE CIRCASSIAN CAVALRY.

"The Circassian cavalry wear a pointed steel helmet with a long horsetail pendant from it. A net of steel work hangs down from the lower part of the helmet, protects the front of the neck, and is looped together under the chin, underneath a short, red vest, cut in the Polish fashion. He is clad in a species of coat of mail, consisting of small bright rings of steel intervened. His arms, from the wrist to the elbow, and his legs, from the foot of the shin-bone to the knee, are guarded by thin plates of steel. He also wears close pantaloons and laced boots: Two long Turkish pistols, as well as a poignard, are stuck into his girdle. He has a leather strap with a noose,

like a Mexican lasso, haging at his side, which he throws with great dexterity over the head of his enemy. A Turkish sabre and a long Turkish musket are slung behind his back, and two cartridge-holders across his breast, " The skill with which the Circassians use their weapons is really beyond belief. I have seen them repeatedly fire at a piece of card lying on the ground, at full speed without ever missing. They pick up a piece of money from the ground while executing a charge, by bending themselves round below the horse's belly. and after seizing the piece suddenly throw them, selves back into the saddle. They form the choicest body in the cavalry in the Turkish service, and I have watched them when charging,

attack their opponents with a sabre in each

anoplotheria; but if such a class are to be found in the present world at all, it must be in the grades of society I am little acquainted with. In my social sphere the opposite error of an excessive compliance is considerably more conspicuous.

If writers and preachers, however, were to irect a little of their thunder against officetaking people, they would, I apprehend, be doing useful service. This is a class which has, I suspect been increasing in number and sensativeness, precisely as the offence-giving class has been diminished—a discord with its co-relatives which is only apparent, seeing that the peculiar property of this portion of the human race is always to be the most affected by the least cogent causes. In the days when there was a general roughness and want of mutual respect, there was as I suppose hardly such a thing as taking offence at all. If there was a rudeness on the one side, there

was good humor or thick kindness on the other; and so skulking and firing-up were both hardly known. It was only when we all became such very nice ladies and gentlemen as scarcely ever utter a word out of joint, or fail in one of the formalities of society, that we began to be so much pestered with intimations that great offence had been taken at us for something which we had said or done, or something which we had failed to say or do.

[Chambers' Journal.

BABY EXHIBITION .- The Committee of the Southern Central Agricultural Association, have been authorized to offer the following premiums to be awarded at the next Fair in Augusta: 1st premium, silver pitcher, \$50, for the handsomest and finest baby, two years old. 2d premium, silver pitrher, \$25, for the handsomest and finest baby one year old. 3d premium, silver goblet, \$10, for the handomest baby, six months old. The children to be clothed in domestic fabrics, the premiums awarded under the direction of the Executive Committee.

FRAILTIES .- If we look for perfection in human nature we shall be disappointed. Where liveth the man who sinneth not? He who denounces another because he has deviated from the path of strict rectitude, has yet to learn the first principles of religion. We always suspect that man who is loud in his denunciations of those who have been guilty of comparatively trival offences. In time of sharp temptation, he might be the first to fall. For certainly, if he had the spirit of true Christianity in his heart, he would be careful how he spoke of those who deviated from the path of moral rectitude.

MARRIAGES .-- Marriages of men of genius, s one of the strangest themes in the portfolio of literature. The reasons for such marriages are infinitely and fantastically various. Goeth married to become respectable; Niebuhr to please a mistress; Churchill, because he was miserable; Napoleon, to get a command; Wilkes, to oblige his friends; Wycherly, to spite his relations. We have heard of a lady so inconsolable for the loss of her husband that she married again to prevent a broken heart !

DIVORCE AND ITS ABUSES .- A correspondent writes us from a village in Indiana, that in said village lives a mother who had a husband whose name she does not bear, who hastwo daughters, each of them divorced wives, one of whom obtained her bill while her husband lay on his death-bed; while in the same. sides a man who has two wive

animal that brought six thousand dollars, is or chimney, so nearly perpendicular, that Gra now on the farm of B. J. Clay, about three found it impossible to ascend it. The English miles from Paris: for symmetry of form and man, however, clung to it as his last hope of deliverance, promising his companion, if he reached the top in safety, to mark the spot by tying his handkerchief to a tree, and then go beauty of proportion, his equal is not to be found in our country, indeed the entire purchase is superior to any I have ever seen, and would advise Virginia stock growers to see for assistance. Fortunately he made his egr them before purchasing. The average crop of corn here is from twelve to fifteen barrels in safety. It was not yet day, so he was unaper acre, and some raise as high as twenty barrels. This is almost incredible to the mind of a Jeffersonian; but if we can credit men otherwise noted for veracity it is yet a fact. I like the mode of farming here, it is more simple and easier than ours; corn being the only grain raised, which you know we regard as a lighter orop than wheat; the rest of their time is spent in feeding cattle, and improving their lands and inclosing them with ample stone fences, which being all of sedimentary deposit are easily quarried.

limensions in the United States. What think er stock an equal proportion. Men resort here are regarded as a kind of Jubilee in Par's, which for its fetes and balls resemble very much "la belle Paris" on a miniature scale. The ball of 30th December presented to a Virginian quite an imposing sight, when the habitual quietude of his native town secured to his mind. The tall, commanding and graceful figures of the ladies presented a sight worthy the remembrance of any gallant for forms so fair," are rarely viewed by mortal

eves: Basking in the sunshine of Kentucky hos-

pitality, which is equal, if not superior to Vir-ginia, I attended a wedding at the splendid residence of Dr. W——'s of Fayette county on the evening of the 10th of January. Getting aboard the cars at Paris we passed over the new railroad 18 miles to Lexington, and arrived about 12 o'clock, A. M. In the evening a party of some ten of us, visited Ashland. We were unhered into the house by Mr. Clay's old servant Abraham, whom he liberated at his death, but he refused his freedom, and has since remained voluntarily in the servitude of his son (J. Clay.) He is quite as distingue in appearance as was Judge Mar shall's servant. His very manners indicated that his old master had dropped the mantle of gentility over him, and though by his deference he plainly showed his former contact with a superior mind, his high toned language in-dicated his feeling of superiority over the rest of his race. He remarked to me that his " master lad business speaking," alluding no doubt to his contempt for others of the same

profession. He accompanied his master, (James Clay,) when he represented our country, at the court of Lisbon as Charge ; and in the parlor pointed out many curiosities which he had brought from that far off land. The Florida reception room is much in accordance with

Mr. Clay's own suggestive arrangement .---

There hangs on the walls, portraits of Clay, his COLUMBUS AND LUTHER .- Twenty ve son Henry C., Mrs. Clay, J. Q. Adams, taken only intervened between the discovery when Mr. Clay was his secretary of State, and America and the first preaching of Luth many others, all arranged by the magic hand The christian scholar may be pardoned, if he lingers for a moment upon the analogy which of the great orator. There rests upon the table a silver vase of great value presented to him . subsists between these remarkable Columbus pursuing his perilous course act by the Mechanics of New York; also a goblet used by Washington during the winter he lay enthe Atlantic, and led forward by the si star of lofty and inspiring hope, may be regarded as no mapt emblem of that adventur-ous reformer, who embarked on a stormier sea, than ever rocked the intrepid sailor. How mighty the enterprise of both ! How magnif-icent the result! A land of beauty opened its flowery valleys to the navigator ; but a sicker land of promise blossomed before the eyes of the reformer. In Briants and and atabihar Q a aten ....The celebrated Andrew Marvell, in his ironi cal libel upon the press, said, "lead when moulder into builtets is not hall so mortal as when found into types." .....The man who made a shoe for the foot of

ble to take observations, but marking the place, as agreed, he proceeded to the village for assistance, and returned early on Wednesday morning, with two or three others, He vainly attempted to find the place of his egress. They then proceeded to the month, and un-der the guidance of the Englishman, found the place where he left his friend, but he was not to be found. The captain, in his uncertainty of the escape of his companion, felt impelled to renew his efforts to extricate himself. and groped on till exhausted nature compell Paris, about the size of Charlestown, is probably the greatest stock market town of its search returned for further assistance, and were eagerly joined by the officers and crews you of three thousand mules, and a like number of four steamers. At two o'clock on Wednesof cattle being sold in the streets of such a day, they entered and proceeded to the place place in one day. This I am assured was where Captain Gray was last seen, they divi done at the November term of Court, and at ded, and proceeded in different directions, conthe January Court, though a bad day, I saw tinued the search till three o'clock on Thurs upwards of a thousand mules sold, and of oth-er stock an equal proportion. Men resort here he was found. He had sat himself down to from all parts of the South and West, until it die. He had not only worn his gloves comresembles in appearance the ancient markets | pletely out, but his fingers were torn to the nak of Mecca. Christmas and week succeeding | ed bone, in his vain efforts to extricate himself The flesh was worn from his knees, and his boot-toes and pant-legs were also demolishe He was found a distance of three and a half miles from the mouth of the cave, greatly ex-

hausted. He is now on board in his boat, and doing well. He was forty-three hours in the cave. This great cave has many outlet or chimneys, as they are called, one of which is said to be five miles from the mouth, wet

with balances and on 1 [St. Louis Democration

RAILWAYS IN THE UNITED STATES. The following table will show the extent of rail ways n the United States, The State of Ohio stands preeminient in the number of miles in operation, and the State of Indiana in those under the process of construction. The whole number of miles, when court pleted, will be over 30,000; and the cost exceeding five hundred millions of dollars:

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FRUIT TREES. HAVE on hand, at my nursery, on the farm of Win. Lucas, near Hall Town, a large number of pple, Pear, Peach, Appricot, Plum, and Almoni-ress, of the vary finest variety. As the public are ware, Mr. Lucas has been at great pains to procurs he very choicest kinds from the best nurseries in the inited States, and I have been allowed the privileg a bud and propagate from his trees, which, added to my own selections, gives me all the best varieties,-ty Peach Trees, especially, are very fine. My terms the accommodating. JAMES STRONICK. ber 25, 1353.

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WASHINGTON CITY, D. C. THE undersigned having recently purchased the lease of the above named Hotel, is prepared to ac-commodate permanent or transient Boarders. It is centrally situated, being between 3d and 42 streets, five minutes walk from the Capitol.

C-TRANSIEST BOARDERS \$1 50 per day. S. HEFLEBOWER, Proprietor. December 6, 1553-1m

DISSOLUTION. THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned expired on the 1st of January, 1354. JERE. HARRIS, Jan. 17, 1854. SAML. RIDENOUR.

OLD ACCOUNTS are ready for settlement and day as possible. Either of us will attend to their set-dement. We would like those interested to give this their attention. JERE. HARRIS. Jan. 17, 1854. SAML. RIDENOUR.

SECOND NOTICE. A Li-persons knowing themselves indebied to me A arc requested to call on or before the 1st day of February pexi and pay or make such arrangements as will be satisfactory, or their claims will be disposed of in such a manner as will be best calculated to suit PEULP CORNS

PHILIP CO Harpers-Ferry, Jan. 10, 1854-if [F. P.] deavor. By clever management, and various artifi-cial means, a man may indeed succeed in creating for himself a sort of a name. But if he lacks real in ward value all his management comes to naught, and will scarcely outlive the day. .....Man is like a snow-ball. Leave him in idle-

ness against the sunny fence of prosperity, and all the good that's in him melts like fresh butter in hot days; but kick him around, and he gathers his strength every revolution until he grows to an avalanche.-

To make a figure in the world, you must keep mov-... A lady who was visiting one of the courches in New York, commenced singing the hymn which was given out, when the sexton crept softly to her and told her that in that church the choir done all the

singing. The lady afterwards remarked to a friend that the church had better strike from her liturgy, "Let the people praise Thee, oh Lord, let all the people praise Thee !"

An Irishman who was busily engaged in sweeping the floor of a grocery store up town, a few days ago was interrogated as follows :---"I say, Pat, what are you doing there? sweeping out that room?" "No, exclaimed Pat, "I'm sweeping out the dirt and leaving the room."

The hotels of California are rather primitive. .... The hotels of California are rather primitive. A friend of ours put up at one near the mines. That our readers may have some idea of his bed room furniture, we would state that he washes in half a pumkin, and dresses his hair with a curry comb.

ter me that the had had six heads in his hat ? ..., Mistress Partington, in a characteristic para-graph about Fern Leaves, eays: "I know the Fern family from their very roots. They prostly live in the woods; they are a sweet good race, but carry their heads pretty high; and Fanny is no disception to the general role."

right motives,

they will spring out of their saddles, take aim and fire from behind their horses, then jump into their saddles again, wheel round and reload their gun as they retreat in full career.-They are perfect madmen in the attack, and few troops could withstand the utter reckless-

ness of danger they evince. A BEAUTIFUL EXTRACT .- There is no one

thing more lovely in this life, more full of the divinest courage, than when a young maiden from her past life, from her happy childhood, when she rambled over ever field and moor around her home; when a mother anticipated her wants and soothed her little cares ; when brothers and sisters grew from merry playmates to loving, trustful friends; from Christmas gath- rests. erings and romps; from summer festivals in bower garden; from the rooms sanctified by the death of a relatives; from the secure back grounds of her childhood, and girlhood and maidenhood; looks out into the dark and unilluminated future, away from all that; and

unilluminated future, away from all that; and yet, unterrified, undaunted, leans her fair neck and if you wish to enjoy the purest pleasures, yet, unterrified, undaunted, leans her fair need upon her lover's breast, and whispers; "Dear heart! I cannot see, but I believe. The past was beautiful, but the future I can trust—with THEE." AN EXTREME TEST.—If you wish to ascer-tain the temper of a young lady, look at her

AN EXTREME TEST.—If you wish to ascer-tain the temper of a young lady, look at her nails and the tips of her gloves. If they are jagged and much bitten, you may be sure she is previse, irritable, quarrelsonie and too ready to show her teeth at the smallest provocation. This is an infallible test that every ill-temper-

d young lady carries at her fugers' end. Do.

ing, (one of them divorced.) and that these wives are mother and daughter !

camped with his standing army atValley Forge; and many others which I do not recollect.---VERY SINGULAR .- A young man out in Illinois, the other day, proposed mairiage to But of all his presents none seemed to me so his deleutable dear, when he received the folappropriate as a cane of Live Oak cut from the tomb of Cicero and capped by a stone taken from the house in which Columbus was born; lowing strange answer : "Get out you skunk, do you think I'd sleep with a man!" NOCTURNAL TALK .- Wife, (complainingly.)

the two bound together by massive gold on which is inscribed its history. It was present-ed by a European Nobleman and might be re-I havn't more than the third of the bed Husband, (triumphantly,) Well that's all garded as the connecting link between the anthe law allows you, storas may ... cient and modern orators, each the pride of his .... Nothing-a new definition-that porcountry.

The house at Ashland is still tenanted by his widow (to whom we forwarded our eards but were denied the pleasure of seeing her.) but the property belongs to James Clay one of his sous. The House is very much dilapidated, from the fact that most of Mr. Clay's

life was spent from home and in public service. In the grounds adjacent, two long rows of ce-dar, strike off from each other at right angles,

dar, strike off from each other at right angles, and cast about them by their shade a peren-nial gloom. 'Neath this shade 'tis said Clay often strolled when any great question agitat-is now led by ed the public mind, and there some of the sub-limest thoughts that ever entered the human mind were conceived, ultimately to go forth as the fiat of a nation. The country around Ash-land is as level as if the God of nature had propriety in a Daring the rev-to no fue dress the fiat of a nation. The country around Ash-land is as level as if the God of nature had propriety is to

smoothed it with a placid hand. The contrast between the sites selected as.

by Jefferson and Clay is remarkable, generally regarded as mild and del pitched upon the top of Montecelle amid the howling of winter them eminated from his mind (seemingly with every thing

mountain, is now engaged on a hat for the bea a discourse, after which he will manufacture a p for General Intelligence,

"", The man who beats the dram to the "man of time" is now learning to play "the horn pleaty." The poor fellow recently lost his signt, an is now led by a dog whose "bark is on the C."

Is now led by a dog whose same wer make at an im-propriety in a lady's dress, was made by Talleyrand. During the revolution, when asked by a lady his up in ion of her dress, he replied, "it began too late and end

plathe surest way to prevail onla erward their baby will pass you twice a day willow wagon.

(1) Soft Autopitaph on a gravestope in on the English burial grounds, ran thus 2 to "Sacret to the memory of Mrs Betsy Rhitt" Who was a whole team, and a horse to let.

to be attained without it. ....Never kiss girls who are fond of rouge or onions. No romance about if. .... The criterian of true beauty is, that it increases on examination; if lake, it lessens. There is something, therefore, in true

not attempt to kiss such a young lady under beauty that corresponds with right reason, the mistletoe. and is not merely the creation of fancy.

tion of a lady's head on which her bounet .... Individual greatness (the foundation of national greatness) is the result of fiery trial, continual struggle, unceasing self-sacrifice,

unremiting discipline. I man at the los ..... Would you be exempt from uneasiness!



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CHARLESTOWN: TUESDAY MORNING, FEBY 7, 1854

#### THE FLOUR MARKET.

We quite agree with the Baltimore Times, that the extreme point wheat and flour had reached, previous to the advices by the steamer Asia, was not justified by the then existing advices from England-the rates quoted per the Atlantic being 40s. At this price, and the present high freights, 4s 9d to 5s, flour would not pay to ship to England, and the shippers leaving the market, speculators could not sustain that price.

The present depression shows now a tendency to the other extreme. A decline in England of 6d per bbl. ought not to lead to one here of 75c. and would not do so, aside from speculative operations.

The present high rates in England are owing to the combined operations of scarcity in Eugland and France, and fears of a general European war-and the private advices per Asia attributes the late slight decline to the arrival of the large shipments made from this country in November and December, and to the difficulties of delivery from shipboard and transport into the interior, occasioned by the heavy mow storm.

The "Times" contains wholesome and salutary adrice under the circumstances. It says :

Under all these circumstances, there is reason to anticipate a continuance of good prices here for the article, and we recommend to all concerned neither to be too much depressed or elated by the fluctuations which invariably attend a high, and therefore sensitive market.

Firmness, moderation and avoidance of speculation, each one going on regular with his legitimate business, will ensure to the country all the advantages of the usual demand for our breadstuffs abroad. without those calemitous results to individuals. which almost always attend the reaction, sure to follow sooner or later, such active rates as now pre-

By reference to the Baltimore commercial report it will be seen that flour has declined in that market, from \$9.25, the highest point it had reached, to \$8.50, closing at the Corn Exchange with sellers at the latter rates, lut no buvers.

P. S. Since the above was in type, the news by the steamer of Saturday has been received, the complexion of which will be seen in another column.

NOT DEAD YET.

We know not how we shall ever be able to make the amende honorable, for having killed and buried our old and respected friend, Capt. ROBERT BURCHELL, of Clarke county, in our

ENATOR DOUGLAS'S SPEECH. Mr. Douglas opened the debate on the Nebraska bill Monday week. The Senate chamber was filled. The anxiety of members of the House to hear him rendered it impossible to keep a quorum in ! that wing of the Capitol. He spoke (says the Richmond Examiner) under great excitement, and with an energy and power which made an impres-

Senate. He felt that the authors of the late abolition appeal, which we mentioned a few days ago, had conspired to do him a grievous wrong, and in terms neither mild nor soft he laid bare the wickedness of the plot. We doubt whether two senators ever received so terrific an excoriation in that chamber as that to which Messrs. Chase and Sumner were subjected Monday; and we are very sure that, when the speech of Mr. Douglas is read, the judgment of the country will be that they deserved just such an exposure. The argument in support of

the principles of the bill was overwhelming. Mr. Douglas met the question fearlessly and promptly. His speech will make a profound impression on the public mind, and will contribute largely to the establishment of the great principle of congressional non-intervention in the slavery question. -It is said that a member of the House of Repre

sentatives from the State of New York, intends to introduce a bill in the House to repeal the fugitive slave law, and all other compromise laws, that are epealable. This bill he will call up immediately after the passage in the Senate of Douglas's bill repealing the Missouri compromise. He will also give notice of his intention to press the matter upon the attention of Congress as long as he shall be a member, or until his object is effected, provided the Missouri compromise shall be abrogated.

#### OUR MARKETS.

A friend in Loudoun, says there. "are complaints as to our markets." What that complaint is we know not, unless onr figures may sometimes vary a little from the "Sun" paper of that city. Our report, we expect, is more full than that of any other country paper of the State, is made up from the Baltimore American of Saturday, (the best Commercial newspaper of the country,) besides the letters of our own Baltimore correspondents. We have been thus particular, because we must insist that unless as to typographical errors as to figures (which will sometimes occur,) our reports are full and correct, and should recommend our journal to many of the millers and farmers who do not now

#### IMPORTANT IF TRUE.

receive it.

The New York Staats Zeitung publishes a letter from Paris, dated Jan. 12, stating that a rumor existed that the French Government had just received intelligence of a collision between the Russian and allied fleets in the Black Sea. It was also reported that desnatches had been received from St. Petersburg which amount to nothing less than a declaration of war against France if the combined fleets should enter the Black Sea, which had already taken place. It is also asserted that Austria and Prussia will solemnly protest against the entrance of the allied fleet, and will place an army of observation along their frontier, and that France is preparing for active operations in support of Turkey

LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY. Col. Buswell, of Page, was elected Brigadier General of the 3d Division of the Virginia Militia, b the Legislature on Tuesday. In the House on Wednesday, the bill auth the Board of Public Works to subscribe to the in creased capital stock of the Orange & Alexandria Railroad, for the extention of their road to Lynchsion that was manifested in a way unusual in the burg, was ordered to its engrossment, after an amendment reducing the appropriation to \$600,000 instead of 900,000.

> The President of the Senate on Wednesday, presented the resignation to Robert Johnston, Esq., Auditor of Public Accounts, resigning his office, to take effect from the first of March ensuing, The following bills were passed : For the relief of Wm. S. Mitchell-Ayes 39-noes,

Authorizing the Winchester and Potomac Rail-Company to issue Coupon bonds, for raising the sum of \$83,333 33, to be paid into the State Treasury, in redemption of the annuity of \$5,000, now payable by said Company. To incorporate the Alexandria and Washington

City Railroad. - To incorporate the Great Falls Bridge Company,

in the county of Fairfax. Among the resolutions offered in the House was one by Mr. Garnett, for leave to bring in a bill providing that all charters hereafter to be granted by the Legislature, shall be subject, with certain quali-

fications, to amendment or repeal. On motion of Mr. Browne, of King George, the bill to provide for the removal of free negroes and mulattoes from the Commonwealth, was made the order of the day for Saturday, Feb. 11th, at half past twelve o'clock

In the SENATE on Wednesday, nothing of any moment transpired.

In the House, a resolution was passed, the Senate concurring, that the two Houses proceed by joint vote, on Thursday, the 6th instant, to elect the Sec-retary of State and Librarian, Treasurer of the Comwealth, Auditor of Public Accounts, Second Au-, Register of the land office, Superintendent of the Penitentiary, General Agent and store Keeper for the Penitentiary, for the term of two years from the first of January next, to supply the vacation occuring at that time by the expiration of the terms of office of the present incumbents. On motion of Mr. McCLURE, it was resolved, that

leave be given to bring in a bill to construct a Turnpike Road from the Opequon creek, at the county road near the Springs known as Tucker's Sulphur Springs, in Berkeley county. The SPEAKER appointed Messrs. McClube, Gibson, SPITLER, MILLER and Morgan, as a committee to

bring in said bill. The CHAIR presented a letter from the Secretary of the Board of Public Works in reply to a call of the Senate. It says that, since the 1st April, 1853,

contracts have been made with Messrs. Selden, Withers & Co., for the negotiation of sales of Virginia 6 per cent. coupon bonds to the amount of \$7,500,-000, and of Virginia sterling 5 percent, coupon bonds to the amount of \$3,000,000; and that the compensation agreed to be paid is one per cent. upon the

gross amount of sales. In the SENATE, on Thursduy, Mr. Grantham. from the committee of Agriculture, reported a bill provid-ing for the construction and keeping in repair the

public roads in the county of Berkeley. In the House, Petitions were presented By Mr. Tayor of Loudoun. Of 60 respectable citizens of the county of Loudoun, complaining of the charges made for crossing the Shenandoah river, at Castleman's Ferry. By Mr. Carter of Fauquier .- Of twenty-one citi zens of the town of Upperville, asking a repeal of the charter of said town.

#### CONGRESSIONAL SUMMARY.

the SENATE, on Monday, after the transn f morning business, the sp and Mr. Douglas proceed er was taken i iderable severity and bi comment with consideratic severity and otherness upon the "abolition confederates" whose names were appended to an address published in the Na-tional Era on the subject of the Nebraska bill--be-ing several senators and representatives from Ohio and Massachusetts, and others. When he had fin-ished, Messrs. Chase. Wade, and Summer addressed the Aresta the sector of the sector of the sector. Senate on the same subject; after which, tion by Mr. Seward, the Senate adjourned. motion by Mr. Seward, the Senate adjourned. This being resolution day, the Houss was almost entirely taken up with the offering of resolutions and the introduction of new bills. Among others that were adopted, were resolutions of inquiry in relation to the post office laws; granting of land to the State of Alabama for railroad purposes; the modification of the present diplomatic system; ere-ning sessions for debate; remuneration to our min-inter at forming county for the sessibility by

isters at foreign courts, &c. Also, a resoluton by Mr. Corwin, relative to the recognition of the gov-ernment of Liberia; which lies over for debate, as do severl other resolutions of no particular public

In the SENATE, on Tuesday, the President pro tem. laid before the Senate a report from the War De-partment, communicating information in relation to nent of the Arkansas river.

Mr. Foot introduced a bill to incorporate the Na-ional Pacific Railroad Company. A bill to increase the compensation of certain lerks employed in the various departments of the vernment was considered and passed. The Nebraska bill was taken up; and, after som

chate, was postponed until Friday next. After a short executive session, the Senate

In the House, after some unimportant reports from the committees had been introduced, Mr. Rich-ardson, from the Committee on Territories, reported a bill to organize the Territories of Nebraska and Kansas. Mr. English, of the same committee, introduced a minority report of his own to amend the same. Mr. Dean gave notice of his intention to move an amendment to the 14th section, provid that nothing in the bill should be construed to lega ize or establish slavery within either of the said Territories. The bill and amendment were referred to the Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union. Mr. Olds reported a bill making the obstruction of the mails on railroads a misdemeanor which was referred to the Committee of the Whole. The House then went into committee on the dificiency bill, which gave rise to considerable debate under the five-minutes rule. The bill was not disposed of when the committee rose, and the House liourned.

In the SENATE on Wednesday, Mr. Brodhead sub mitted a resolution in relation to the establishmen of a national foundry; which was amended and

agreed to. Mr. Slidell submitted a resolution in relation to taking off the injunction of secrecy as to the votes on

inations; which was amended and agreed to. The question of privilege, in regard to the right of Hon, S.S. Phelps to a seat in the Senate, was taken up; and Mr. Bayard, who was entitled to the floor. gave way, to allow Mr. Williams to make a few remarks in support of the views of the majority of the committee; after which, Mr. Bayard spoke at length on the other side of the question. It is expected that Mr. Butler will speak to-morrow, also in support of the views of the minority of the committee.

In the House, the Speaker laid before that body the report of the Commissioner of Patents; which was referred to the Committee on Printing, with instructions to consider whether 50,000 or 100,000 copies be printed. Mr. Jones, of New York moved o reconsider the vote by which the bill making it a nor to abstract the mail on railroads was referred to the Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union. After considerable debate, arising out of the recent telegraphic despatch from Erie relative to the renewed attack of the people on the railroad ing the motion on the third reading of the bill, the House went into committee on the deficiency bill. which was not disposed of when the committee rose, and the House adjourned. In the SENATE, on Thursday, Mr. Bright submitted resolution, which was adopted, calling on the President for copies of all communications from the American legation of Constantinople respecting the seizure of Martin Kosta by Austrin authorities at The question of privilege, in regard to the right of Hon, Samuel S. Phelps to a seat in the Senate, was taken up, and Messrs. Butler, Badger, and Phelps. spoke thereon ; when, on motion by Mr. Pratt, the further consideration of the subject was postponed until Thursday next. After the consideration of executive business, the Senate adjourned.

OUR FREE SCHOOLS. [FOR THE SPIRIT OF JETTERSON.] MR. EDITOR: In perusing the "Free Press" last week, I saw a production over the signature of "Philanthropist," appertaining to our Free Schools and recommending a change of system in their sund recommending a change of system in the ervision, &c. He proposes the appointment nan to perform the duties and responsibilitie now devolve upon twenty-serve. In my udgement a change is requisite, and as uni "Philanthropist" would be preferable to our present one. As the basis and stability of our civil and religious institutions depend upon the of ucation of the masses, it becomes highly necessary that the source from which two-thirds derive their chief education, uld be systematically arranged and scientifically aducted in order confer the greatest good upon he greatest number.

The present system has done much good and may nave served as a Pioneer in guiding us to the add tion or introduction of a system prevalent in states whose literary and moral attainments surpass by far, those of states or sections where such system has not been introduced. I would suggest and enuhas not been introduced. In responsibilities which merate some of the weighty responsibilities which merate some of the weight which which weight which whic ies which merate some of the weighty responsibilities which would devolve upon a superintendent of schools. As he would examine and ficense candidates for teachers, moral character should be regarded as the first and most indispensible ingredient in the qualifications required. Without this the posses-sion of the most finished learning, the most tran-scendent talents and the most perfect skill communi-cating instruction would be valueless and should be overlooked and disregarded. He should use every

overlooked and disregarded. He should use every means in his power to promote sound education, ele-vate the qualifications of teachers, improve the means of instruction and advance the interests of

the school committed to his charge. I hope the day is not far distant when the free schools of this fertile county, shall by timely organ-ization and proper supervision compete with those of sister States of sister States.

#### ROOT. Boliver, Jan'y 31, 1854.

#### TEIAL OF CHRISTIAN.

.... On Wednesday, the 25th ultimo, the Court summoned for the examination of C. B. CHRISTIAN, for the murder of BLACKBÖRN, met in the Court-house, in this place, and proceeded to the examination of the witnesses in attendance on the setting of the Court. There were a number of able counsel pres ent to cross-question the witnesses and take down the testimony in the case. After a tedious examination and cross-examination of four days, the counsel submitted the case to the judgement of the Court without argument, and the Court being unanimously of opinion that he should be sent on for farther trial, he was remanded to jail, there to await his final trial before the Circuit Court of this county, on the 12th day of April next, when he will be punished according to his crime, or acquitted, ac-cording as the facts of the case shall develop his guilt or innocence - Lexington Star.

#### COAL PROPERTY TAXES.

The Baltimore Sun has been furnished with the

following, taken from the assessment roll of Allegany county, Md., which shows the amount of county tay paid by the various Coal and Iron companies. The State tax is fifteen per cent. on the hundred dollars additional Allegany Mining Company \$370 00 Borden Mining Company 555 00 Cumberland Coal and Iron Co. 6.105 00 Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Mining Co. 55 00 Frostburg Coal Company 740 00 George's Creek Coal and Iron Co. 1.383 80 New York Mining Co. 277 50 Llangollen Mining Co.\* Phœnix Mining and Manufacturing Co. 71 38 Mount Savage fron Company 1,110 00 Parker Vein Company 370 00 ---\*Includes State tax. SENATOR DOUGLAS'S SPEECH.

Senator Douglas opened the debate on the Nebraska On Thursday night 26th ult., one of the stables Monday, The Senate chamber was filled elonging to the Eacle Hotel, was burnt down, ha with audience eager to hear the speech of the Illinois ing been set on fire in the hay mow in the back senator. The anxiety of the members of the llouse to part of the building. The dampness of the night and the exertions of the fire company, saved the surhear him, rendered it impossible to keep a quorum in that wing of the Capitol. He spoke under great exrounding buildings, although the hoiel and another stable was not ten feet from the burning building.citement, and with an energy and power which made an impression that was manifested in a way unusual The loss to the proprietor of the hotel, consists most-ly of a few tons of hay, and a few articles in the in the Senate. He felt that the authors of the late abolition appeal, on which we commented a few days stul.le-the horses were saved and uninjured. The ago, had conspired to do him a grievious wrong, and building was insured. in terms neither mild nor soft he laid bare the wicked-Not satisfied with this, the stable of Dr. GEO. LEE, ness of the plot. We doubt whether two senators near the Episcopal church, on Cornwall street, was ever received so terrific an excoriation in that chamfired on Saturday night last, burning up a valuable ber as that to which Messrs. Chase and Summer were horse and an excellent milch cow, and a large quansubjected on yesterday ; and we are very sure that, lity of hay, &c., when the speech of Judge Douglas is read, the judg-The fire occurred about mid-night, and had made ment of the country will be that they deserved jus considerable progress before it was discovered ; two such an exposure. The argument in support of the principles of the bill was overwhelming. Judge horses, however, was saved, one of them much scorched. The Doctor's loss is considerable; it will not bouglas met the question fearlessly and promptly .fall far short of a thousand dollars, as the pro-perty was not insured. The burning to death of His speech will make a profound impression on the public mind, and will contribute largely to the estabthe valuable animals, was revolting, and we wish the perpetrator of this fiendish act, could be brought lishment of the great principle of congressional nonintervention in the slavery question. As the speech o incrited justice. We hope we shall witness no will be read throughout the country, we forbear to more such scenes in this town, and that the efforts ake further comments .- Union of Wednesday.

#### DREADFUL STEAMBOAT EXPLOSION

0 Lives Lost-1200 Bales Cotton Burnt. NEW OBLEASS Jan, 26 .- The Ste ner Georgis interview of the second town into fragments, and being set fire to burnt to

the water's edge, with her cargo consisting of twelve nundred bales of cotton and other merchandize. The boat is total loss, Cotton insured. The par South, especially from Alabama, and North and South Carolina. They were bound for Texas in the Pampero. The officers and crew were saved. The taining the passengers was burnt, so that it

is impossible to ascertain the names of the killed.— Some warehouses on the wharf were burnt, having caught fire from the boat. SECOND DISPATCH. It is now estimated that there were sixty of the

passengers on board of the Gorgia either drowned or burned to death. All the baggage and money was lost, amounting to over \$30,000. The boat was val-ued at \$28,000. There were ou board the steamer nearly 20 passengers, principally emigrants going to Texas, and slaves.

SICKNESS ON SHIPBOARD.

Mr. Stephen De Vere, a philanthropic gentleman, took passage in the steerage of a vessel bound from London to Quebeck, in order that he might learn rom personal observation and experience the comforts and the trials of the Emigrant during his voy-

Before the emigrant has been a week at sea,' says Mr. De Vere, "he is an altered man. How can he be otherwise? Hundreds of people-men, woman, and children of all ages, from the driveling id-

ther, without light, without air, wallowing in filth, and breathing a fetid atmosphere, sick in body, dis-pirifed in heart, the fevered patients lying between the sound in sleeping places so narrow as almost to deny them the power of indulging, by change of po-sition, the natural restlessness of the disease; by their agonized ravings disturbing those around, and redisposing them through the effect of the imagina tion, to imbibe the contagion; living without food or medicine, except as administered by the hand of charity, dying without the voice of spiritual consola-tion, and buried in the deep without the rites of the church. The food is generally ill-selected, and sel-

dom sufficiently cooked, in consequence of the insuf-fiency and had construction of the cooking places In many ships the filthy beds, teeming abominations, are never required to be brought on teck and aired; the narrow places between the sleep ing berths and the piles of boxes is never washed or scraped, but breathes up a damp and fetid steuch, until the day before arriving at Quarantine, when all hands are required to 'scrub up,' and put on a fair face for the Doctor and Government Inspector."

### FIRES IN LEESBURG

We have had the quiet and good order of our town considerably interrupted of late by the frequent occur-rence of fires. From recent demonstrations, we are convinced that this community is cursed with some individual or individuals, who regard no crime of too dark a shade for the perpetration. But we hope that the vigilant action of our town authorities, will arrest their career of destruction, if not ferret out the fiends who have committed these deeds. It will be seen by another column that they have made the requisite preparations to protect the town, and we may now rest with security and without fear. In addition to the firing of Mr. Hempstone's barn and the brutal act of stabbing and cutting the riding horse of Mr. Vandevanter, we have now the nupleasant task to perform of noticing two more fires which have occurred during the past week, and no doubt the work of the same individuals.

LATE FOREIGN NEWS. The steamer Asia which arrived at N. York the 31st, brings intelligence of a beilliant trium for the Turks, in a battle in which 2500 Russia were killed were killed

were killed. The next item of importance is a decline of 6d. per barrel in flour, in Liverpool market. EASTERN AFFAIRS,—The allied fleets to the 3d inst, could not enter the Black Sea owing to storms, but on that day the cutrance was effected by all of them except six ships, which were left in Beycos Bay to guard the Bosphorus. The first division remains anchored at the Rapids. The Czar was supposed not to view the entry of the fleet as a declaration of war but has ordered all

n of war but has his own fleet to return to Sela

his own facet to return to Sebastopol. On January the 6th the Turks gained a brill success on the Danube, having stormed and ca ed the Russian entrenchment camp at Citale, Kalafat, and put 2,009 of the enemy to the swor They also attacked a body of 18,000 Russians to the relief of Citale, and after a sharp encou compelled them to retreat. The Russians are driven back from the positions at which they h to cross the Danube. The Turkish force in the the way 15,000 men and 15 men this adv

the was 15,000 men and 15 guns. It is admit hat Omer Pasha has brilliantly out manoeuvered

Russian commander. Other advantages on the Danube were form notified by the Divan on the 1st, to the Ambassu of the Four Powers, but the details are not give They are supposed to relate to the storming and c ture of Kalakal with several skirmishes of less a

In Asia, the defeat of the Turks under the In Asia, the detent of the Turks under the weak generalship of Abdi Pasha, is confirmed, but Gen-eral Guyon has gone to the army with full powers and the spirits of the Turks have revived. Schamy had sent a messenger to the Porte announcing he was now prepared to act energetically aga the Russians. The hopes of the Turks in Asia sequently brighten.

sequently brighten. Negotiations are still going on. The Sultans Irade is published, approving the decision of the Grand Council to open the negotiations on the footing proposed by the powers. Turkey to send a represen-tative to the conference in a neutral city.

#### LATEST FOREIGN NEWS.

The steamer Arabia arrived at Halifax on Saturday, and brings intelligence of anothe battle as between the Turks and Russians, be sides news of a still farther advance in Breadstuffs. As to the battle, which occurred at Cibale, the accounts say :

"It appears that the Russians were concen trating a force at Cibale, in order to attack Kalafat on the 13th ; but, on the 6th, 15,000 Turks marched out of Kalafat, attacked and stormed Cibale-had a conflict with the Russians in the field on the 7th, and renewed the battle on the Sth, ending in the evening with the total discomfiture of the Russians, who confess to 4:000 killed, and their Generals, Aurep and Tuinont, wounded.

On the 9th, the Turks having remained over night on the field beyond the Cibale, attacked the reserve of the Russians, and drove them back upon Krajova, with the loss of cannon, and immense slaughter on both sides. On the 10th, the Turks having razed the Russian fortifications, returned to Kalafat. The Turks were commanded in this action by Selin Pacna. Zedlinsky, Mehmed Pacha-one of whom probably Mehmed, is reported killed. The above victories were officially announce

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last issue. We learn that he is alive and hearty-with his usual buoyancy of spiritsand a reasonable prospect of remaining for many years yet on this mundane sphere. Capt. ROBERT BERKELEY, of Frederick county, having been found dead in his bed some days since, our informant, who received his information second hand, doubtless confounded the names, and led us by accident into the error.

### OUR COUNTY JAIL.

The County Court of Jefferson have made quite a considerable appropriation for the repairs, alterations, &c., which are requisite to be done to give even security, to 'say nothing as to appearance, of our county Jail. It is a miserable structure, and we hope may be renoovated throughout. The Building Committee. appointed by the Court, are advertising through our columns to-day, to "Contractors," the specifications of which may be seen, and we hope they will receive an early estimate at the hands of our mechanics. The alterations proposed will make quite a handsome improve ment.

#### WINCHESTER RAILROAD.

The Senate has passed the bill, authorising the Winchester and Potomac Railroad Com pany to issue its coupon bonds for the purpos of raising the sum of \$83,333 33, to be paid into the State Treasury, in redemption of the annuity of \$5,000 now payable by said Company. The bill, as we learn, has also passed the House, but has been changed in several particulars from the original bill as published in our paper a week or two since. The State Proxy and Directors are retained, and we also learn that they are required to be selected from different counties. This matter has excited ; good deal of controversy, and we hope the pre sent arrangement may prove satisfactory to the parties concerned, enhance the interest of the road, and better subserve the public interest.

#### JOHN P. BENTLEY.

It affords us pleasure, (says the Martinsburg Republican.) that John P. Bentley, Esq., of Winchester, a noble and true souled democrat, has received an appointment in the 1st Auditor's Bureau, in Washington. Success to those who are always true and faithful to their

10-We neglected in our last issue, to call the atention of our readers to the Advertisement of Messrs. HUNT & EVANS, who have had for some time and propose enlarging for the future, a Tinning Estabent, which not only supplies their customers at home, but furnishes a large supply to the neighboring country. The work of this shop is excelled by no other establishment of the County, and as evnce of their Roofing, Spouting, &c., we would call attention to that of our new building, which, assisted by Mr. F. W. RAWLINS, was executed by these gentlemen. Is has been pronounced by those more mpetent to judge than we, a most excellent job, and we certainly feel under very many obligations for the promptness with which it was performed .-In addition to Tin Ware, Roofing, Spouting, &c., they propose to crect Lightning Rods, in the most approved style.

Their terms throughout are reasonable, and the

THE TIME FOR TESTING. As connected with the Nebraska Bill, we shall have opportunity of testing the honesty and sinceriof some of our good Whig friends in this region as elsewhere, as to the finality of the Compromise of 1850. For merely intimating that the Missouri Compromise was an abortion, and that of 1850 but little better, both of which would be whistled down and utterly demolished by Northern fanaticism, when ever it had the power to do it, we and others were designated as Secessionists and Dis-

both by land and sea.

unionists while those who were coalescing with the North to rob the South of its just rights, were the Simon-pure patriots and the true Union men of the South. The Constitution of our Country, and the rights of the South, are something that we regard religiouly as beyond the pale of Compromise, when one party alone is to be aggrieved, and the other the aggressor. The events of the past, the indications of the future, but serve to confirm the justice of our position, and demonstrate the fact that the Union and the Constitution is but as "chaff before the wind," when a reckless and unprincipled majority use them alone to serve their own selfish and sectional purposes.

#### THE HARDS AND THE SOFTS.

The New York "Hards" resolved, in general committee, on Thursday evening (says the Baltimore Sun of vesterday,) to go for Douglas's bill, and the "Softs," in Tammany Hall, not to be outdone, passed a series of resolutions, on the same evening, declaring for the compromise of 1850, and in favor of allowing the people of the several territories to decide the question of slavery for themselves. They rejected a resolution, however, in favor of the repeal of the Missouri compromise.

SONS OF THE OLD DOMINION.

A preliminary meeting was held of the Sons of the Old Dominion at Washington on Wednesday night, for the purpose of making suitable arrangements for an appropriate and spirited celebration of the first permanent settlement at Jamestown, Va. The meeting was organized by the choice of Rev. Dr. Balch as president, with W. M. Overton and E. A. Campbell as secretaries.

A resolution was passed to organize an association entitled "The Jamestown Society," and a committee consisting of Messrs. Overton, Whiting and Montague was appointed to prepare an address to the people of Virginia,

A committee of thirteen was also appointed to prepared a constitution for the society, composed of the following gentlemen : J. A. Parker, J. H. Wood, Wm-H. Page, H. A. Caldwell, J. A. Throcmorton, Thos. J. Massie, C. W. Dunniugton, Edw'd A. J. Cabell, Beverly Tucker, W. M. Overton, L. L. Loving, E. C. lished in the next Spirit of Jefferson and the Free Carringtor and John. S. Caskie.

An eloquent address was delivered by the chairman, and received with great applause.

RE-REZIN D. SHEPHERD, well known to many of the citizens of our county, has been made by the will of JUDAH TOURO, a rich Jew who recently deceased in New Orleans, his residuary legatee, by which he will come in possession of a very considerable estate in addition to the immense fortune which he already possesses. Mr. Touro regarded that he owed the pre servation of his life to Mr. Shepherd, at the battle of New Orleans.

P. S. Since the above was in type, we see stated that Mr. Shepherd, the residuary Legatec of the late Judah Touro, of New Orleans, has announced his intention to give all the property left, after paying the various bequests, towards improving the city of New Orleans.

.... The Richmond Enquirer believes that from present indications the Legislature will adjourn at the end of a ninety day session without leaving behind any great amount of unfinished business.

.... The patent cartridge and ball factory of Mr Erasmus French, situated at Ravenswood, Long Island, were blown up on the 28th ult, and some fifteer

By Mr. Lavne .- Of so amending chapter 151 of the Code of Virginia, as to authorize the presiding justice to sign the minutes of the Court on the succe ng day after the adjournment of the Court The House, on Friday, after a prolonged and exciting debate, by a vote of 69 to 61, rejected the bill appropriating \$2,000,000 to complete the Coving-

ton and Ohio Railroad. The Senate has a bill to increase the capital stock of the Norfolk and Petersburg Railroad Company to \$700,000, and to authorize the board of public works to subscribe in behalf of the State for three-fifths of such increase. The following resolutions were offered, by Mr. McClure, that the Committee on Banks be instructed

to inquire into the expediency of prohibiting all the Banks of Commonwealth from issuing any notes of any denomination other than five, ten, twenty, fifty one hundred, five hundred, and one thousand dollar bills. [Mr. McClure explained the object of his res-The Banks used the uotes of odd numbers olution. to avoid the giving change. He wished to prevent such a practice.] Mr. McKenzie-Of reporting a bill, incorporating a bank at Alexandria, to be called " The Bank of the Commonwealth of Virginia, with the liberty of locating a branch at Charleston, Kanawha coun ty, or Kanawha Salines; a branch at Philippi, in

Barbout county, and such other points as may be deemed expedient to develop the trade and commerce of the State, with a capital of \$500,000, and not exceeding \$2,000,000-the State to appoint a portion of the Directors in the mother and branch banks.

CELEBRATION OF THE 22D OF FEBRUARY. Persuant to a call made through the public newspapers of Charlestown, a numerous meeting of the citizens of said town was held at Sappington's Hotel, on Thursday evening last, when John J. Lock, Esq., was called to the chair, and James W. Beller was chosen as secretary. Resolved, That the citizens of the county of Jef-

ferson, convenent Sappington's Hotel, in Charlestown, on the evening of the 22d inst., and celebrate in a ecoming manner the birth-night anniversary of the illustrious Washington.

Resolved, That John A. Straith be requested to read the valadictory address of the Father of our beloved country, and that Wm. Lucas, Jr., be requested to make such remarks as he may think right and proper on the occasion. Resolved, That the following gentlemen be, and they are hereby appointed a committee, to call on G. W. Sappington, proprietor of said Hotel, and ask of him to have prepared for the occasion a suitable collation (or supper,) and to make such other ar-

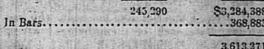
rangements as may, in their judgment, be necessary for a suitable observance of the occasion : Capt. John W. Rowan, Wm. C. Worthington, An drew Hunter, John W. Kennedy, Wells J. Hawks, William B. Lewis, Dr. Wm. A. Douglass, Dr. G. H. Cooke, T. A. Brown, Gco. W. Ranson, T.B. Washington, R. B. Washington, T. C. Signfoose, L. M. Smith, Henry Timberlake, James W. Campbell, Jackson Douglass, C. E. Fahnestock, J. D. Line, A. W.

Cramer, J. F. Blessing and Geo. W. Turner. Resolved, Also, that the chairman and secretary of this meeting be added to the above commit and that the proceedings of this meeting, be pub-Press.

JOHN J. LOCK, Chairman. JAMES W. BELLER, Secretary. OPERATIONS OF THE MINT.

The Treasurer of the Mint has furnished the Philadelphia papers with the statement of that institution for the month of January. The total coinage of gold for the month was \$3,274,388, exclusive of \$368,883 in bars. Whole amount of gold passing through the mint, \$3,643,271. The silver coinage was altogether of pieces under a dollar, and amounted to \$607,000. There were also coined during the month 152,541 copper cents and 55,360 half cents. The to tal deposits of gold bullion was \$4,201,000, against \$4,446,817 deposited in December. Silver bullion deposited \$108,000. The statement shows the opera-Gold Coinage.

Pieces. Value. \$3,137.00 81.58 55,80



201,000

104,000

607,000

The Speaker laid before the House, the annual report of the director of the mint at l'hiladelphia, which was ordered to be printed. On motion o Mr. Jones, of Tennessee, the House went into committee on the deficiency bill, to which several amendments were made. The committee rose without disposing of the bill. Mr. Dean presented a joint resolution from the legislature of Naw York in relation to the protection of passengers by emigrant vessels, after which the House adjourned.

DISMAL PROSPECIS FOR THE POOR. The following article from the "Boston Times," though not entirely suited to our region, yet contains very much of truth as to the general tendency of things at the present time. The mechanical interest of our Country is not paid in proportion to its labor, and as to the poor, the widow and the orphan, may He who feeds the raven, and will Mr. Touro that he consulted legal friends whether he could not reclaim the donation. never let the seed of the righteous be found begging bread, regard them at this season

of want, if not misery: The High Price of Flour, Fuel, and Provisions-What will the Poor People do?-We scarcely remember a season when the necessaries of life commanded a more exorbitant price than at the present. Flour has been going up-up-and has reached the price of \$10 per barrel, with a margin calculated to permit it to swell still larger. Fuel has risen enormously, and provisions and groceries have all advanced to prices killing to poor people-and an cditor is not unlikely to be one of them.

recent strike.

istration .- Boston Times.

FREIGHT AT WHEELING .- The Wheeling Intelligen

cer state; that the depot of the Baltimore and Oh

occasioned by the failure of the last vintage.

order for a supply at the advanced rate.

rettiest .- Springfield Republican

the constitution of the State.

Besides the war in Europe-which in reality has tones of freight, and a large number of passengers.-There were ten feet of water in the river on Monda, about as much to do with the price of flour and fuel and falling. in this country, as the price of tallow in Kamschatka, the flour holders and coal dealers allege that there has been a great deficiency in the supply of flour and a large advance, per ton, in the price of freight for coal. There is no doubt some truth in this. But any one who has observed the effect of these causes upon the prices of articles in universal use, will have observed that when the wholesele price of flour advances, the retail price of bread advances with far more rapid strides. Every one through whose hands it passes, thinks he must make something by the rise in the market. The wheat comes from th farmer, and he must have his advance-the flour comes from the miller, and he must have his advauce-it goes from the hands of the wholesaler and he must have his advance-it comes into the hands of the retailer and baker, and they must have their advance-all must have their increase in price All this, of course, helps to augment the load before the merits of the little ones were childless, and they it reaches the poor man's stomach. The same course is pursued with regard to the price of coal. If the awarded the premium of \$3, offerred by Mr. Fisk, of the Palmer Journal, to a boy baby of Mr. Hardaker. rate of freight advances twenty cents per ton, the On the announcement of the dicision, one bachelo poor man is called upon to pay *fifty* cents per ton additional, under cover of the "great rise in freights." gave a dollar to kiss the premium baby, and anoth-er the same sum to kiss the one he thought the No matter what advance takes place in the price of any article of common necessity, the burthen i not borne by the rich, but by the poor. It is theythe "hewers of wood and the drawers of water"to visit Harrisburg. They accepted the invitation, and were entertained at Harrisburg; but the last who are compelled to endure this enormous infliction, while the rich roll in their suits of velvet, and point with exultation to their heaps and piles of fuel, and their store-houses crowded with flour-all laid in when the "market was low." ent Legislature of Pennsylvania, who are hesitating

If a poor man be so unfortunate as to be married and to have half a dozen shildren, at this high priced season of the year, we pity him from our heart, and refer him, with all kindness and respect, to the tender mercies of the overseers of the pour.

ICE BRIDGE AT NIAGARA FALLS .- The Rochester American, describing the icc bridge which now ex-ists across Niagara river just below the American

of our authorities, if not successful in arresting the THE LATE JUDAH TOURD .- The board of assistant incendiary, may prevent the repetition of such occuraldermen of New Orleans have adopted a resolution A strict compliance with the discipline of the fire to erect a monument in honer of the late Judah Touro.

ompany, by obedience to the commanding officers, The Delta, however, suggests that the noblest mone would render the efforts of that department far more ment-more in kceping with the unpretending character of the decased-would be the appropriation of \$10,000, to be added to the \$0,000 left by him to efficient upon such occasions .- Washingtonian. REPEAL OF THE MISSOURI RISTR CTION. build an altashouse, to be called the Touro Asylum. If experience had not made us familiar with the Mr. Tourc's hostility to all display, says the Delta, progant and aggressive character of Northern Abemounted to a prejudice. When he made a donation iism, the violent opposition which the Nebraska f 10,000 to Bunker Hill Monument, it was with the bille encounters would fill us with astonishment and njunction that his name should not be mentioned .-indignation. That a measure so just in regard to the But the directors forgetting this injunction, had his rights of the South, and so reason, ble in its operation name, as one of the doners. engrared on the monuand effect, should have provoked such denun-iation, nent, which being communicated to him, so annoyed

however strange in itself, will surprise no one who understands the grasping and ferocious nature of the anti-slavery fanaticism. From the organization of the Government to this moment, the South has endur FIRE AT WHEELING .- The Missouri iron works beed from the Abolitionists nothing but contamely, inging to Messrs. Sweeney, Johnson & Co., at the upwrong and opposition, and it would be simple affec-tation at this day to express the least surprise at any per end of Wheeling, Va, were entirely destroyed fire on Tuesday morning. Loss estimated at \$60,000 fresh instances, however flagrant, or injustice and and no insurance. The Intelligencer says the works outrage. Still there are circumstances touching the had just been repaired, at a cost of 15,000 or \$20,000. present dispute about Nebraska which convict the Abolitionists of a worse than characteristic perfidy and had been operating but a short time, since the

and ininstice. The burden of the argument of the abolitionists

chenever they raise to the dignity of rational discus-Railroad in that city continues crowded to repletion with freight. On Monday one thousand tons were sion, is that the "Missouri compromise was a com pact, which the south cannot disregard without a violoaded for the East. The steamer City of Wheeling ation of good faith. This appeal to good faith and the obligation of compacts by the abolitionists is something now under the sun. Heretofore it has been arrived from Louisville on Sunday evening with 540 their pride to recognize the validity only of the "higher law" and to "spit upon" all platforms and com-pacts of mere human construction. They refused submission even to the supremacy of the constitution A DEMOCRATIC FACT .- Out of the thirty-one States of the American Confederacy there is but one that can claim a whig as its Governor-and that State is Masand counsel resistance to the laws. This very Mis-What a narrow estape from utter annisouri compromise, about the sanctity of which they ilation has whiggery had, under the present admindeclaim with so much solemnity, has been repudiated and violated by them on more than une occusion. Going Up.-According to letters received from Cognac, France, Jan. 10th, the price of brandy has Southern men proposed to recognise the obligation of the Missouri restriction in regard to Oregon, 1 at increased largely on account of the short supply, the North insisted on the necessity of some original and more positive enactment in exclusion of slavery large house in Boston, it is said, has just doubled its And again during the controversy of 1850, the South sought the extension of the Missouri compro-misc line to the Pacific Ocean, and the North rejerted A BABY SHOW IN MASSACHUSETTS .- A baby show the proposition with scorn. In the debate on that has laterally transpired. It occurred at Palmer, on Wednesday evening last, in connection with a ladies' fair. Six or eight babies were exhibited, dressed "up to the nines." The committee that passed upon sition, Hale, the champion of the abolitionists. distinctly and indignantly denied the efficacy of the Missouri compromise. It must not be understood that we allege these in-

stances of bad faith on the part of the abolitionists, with a view to justify a breech of compact by the south. In demanding the distinct and complete abrogation of the Missonri restriction in the Nebraska bill, the South stands on higher ground. The compromise of 1850, was in design and effect a repeal of the com-promise of 1820. And even if this were not so, no .... The Legislature of Pennsyslvania, at its ses-sion last year, invited the Legislature of Maryland me could attach to the South for seeking a release from an iniquitous burden imposed upon it by the brute force of a numerical majority. For more than thirty years has the South endured the disgrare of Legislature forgot or neglected to pay for the cost of the entertainment. So the bill to pay for the entera law which restricted its rights and impugned its character, and if it finds itself now in a position to ainment (about \$8,000) comes up before the presdemand reparation for the wrong and injury, no obsolute "compact" can stiffe its voice or arrest its action. The Missouri compromise was a gross userbout paying it, on the ground that the expenditure ncurred was a violation of all authority given by pation of power by Congress, and so long as it stands on the statute book, it perpetuates the claim of the .... The total amount subscribed in the several

Federal Government to prescribe conditions to a sov-ereign State and to impose burdens and disabilities cities for the purpose of rewarding the captains and crews of the ships Three Bells and Atlantic, and the crews of the ships Three Bells and Atlantic, and the barque Kilby, is \$84,470, besides which they are to While the restriction of 1820 remains to attest the have silver trumpets from the Legislature of the jurisdiction of Congress over slavery, there is no se-

Sea, with the o jee as is alleged of "protecting the Ott man territory aggression or hosti'e acts." Yet with even this proposition, the probable movements of France and England are by no means certain, though later accounts say, that upon the allied fleets entering the Black Sea, the Russian Czar would at once withdraw his Ambassadors from France and England and formally declare war-nothing else was looked for.

The whole of Eur pamay . herefore be regarded as in a condition, the end of which no one can tell.

The market for Breadstuffs has advanced. though Cotton has still farther declined, the highest sale of fair Mobile being only 64d-The following are the quotations for Breadstuffs .

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 22 .- Wheat had met with good speculative and moderate consumptive lemand at 3d a 4d advance on the week .-Flour in good request, 6d a 1s advance. In Indian forn a fair husin so was done at unchanged rates. R charlson Brothers canota as follows : Western Can | Floar 43s 6d a 43s 9d : Philadelphia and Baltimore 41- 3d a 44; id; Ohio 44s; Sours 38.6d. American white Wheat 12s 5-1 a 13s; red 12s 6d a 12s 8d; white Indian Corn 50s a 51s; yellow and mixed 49s a 50s. The market closed activeand buoyant. Most of the Circulars agree with the above quotations, but Dennistown & Co., make Flour 1s, and white Wheat 3d above these rates All Strates Bret

CHINA. Progress of the Chinese Insurrection-Recapture of Amoy, and Execution of One Thousand of the In-

From China the accounts of the state of trac again show an improvement. The political news is quite interesting. At Canton all is quiet. At Shan-ghai the belligerents keep up a desultory warfare, with little or no results.

From Amoy the most melancholy accounts have been received, and involving an amount of blood-shed that is calculated to strike terror into the hardest heart, and with any other people than Chineso would induce a re-action and a cry of veangance on the authors of such fearful outrages as those now enacting at Amoy and its neighborhood. The impe-rialists have retaken the place, and have marked their success by slaving in coid blood nearly 1,000 persons, most of whom took no part in the late movement, except on compulsion. The streets and wharves of Amor have literally streamed with hu-man blood, not shed in any warlike operations, but done in saving evenge and to blind the authorities at Pekin as to the bravery of the enactors. A letter from Amoy, dated November 22, received but a jew hours ago, states that up to that period all was quiet, and matters wore much the same appea ince, as far as foreigners were concerned, as under the insurgent rulers. Executions were of daily occurrence. The Mandarins, to mark their suc were revelling in human gove, putting to death all who fall into their hands indiscriminately. The original mover of the rebellion had seen given up to the Mandarins; the unfortunate wretch was exe cuted on the 17th November, together with his son both bodies being quartered and their heads placed on the principal city gates. The villages around Amoy were made to contribute to the monster exe-Amoy were made to contribute to the monster exe-cutions. Whole villages were threatened with death unless they gave up all who took part in or sympa-thized with the rebels; and as a consequence of this brutal demand, the poor, weak, inoffensive and de-fenceless villagers, were surrondered up as victims to satiate the Mandarins' thirst for blood.

HEAVY DAMAGES .- Mrs. Landreaux, a widow lady of New Orleans, has recovered for herself and chil-

or New Orleans, his recovered for herself and third dren, \$20,000 damages from the New Orleans and Carrollton Railroad Company, for the death of her husband, Dr. Landreaux, caused by a collision be-tween a horse car and a locomotive attached to a passenger car. She haid her damages at \$5,00.

THE NEW POSTAGE BILL .- The project of changing the rates of postage under this government, re-ported by Mr. Olds a few days since from the House

tions of the mint more in detail, as follows:

firm eminently worthy of a liberal support.

A County Democratic Convention was to have been held in Winchester on vesterday. to nominate a candidate for sheriff, and two Commissioners of the Revenue. Among those likely to be presented to the Convention for nomination, is Major Joseph O. Coyle, Mr. Sydnor, Mr. Pifer and Mr. Sheerer. By reference to another column, it will be seen that a Democratic Convention to nominate a Candidate for the sheriffalty of Clarke county is proposed, and a meeting will be held at February Court, to take the matter into consideration, and appoint Delegates to the proposed Convention.

The total exports of Flour from Baltimore for the month of January last, was 95,-976 barrels, of which 62,194 went to Great Britain; 11,331 to Brazil; 2,270 to River Plate: 722 to Br. N. A. Col : 1,576 to Venesuela; 9,495 to West Indies: 600 to Pacific; 7,788 to to other ports. There was also ex-and 14,432 females, and 121 sex not registered. Of ported, 43,966 bushels of Corn, 4,084 barrels of Corn Meal, and over 50,000 bushels of Wheat, to different ports,

The nomination of Mr. REDFIELD, as collector the Port of New York, in the place Mr. BRONSON ed, was confirmed by the U.S. Senate by a vote f 32 for as to 8 against.

ano-The Sacramento Journal estimates that thirty barrels of egg nogg were consumed or drank in that is olty on Christmas day.

or twenty persons, mostly boys and females, were killed. Upwards of 20,000 cartridges exploded, and houses for miles around were shattered and their windows broken.

year was 76 years. Two brides were 80 each. The youngest girl who blushed and said yes to the question whether or not she would "love, bonor and obey" a husband, had seen the roses of only 14 summers bloom, while the youngest boy whose marriage is recorded in the tables was 18.

. A man named Haywood, a turner by trade, shot himself in Richmond, on Tuesday night. He was formerly from Boston. He is expected to recover.

.... The London Times, in a late notice of Mitchell, spoke of the use of vitriol as a mode of warfare ted by the Irish rebels or revolutionists. Mitchell, far from denying this, boasts of it and adds: In war everything that will kill, hurt, or burn, or blast an enemy is good Bless your innocent heart! vitriol is nothing. If there had been, as there ought to have been, an insurrection in Dublin in 1847, and if the women in the upper stories could have rained heil-fire upon the enemies of their country, they would have watered the revolutionary garden till it blossomed like the rose.

.... Children were born in Massachusetts, in 1852, this number 17,255 were born of American parents this number 17,255 were born of American parents, 10,991 of foreign; unknown 1,556. Eighty-seven children of the whole number were twins, and there were four cases of triplets, viz: one in Hampden county all females; one in Worcester, comprising two males, and one female; and two others in Middlesex county, one instance males, the other females.

and one temale; and two others in Middlesex county, one instance males, the other females. ....The receipts of the Richmond, Fredericks-burg and potomac Rall Road Company, in 1853, amounted to \$249,691, and the expenses to \$133,-895. During the last five years, the increase in the company's available means was \$60,000. The amount paid as dividends the past year was \$69,269 80, and the cash on have 20th September, 1853, \$31,608 35.

Quarter Dollars....1,196,000 Dimes ..... 1,040,000 2.644.000 Gold Bullion Deposited. .... The oldest man married in Massachusetts last From California......\$4,150,000

Gold deposited in January, 1854,......\$4,201,000 Gold deposited in December, 1853,.....4,446,817 Silver Bullion deposited ......\$108,000 The mint is in full supply of silver coin, which the

institution gives notice will be exchanged for American gold coin in almost any amount.

#### THE " PAN HANDLE" RAILROAD. In the Virginia House of Delegates, on Thursday,

a vote was had on the question of granting a right of way to the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad across what is known as the "Pan Handle" of Virginia. The Committee on Roads had reported that it was "inexpedient" to grant the right of way, and the motion was made to strike out "inexpedient" and insert "expedient." The amendment prevailed by a vote of ayes 73, noes 61, and a bill was order-ed in conformity with the prayer of the petitioners.

#### TEMPERANCE IN VIRGINIA.

TEMPERANCE IN VIRGINIA. The Committee of the House of Delegates of Vir-ginia, to which was referred the petition of nu-merous citizens of the Commonwealth praying for the passage of a law prohibiting the sale or barter of any intoxicating liquors, under certain restric-tions and penaltics, have reported against the prayer of the petitioners. The Richmond Whig considers this report a pretty sure sign that there will be no legislative enactment on the question this session.

Fall, at the foot of the ferry staircase, says: It is formed of cakes of ice heaped some twenty feet above the water. It is already used as a highway for foot passengers between the States and Canada. In front passengers between the States and Canada. Inflort of the American Fall the ice is piled up in huge masses, and covers the rocks and banks in every fantastic form, presenting in the studight the most magnificent appearance. Luna island is one vast palace of ice, and all the banks of Goat Island are sheeted with the frozen spray. The Canade side and Table Rock, are loaded with ice, and it is from this point that the splended crystal panorama of the American side of-

fers its glaring and sparkling front.

The Independent Banks in Virginin.- There are in Virginia ten banks, styled "Independent Banks," whose aggregate circulation, or notes countersigned and delivered, up to the 31st of December last, (according to a report just made to the legislature of that State.) amounts in the aggregate to \$1,800,225, against \$1,909,311 86 worth of securities deposited with the State Treasurer. The securities consist of Chesapeake and Ohio Ganal Company's guaranteed bonds, Virginia registered stock and coupon bonds, Wheeling guaranteed bonds, and various Virginia railroad guaranteed bonds. The following are the names of the banks: Mannfacturer's and Farmer's

names of the banks: Manufacturer's and Farmer's Bank of Wheeling; Bank of the Old Dominion, at Alexandria; Central Bank of Staunton; Merchant's Bank of Virginia, at Lynchburg; Bank of Win-chester, at Winchester; Monticello Bank, at Char-lottesville; Bank of Fairmont, at Fairmont; Bank of Berkeley, at Martinsburg; Trans-Alleghany Bank, at Jeffersonville; and Bank of Wheeling, at Wheeling. Two others, one at Fredericksburg and one at Harrisonburg, are about to go into operation.

IMMENSE CHURCH.—An immense Catholic cathe-ral will be constructed in New York next spring— he largest in America. The building will be 350 the largest in America. The building will be 350 feet in depth by 105 in breadth, and will be sur-mounted by an immense dome, having a diameter of 104 feet. There will also be two lofty towers. The height of the nave will be 102 feet. The mate-rials to be used are wholly stone and iron. The building will contain sixteen chapels and three or-gans, one of which will be of great size. Its loca-tion will be on the Fifth avenue and forty-eightin street. The cost is expected to be about \$350,000.

THE STREET STREET

State of New York, medals from the Marien Society of Boston, gold snuff loxes from the Corporation of New York, medals from the Massachusetts Humane Society, and some appropriate testimonial from the Board of Trade of Baltimore.

.... The managers of the Agricultural Mechanical Association of Washington county, Md., have fixed upon the 6th, 7th and 8th of September next, as the time for holding their annual fair.

... At Alexandria118 marriage licenses were issued during the past year.

.... A new Baptist church, to cost \$12,000, is about to be erected at Fredericksburg.

....John Stickly has been appointed Keeper of the Poor for the ensuing twelve months in Hardy.

.... A young man named Philip H. Carter, Jr., was found frozen to death in Caroline, a few days ago. .... The dwelling house of Lieut. Jas. Semple, in

Williamsburg, was damaged by fire on the 24th ult .... The Winchester mail now leaves Stannton at five o'clock in the afternoon, and closes at half past two.

Jas. G. West, of Wetzel county, has been elected to the Virginia Senate, vice Jefferson T. Martin. resigned.

.... A young dog in the lower end of Hampshir county, not quite seven months old, weighs one hun-dred and ten pounds.

.... Three cattle, raised by Col. David Gibson, of Hampshire, were weighed at the Romney scales, and averaged 2,000 lbs. each.

.... The Petersburg Express chronicles the death of Hannah, a negro woman, owned by a lady in that city, at the advanced age of 128.

the Hygeis Hotel, at Old Point, has been purchased for the sum of \$20,000, by Messrs, C. C. Willard, & Bro., of Washington city.
 ....There was a member of the Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance, which was lately in session in Romney, who walked some fifty miles to attend its measured.

The fire was communicated, doubtless, from a in which the fire was kept for smoking meat space of a few feet between the bouse and kitc being planked up and used as a smoke hous Young Mr. Pelter lost everything in the house cept a single bed and some trifles. Among the uables burnt was the bacon of ten or twelve hog [Staunton Vindicato

.The Virginia Hotel, in Romney, was so ....S. Brady was elected mayor of Wheeling on the 28th ult. At the same time the people, by a ma-jority of 331, yoted against the result of licenses for. usand dollars. Lat full a can base standed

curity for the rights of the South. The South then committee on post-offices and post-roads, contem-plates making it obligatory to pre-pay all letters sent in the mails, and proposes also to fix the should be content with nothing less than a surrender of the nsurped power and a repeat of the odi-ous statute. This concession is essential as well as to the dignity of its character as to the security of its rights.—Richmond Enquirer. sent in the mails, and proposes also to fix the rates of postage at three cents per half ounce for all distances up to three thousand miles, and six cents for all greater distances.

MELANCHOLY DISASTER.—A house and kitchen, on the farm of Mr. Sampson Pelter, 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> miles from Waynesboro', on the South River, were destroyed GREAT FALL OF WHEAT .- On Tuesday evening last, the southern wall of Branch & Son's lumber house in Petersburg, Va. fell outwards, followed by some 2,000 bushels of wheat. Some 400 or 500 bushels fell into the river and are lost—the remain. by fire on Tuesday night, about eleven o'clock, and by fire on Tuesday night, about eleven o'clock, and horrible to relate, three persons of color—an old man, his wife, and son, about 12 years old, who were asleep in the kitchen, perished in the flames. The house was occupied at the time, by a son of Mr. Pel-ter, who had hired three servents from Mr. Atel. of Albemarle. At the hour of the fire, young Mr. Pelter was absent from the house, and there was only one white person on the premises—a young man in the employ of Mr. Pelter. He was aroused from sleep, as he supposed, by the cries of the suffering, and a female voice was all he distinctly heard, after getting up. He rushed out of the house towards the kitchder much damaged. The Express estimates the loss at between \$2,000 and \$3,000. 

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EW GOODS AND CHEAP GOODS. IN The subscriber has just returned from Baltimor and is now opening a very fine assortment of Ladies Dress Goods, Chlicoes, Ginghams, Irish Linens, Also, brown and blenched Muslins, Tickinga, which he can sell lower than ever before. Call and see. January 31, 1854. ISAAC ROSE. up. He rushed out of the honse towards the kitchen, which was adjoining the house towards the atten-en, which was adjoining the house, and found all the lower department a sheet of fire—(the lodging of the servants was on the second floor of the kitch-en,) but at this period the devouring element had done its work, and all was quiet save the cracking flores. On soliting the ruins pert morning, a mel-

GUNS.-I have a few of these English Twist dou also, a few splendid eight day Clocks, cast iron case laid in with pearl, which I will sell very low to make room for my spring supply. January 24, 1654. T. RAWLINS. flames. On visiting the ruins next morning, a mel-ancholy spectacle was presented. Three spots, with-in the limits of the kitchen, presented little heaps of calvined bones, which, by the touch crumbled into dust, and mingled with the askes of the blackened pile, leaving not a fragment demanding the rite of

CANDLES. - Mould Candles, a good article be had just fresh from Baltimore at the M Jouse. [Jan, 24.] T. RAWLI

RICHMOND AXES. -- I have received two of for sale low. [Jan. 24.] T. RAWLINS

RAGS.-The highest price paid for Rage, i at the Charlestown Depot. Jan, 24. E. M. AISQU

ORN.-Any quantity of CORN wanted a Charlestown Depot, Jan. 24. E. M. AISQUIT

UN PRICES OF FLOUR IN BALTIMORE FOR THE YEAR 1853. The annexed Table has been prepared by Jons W. SELL & Co., Flour and General Commission Merints, Howard street, and will show the price at hich Flour w hold on eachday during the past year: Fe

and the 5.12 .75 .25 0 0 10 00 00 a a 20 20 25 3 33 00 :

Special Potices.

65-Consumption is, without doubt, the asst fearfully fatal of all diseases, (except epidemics.) anually carrying thousands to untimely graves.

COLONIZATION.—The Colonization Society of Ken-tucky sent during the past year 74 emigrants to Liberia. The total receipts for the year were \$7,442 70. The Society propose to send two expe-ditions during the present year—one in May next, and one in November or December next. Thirty-eight have already made application for the May ex-pedition, and thirty-one to go in December. The estimated cost of taking a person from Louisville to Liberia is \$67. The Society has memorialized the Legislature for five thousand dollars a year, for five rears, to take free negroes in Kentucky who may COLONIZATION .- The Colo years, to take free negroes in Kentucky, who may apply, to Liberia.

JENNY LIND.—An English paper says that Mr. Mitchell, the London manager, has concluded an en-gagement with Madame Goldschmidt (Jenny Lind) to appear in concerts for six months during the ap-proaching season. The preliminary terms are stated

....For every dollar that Boston spends upon her city government, she spends a dollar and thirty cents upon her public schools.

#### Marriagrs.

On the River, on Thursday, 26th ultimo, by Rev. SAMUEL GOVER, Mr. JOHN M. MULLEN and Miss FRANCES A. WHITMORE-all of Loud On Tuesday, 31st ultimo, by the same, Mr. JAMES T. DICKEY and Miss ANN M. BENJAMIN. On Thursday, 26th ultimo, by Rev. H. R. SMITH, Mr. JONATHAN LEWIS and Miss HENRIETTA B. PRIMM-all of Loudoun.

Near Lovettsville, on Thursday, 26th ultimo, by Rev. G. H. MARTIN, Mr. S. P. SANBOWER and Miss MARY E. COST—all of Loudoun. On the 30th ultimo, by Rev. G. W. STATTON, Mr. JOHN L. DALLAS and Miss HANNAH E. NAG-

LEY-both of Frederick county. On the 19th ultimo, by Rev. LEVI KELLES, Mr. JO-SEPH S. FUNK, of Shenandoah, and Miss MARTHA E. FUNKHOUSER, of Frederick county. Con the 25th ultimo, at Hanging Rock, by Rev. WM. H. Foors, D.D., Mr. MORGAN L. OTT, of Wheel-ing, and Miss VIRGINIA VANCE, eldest daughter of Col. CHAS. BLUE, of Hampshire.

In this town, on Tuesday morning last, at the resi-dence of Mr. JOHN ASHBAUGH, Mrs. CHRISTINE HILL, relict of the late CHRISTOPHER HILL, of Marinsburg, in the 95th year of her age. In Winchester, on the 28th ultimo, after an illness of but eight days, of typhoid pneumonia, Mr. JOHN L. MAY, in his 34th year. In Leesburg, on the 2d instant, of pneumonia, Mr. THOMAS S. DORRELL, in the 52d year of his age. On the 24th ultimo, Mrs. CATHARINE MAGAHA, vife of WM. MAGAHA. On the 25th ultimo, Mr. JOHN W. VIRTS, of German Settlement, Loudoun county. At Middleburg, on the 25th ultimo, Capt. SAML. CHINN, in the 75th year of his age, On the 23th ultimo, in Winchester, Mr. STEPHEN DAVIS, aged about 75 years. In Winchester, on the morning of the 28th ultimo, Mr. ROBERT CARTER BERKELEY, in about his 45th year. Near Winchester, on the 18th ultimo, Mr. JOHN-HILL, in the 47th year of his age, formerly of Washigton county, Maryland.

year of her age.

Denths.

At the residence of her father, Maj. WM. G. EVER-HART, in Clarke county, on the 20th ultimo, Miss SARAH ELLEN EVERHART, in her 24th year. In Frederick county, on the 24th ultimo, Mr. ANN A. McKOWN, wife of WARNER McKown, in the 43d

> The Markets. BALTIMORE MARKET.

COLRESPONDENCE OF THE SPIRIT OF JEFFERSON.

BALTINOBE, Feb. 3, 1854. CATTLE.—The offerings at the Scales on Monday were about 650 head of Beet Cattle, of which 100 were driven to Philadelphia, 60 left over unsold, and the balance (490) were sold to city butchers, at prices

PUBLIC SALE. Will be sold, at public partian, at the residence of the subscriber, on the Opequon creek, two miles north of Smithfield, on the old Pulse farm, on MONDAY, the 27th of February, the following PROPERTY: 5 head Work Horses, 5 head horned Cattle; 2 fresh Cows, 25 head Stock Hogs, 2 Brood Sows; 3 Barshear Ploughs; 2 single and 3 double Shovel Ploughs; 1 three-horse Harrow; 1 Road and 1 Plantation Wagon; Single and double Trees; Wagon and Plough Gears, 2 sets each. And many other articles unnecessary to mention. Also-55 acres WHEAT in the ground. Terms—The cash will be required on all sums of \$5 and under, above that amount six months credit will be given. Bond and good security required. MACONE. February 7, 1854 J. W. McGINNES Auet'r.

PUBLIC SALE. WILL be sold, at the residence of the undersigned, Willing near Shannoudale Ferry, on TUESDAY the 26th of February, 1854, the following property,

7 double and single shover Floughts; 4 good Harrows; 1 Road Wagon, (Shearer's make;) 1 Plantation do., 2 pair Grain Ladders; Grain Cradles and Mowing Fixtures; Rakes, Forks, &c. Wagon and Plough Gears, Chains, &c. 4 Stoves and Pipes, 1 Cooking Stove, complete. HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE. 100 barrols of Corn :

100 barrels of Corn; 90 Acres of Wheat in the ground, on the best

land on the farm. Also-One NEGRO WOMAN, aged 30 years, with 2 children, one a girl 9 years old, the other a boy 6

years old. Terms—A credit of six months on all sums of \$10, rn l over—under, cash. No property to be removed until the terms of sale are complied with. JAMES Y. HARRIS. February 7, 1854. J. W. McGranze, Anc<sup>2</sup>-.

FOR SALC. PAIR OF HORSES, CARRIAGE Work well, in single or double harness, and ride well. Will be sold separately if desired. For further particulars apply to WM. C. BROWN, U. S. Armory.

U. S. Armory. Harpers-Ferry, Feb. 7, 1854. LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Postoffice, at Charlestown,

January 31, 1854. B-Henry R. Burns, James Burr. C-George Curry, 2. D-Temperance Dillow. E-Miss Eliza Ann Ervin. F-Thomas G. Flagg, William Free, John Faugheuder. G-Henry T. Grey, Miss Emily F. Gaiter, William L. Griggs. H-Hall, Osborn & Co., Franklin Hayley, Theodore T. Hudspeth. K-Julia Kirk. L-John R. Luckett, Joshua D. Lane, J. S. Lempkins. M-John McGill, Adam Moler.

Julia Kirk. L-John R. Luckett, Joshua D. Lane, J. S. Lempkins. M-John McGill, Adam Moler. O-John W. Ott, Logan Orborn. P-John W. Pow-ers. R-Uriah Rutherford, Sampson Russell, Ben-jamin Roderick. S-J. S. Saunders, Miss Catharine Shew, 3, David Stubblefield, H. M. Stanton. T-William Taylor, or Tyler. W-John C. Wiltshire, Miss Virginia Weddle, William Weddle, Jonas Walraven, Mrs. L. M. Walton, Carver Willis, L. W. Washington. W. Washington. February 7, 1854. JOHN P. BROWN. P. M.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Postoffice at Harpers-Ferry,

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 B.-Warren Bennet, 5, Corbin Baker, Emily Bar-ber, Miss Broomsey, Nath. Becraft, W. T. Bladen, Richard Biddle, J. F. Brownley. C.-George Cole-man, 2, Chas. F. Cosser. D.-Pat. Devlin, Michael Derry, John Dysert, Mrs. Sophia Derry. E.-Thos. Earnshaw, Tobitha Everhart. G.-Jacob Grove, 2, John Grove, Michael Gallaher. H.-Mrs. Jane Hur-tle, Rebecca Hunter, Geo. Holden, L. P. Hartman, David Henn, David Hess, Sarah Horner. J.-T. J. Jackson, K.-Mrs. Ann Kitzmiller. Chas. Kidwiler.

 NOTICE

 HAVE, within the past ion weeks, taken particular pains to have every open account on my books made off and presented to the persons to whom they books indebted to me, on any account, to settle their books indebted to me, on any account, to settle their books indebted to me, on any account, to settle their books indebted to me, on any account, to settle their books indebted to me, on any account, to settle their books in the principal object of this notice is to remind they will confer on me a favor, if they will call and pay on or before the 15th of the next month. After with such way as will best suit my business transactions.

 Marpers-Ferry, January 31, 1854.

 MEMORANDUM : I will sell my STOCK OF GOODS, other in whole or part, which consists of almost every article kept in general count y old customer an time, and my usual terms.

 To an active man, this is an excellent opportunity for investment in a mercantile adventure, where \$25000 may be sold annually at a good profit and the different the DWE to the set are and the fit of the rest.

I will rent my STORE-HOUSE, which is large and convenient, with or without the DWELLING, for one or five years, or trade the whole for land or good paper and either give or receive the difference in value. January 31, 1854. PHILIP COONS.

January 31, 1854. PHILIP COONS. TO THE PUBLIC. THE undersigned would take this method of re-turning thanks to the citizens of Jefferson and the adjoining counties for the very liberal patronage heretofore extended to them and hopes by strict at-tention to business to merit a continuance of the same. They have on hand at all times a large lot of the very best TINWARE, which they will sell as low and on as reasonable terms as any house in the Valley. All orders from merchants will meet with prompt atten-tion and be delivered free of charge. In their assort-ment they are intuluacturing the celebrated Patent Condensing Coffee Pot, which has the reputation of saving at least one-fourth of the coffee used by the ordinary pots. rdinary pots. ROOFING AND SPOUTING will be done in the

ROOFING AND SPOUTING will be done in the best manner and of the best material. LIGHTNING RODS, with silver plated points, brass connecters, glass insulaters and malable fasten-ings, put up in a durable manner and at low rates. JOB WORK, of every description, connected with the Tin and Sheet Iron Business, will be done with mentness and promptitude—in short this shall be the place for work to be done and well done, and great bargains will be given to all its patrons. Shop oppo-site Dr. Mason's, Main street. HUNT & EVANS. Charlestown, January 31, 1854.

HUNT & EVANS. Charlestown, January 31, 1854. (G-Cotton Rags, Wool, Hides, Sheep Skins, Old Copper, Brass, Pewter, Lead, Iron, Dried Fruit, Beans, Corn, Hay, Oats, Wood, Bacon and Lard, taken in exchange for ware or work.

## WINCHESTER, Va., OFFICE OF WINCHESTER & P. R. R. Co.,

OFFICE OF WINCHESTER & P. R. R. Co., JANUARY 27, 1854. H AVING seen in the last Free Press a statement, signed by Thomas H. Willis, that the proposi-tion of this Company, to pay the principal of its an-nuity, now before the Legislature, "had not been submitted to a regular meeting of the Board of Direc-tors," I certify that the same was submitted to the Board, regularly convened by order of the President —that all the members of the Board, except one who was out of the State, were regularly notified by me to attend such meeting—that a full quorum of the Board was present the meeting—that the resolution, instructing the President to make the application to the Legislature, passed unanimously—and that no in-junction of secrecy was either enjoined or even sug-gested. Winchester and Potomac Railroad Company. January 31, 1854.

January 31, 1854.

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Let all the world say what they can, For selling capitals M. ANSEL & Co. are the men. M. ANSEL & CO., EXCHANGE & LOTTERY BROKERS, HAVE to announce to the Virginia public some of their glorious luck in the sale of Prizes since the New Year. Among them we sold one to Loudoun county of \$8,000-one to Wheeling of \$12,000-one to Reckingham of \$7,500-one to Frederick of \$4,500 -one to Clarke of \$2,500-one to Frederick of \$4,500 one to Clarke of \$2,500-one to Winchester of \$2, 700-one to Harpers-Ferry of \$2,800-one to Augusta of \$3,600-one to Romney of \$1,900-besides many others too numerous to mention. Now, M. Ansel & Co. do say and that must be the truth: No Risk, no Gain, Then try us and this New Year may bring

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\$32-Halves 16-Quarters 8. SMALL FRY! SMALL FRY!!

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\$1.325,830.

Will be drawn on Saturday, February 25, 1554. capital prize of \$65,000-1 of 45,000-1 of 30,000-1 of 25,000-1 of 15,000-6 of 2,500-25 of 1,250.

THE GREAT MAMMOTH LOTTERY.

15,000

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS In the Hills & Harpers-Ferry THE Annual Meeting of the Stockholders in the above named Company will be held in the town of Harpers-Ferry, on Saturday, the 25th of February, at o'clock P. M., at the Toll House of the Shenandoah Bridge Company. By order, Harpers-Ferry, Jan. 10, 1854. P. COONS, Prest. THE Annual Me

TEACHER WANTED. COMPETENT TEACHER is wanted in District No. 7. Apply to January 10, 1554. Compussioner. DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE business heretofore existing between T. C. SIGAFOOSE and F. J. HARLEY, under the firm of SIGAFOOSE & HARLEY, was dissolved on the lst

January, 1854. T. C. SIGAFOOSE having bought the entire inte-rest of F. J. Harley in bond, note, account, &c., is alone authorized to settle the business and use the name of the firm in liquidation. T. C. SIGAFOOSE, Jan. 24, 1854. Jan. 24, 1854. J. HARLEY. 03°T. C. SIGAFOOSE will continue the business in his own name and on his own account.

ia his own name and on his own account. NEW BOOKS, NEW BOOKS. THE GAZETTEER OF THE UNITED STATES, Cdited by T. Baldwin and J. Thomas, M. D.-This work embraces the population, agricultural pro-ductions, commerce, & d., of the different States in the Union. Also, the different towns and post offices, and is justly considered one of the most valuable books ever published in this country. Hagerstown Almanacs. Thirty Years with the Indians, by Schoolcraft. Sparks' Abridged Life of Washington For sale by L. M. SMITH. Charlestown, Jan. 24, 1854.

Charlestown, Jan. 24, 1854. TO THE PUBLIC. H AVING obtained a patent for my "Compost or Guuno Attachment," which has been heretofore the subject of newspaper controversy, I shall now proceed, with as little delay as possible, to make ar-rangements for vending the right to use my inven-tion, and for having WHEAT DRILLS constructed by connected. In my absence, persons wishing to purchase the right or the machines ready made, can apply to my son, Archie Nelson, living near Summit Point, Jefferson county, Virginia. Jan. 17, 1354–3t THOS. F. NELSON.

A CARD. IN consequence of the advance in Servants' hire, breadstuffs and other produce, it becomes actual-ly necessary that we the undersigned should increase the charges heretofore made at our Hotels in Charlesown.

Therefore, from and after the 1st day of Januar, next, our terms for boarding without lodging will be increased from \$10 to \$12 per month. Boarders with rooms, lodging, &c., will be charged \$15 per month, instead of \$12,50 as heretofore. G. W. SAPPINGTON, ISAAC N. CARTER.

December 27, 1853.

Dr. GEO. H. COOKE OFFERS his professional services to the Citizens of Chalestown and its vicinity. He will be found at I. N. Carter's Hotel, or at his ffice one door East of it. November 1-1f

SURGICAL AND MECHANICAL

SURGICAL AND MECHANICAL DENTIST. THE undersigned tenders his thanks to the Citi-izens of Harper's Ferry and Bolivar, for their liheral patronage, during the time he has been with them. And having permanently located himself in West Bolivar, would respectfully solicit a liberal share of the patronage of that place, and the surround-ing Community. Those desiring teeth extracted—artificial teeth in-serted—either on pivots or gold plates, can have it done in the most modern and scientific manner. J. S. AULABAUGH. Sent. 20, 1853.

Sept. 20, 1853. NOTICE TO FARMERS. NOTICE TO FARMERS. THE subscriber is now largely engaged in manu-facturing Leavitt's Patent Corn and Cob Grinder, Corn Sheller, and Corn Meal Grinder, at Messrs. Snapp & Coonts's Foundry, Winchester, Va., where all letters (post paid) will receive immediate atten-tion, addressed to the undersigued, who will also fur-nish Bills, giving full descriptions of the Mill. As this Mill was fully exhibited at the Fair of the Valley Agricultural Society, and the first premium awarded to it, further recommendation is unnecessary. Nov. 1 1852-3m R. McLAGAN.

VIRGINIA, Jeffersan County, Set. In the County Court, January Terms, 1854. Minor Hurst, administrator de bonis non, with the will annexed, of lavid Moore, deceased, the will annexed, of Havid Moore, deceased, AGAINST [Plaintiff, usan Wilson, Rachel Moore, Damiel Janney and Mary his wile, Wur. E. Frederick and Jane his wile, John Moore and Frances his wile, Elisha Moore, Win. Moore, Susan Duncan, Win. E. Campbell and Sarah his wile, Elisha Moore, Join doy, Win. Moore, Ann Miore, Perry Moore, Geo. Moore James Moore, Win. J. Blackford, Thomas Osbourn and Abigait his wife, Eliza Blackford, Viceinai Blackford, Ann

Perry Moore, Geo. Moorel James Moorel Vin. 5 J. Blackford, Thomas Osbourn and Abigailfhis wife, Eliza Blackford, Virginia Blackford, Ann J. Blackford, John C. Blackford, James Burr, Elizabeth Y. Moore, and Jorathan Watkins and Nancy his wife, *Defendents*. The beject of this suit is to enable the Plaintiff to ment of the Estate of the Testator. It appearing by satisfactury evidence that the de-fendants, Susan Wilson, Ruchel Moore, Daniel Jan-ney and Mary his wife, Win. Atchison and Nancy his wife, Wm. E. Frederick and Jane his wife, John Moore and Frances his wife, Elisha Moore, Wil-lian Moore, Susan Duncar, Wm. E. Chapbell and Sarah his wife, John Jov, Ann Moore, Perry Moore, George Moore, James Moore and Jonathan Watkins and Nancy his wife, are not residents of this State, they are hereby required to appear within one month after due publication of this notice, and do what is ne-cessary to protect their interests, and it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published for four successive weeks in some newspaper published in this county, and posted at the front door of the Court-House of this county, on the first day of the next term of this Court. A Copy-Teste:

A Copy-Teste: T. A. MOORE, Clerk. January 24, 1954-4w. [Lucas, P. 9

[LUCAS, P. Q.

MR. BELLER: In the "Spirit" of the present Week, appeared a "notice" signed "one of the Profession," and purporting to "call a meeting of the Medical Faculty of Jefferson county," to cast obloquy upon the court for its inhumanity in sentenc-ing the negro (now in imprisonment) five hundred lashes as a punishment for the crime which he com-mitted and to disconting and Physician wing

ing the negro (now in imprisonment) five hundred lashes as a punishment for the crime which he com-mitted, and to disconnterance any Physician who would in obedience to the Law direct the infliction of the said punishment. I will not deign to comment farther upon the con-temptible incendees contained in the "Notice," as I attribute them to that overweening conceit and mor-bid sensibility so common to Physicians : but as my name has been used in contexion with the matter, and as the missile was intended to reflect upon in position, I deem it expedient to append an explana-tion in order to save the captious gentleman future brouble and mental disquietude. Not long since the Commonwealth's Attorney solicited me to act as Phy-sician to the jail, mentioning at the time the "diffi-culty in getting a Physician to act for the Court, and as Physician to the joil," in reply I remarked " that if it would be an accommodation to the Court and in the event a Physician could not be procured in Charlestown, I would act in that capacity, although it would be subjecting me to very great inconve-mience, and interfore very much with my practice." Nothing but the profound respect which I entertain for the wisdom and dignity of the Court, would have induced me to have made the sacrifice, and as a resi-dent of the county I deem it my duty to theerfully countenance as far as it is in my power the adminiscountenance as far as it is in my power the adminis-tration of law. Not having seen the negro I can say nothing relative to the practicability of the punish-ment. J. B. JOHNSON, M. D.

A. F. BRENGLE, Flour and Commission Merchant, NEAR THE RAIL-ROAD DEPOT,

FREDERICK CITY, MD. LSO keeps on hand at all times, fresh burnt LIME, which can be furnished at any of the Deputs of the Baltimore and Ohio or Winchester and Potomac Rail-roads at the shortest notice, by addressing as above. [December 6, 1953-1y

Harpers-Ferry, Jan. 24, 1854.

NEW STORE AT KABLETOWN. HAVING purchased the stock of Goods belonging to Franklin Osburne at Kabletown, the under signed respectfully announces that he is now opening and receiving a general stock of DRY GOODS, GRO-CERIES, HARDWARE, &c., which he offers at the CERIES, HARDWARE, &C, which he ohers at the very lowest figure for cash, or on a limited credit to punctual dealers. It is his purpose to replenish his stock at least four times a year, which will enable him to furnish the public at all seasons with Goods fresh from the market. The stock of Goods purchased from Coherent painted to any here and so free public at all seasons with Goods fresh from the market. The stock of Goods purchased from Coherent painted to any here and so free public at all seasons with Goods fresh from the market. The stock of Goods purchased from

## AUCTION SALE

NOTICE. ON THESDAY, the ith day of February shalf offer for sale, at public surtions of (the reside Esq.,) the following PROPERTY : F Colts, 30 Stock He.s. s. viral Cows, Machine, and a few other avides in mention.

mention. Trans : A credit of six months will be sums of five dollars and over, under that, bonds with approven a curity will A even be required. January 24, 1851.

FURTHER SALE OF AVAILABLE FARM FUBLIC SALE OF AVAILABLE FARM In Clarke County, Virginia. HAVING bought a Farm near Berryville, I will, on MONDAY, the 13th cay of February neat, self the FARM on which I how RV. five miles north-west of Barryville, and five miles southwest of Sum-mit Paint, on the Winchester and Fotomer Ridlroad, containing 312 ACRES of Limestone Land, with two I DWELLINGS, and a very good Barn, Sta-Hill, Out-Buildings. His civated interventields all of which open to lasting ponds of water. There in grass, and all in a good state of cultivation. Adain portion is in Timber, and one-fourth of the functions is

in grass, and all in a good state of cultivation. As portion is in Timber, and one-fourth of the functions atome. It is suitable for dividing into two farms. TERMS: \$2,500 in hand; the balance in eight equivalence in the deferred payments to b: paid summally. A do of trust will be required to source the deferred payments. NEILL BARNETT January 24, 1854. [O-it is probable shout \$4,000 of the purchase a new may be retained during the life-time of two in viduals. N. B

videals. N. R. PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE In the County of Berkeley. I pursuance of a decree of the Unruit Court of Berkeley county, rendered on the day of Octo-ber, 1853, in a case therein depending, in which Ja-cob Miller is complainant and John Eck defendant, I will offer at public auction, before the Court House done in Martinsburg, ON MONDAY, the lath cory of February, 1854, the TRACT OF LAND, near Gar-ardstown, in Berkeley county, formerly beionging, at different times, to John Shull, Philip Furgeraid Land Jacob Miller, and containing 137 Acres, first, 3 Rools, and 9 Poles of Land. The improve-tion martinsburg. Barn, Shop, and other out-buildings. Terms-One-slind cash, and the balance in one and two years with interest from the day of sole. The de-ferred payments to be secured by a lient upon the land. ferred payments to be secured by a lien upon the land CHAS. JAS. FAULKNER. January 10, 1354-ts

PUBLIC SALE. PUBLIC SALE. I WILL offer for sile, at the late residence of James Griggs, deceased, one mile west of Summit Polat, on THURSDAY, 16th of February, 1534, the follow-Sing Property: WORK HORSES, COLTS, MILCH COWS, STOCK CATTILE, HOGS, SHEEP, (princi-pally Ewes, that have hern with Bucks.) of the South-down and Cotswold breed. FAUMING UTENSILS. down and Cotswold breed. FALMING UTENSILS. Consisting of Ploughs, Harrows, OX Cart. Wheat Fan, and other acticles. Also, eight inmatrice bushels of WHEAT, rently for delivery. Also, farty acres of Wheat in the ground, lying in Clarke cot my, on the farm joining the lands of Archibaid Bowen and W. G. Hardesty. Of will offer for Rent, on the same day, to the highest bidder, the tract of land in Clarke county, now in the possession of John Vaneleve. Terms of Sole. The wheat in the barn will be sold for cash, in advance: the purchaser will pay about the

for cash, in advance; the purchaser will pay about the value of it, before any is delivered. The wheat in the

value of it, before any is derivered. The whest in the ground, stock, farming utensils, will be sold on a cre-uit of nine months, the purchaser giving bond with approved security. All sums of S10 and under, each. No property to be removed until the terms of side are complied with. JAMES LEE GRIGGS,

Agent for FRANCES H. GRIGGS. January 31, 1954. W. H. GRIGGS, Auctioneer.

SALE OF LAND. SALE OF LAND. UNDER the authority given to me as Trustee, I will offer for sale before the door of the Court Hause in Jefferson County, 27 Acres, I Rood, II-9 Poles of LAND, a joining the lands of Miller, Mel-vin and other, and Sie track of the Baltimmre & Ohio Railroad, and near Duffield's Depot. The Land is not inversed by buildings bette of very sumerior

quality, equal to any located on Elk Branch. The sale will take place on Friday the 17th day of February next, at 12 o'clock.

PRIVATE SALE. THE undersigned offers at private sale, the TRACT OF LAND, near Lectown, in Jefferson county,

occupied by Mr. Trussell, and adjoining the above Tract and the lands of John C. Wiltshire, Thomas Hite and others. Of this Tract 55<sub>7</sub> acres are also in first-rate TIMBER, equal to any in the county. The

first-rate TIMBER, equal to any in the county. The improvements consist of a confortable two-story Log Dwelling House. The above Lands are linestone of fine quality, well situated in a healthy part of the County, and in an ex-cellent neighborhood—and convenient to Charlestown, the county seat of Jefferson, to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, &c. Terms of Sele nucle known by personal application to the undersigned at his residence near Kerneysville, in said county, or by letter (post-paid) addressed to him at said place. JAMES V. MOORE, July 26, 1853.

CLARKE FARM FOR SALE,

THE undersigned proposes to sell one half, or the whole of a most valuable TRACT OF LAND in Clarke county, known as the Pond Quarter, contain-ing SIX HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FOUR ACRES.

It is situated near Berryville, and adjoins the lanes of Col. Jacob Isler, Thos. Gould, Thomas Jackson and others. The quality of the tillable land is very supe-rior, and there are over 200 ACRES of best quality WOODLAND. The improvements are comfortable, and the Farm is well adapted for division, as there are Series compiler water and incompany the pote di-

Springs, running water, and improvements upon ci-

Terms made known upon application to the under-signed near Kubletown, Jefferson county. Nov. 8, 1853-3m GEORGE L. HARRIS.

JEFFERSON LAND FOR SALE.

I WISH to sell two small Farms of good Linestone I Land—one containing 150 A cres, with good Buildings, Orchard, & c., adjoining the Lands of John Lock, Fisher A. Lewis and the hers of Daniel McPherson, dec'd—about 40 Acres in Timber. Theotheron the Shenandoal river, containing 123 Acres of first-rate Land, with 30 Acres in Tiwaza.

Acres of first-rate Land, with ad Acces in Franka. a DWELLING HOUSE on the same, and adjoining the lands of George L. Harris and Dr. John H. Lewis' heirs. For terms, &c., which will be made casy, ap-ply to the undersigned at Myerstown, or by letter (post paid) to Kabletown, Jefferson county, Va. Jan. 25, 1853. JOSEPH MYERS.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE. TAND LOT, the Lot contains eight Across of Land, not excelled by airy in the county. situated on the road leading from Myerstown to the farm of H. L. Opie, and adjoins the hands of W m. H. Norris and Fisher A. Lewis. The House is a frame, two stories high, with excellent out buildings, all new, with a well of water in the yard, and a very fine young Orchard of choice fruit on the premises. The terms will be made accommodating: FREDERICK NUNN,

January 10, 1854-91\* FREDERICK NUNN,

NORWOOD FOR SALE.

How often could the ravages of this arch destroyer be prevented, if timely remedies were used in allaying the inflammation produced by an ordinary cold. – For Coughs, Colds, Sore Threats, and all similar dis-rases, STABLER'S ANODYNE CHERRY EXPEC-TORANT has no equal. It is not recommended as infallible, but medical men and others, who have used and administered it, bear testimony to its extraordinary efficacy. It is known to be a " good medicine. end as such is offered to the public, as also STA-BLER'S DIARRHEA CORDIAL, for diseases of the bowels. See advertisement in another column, and descriptive pamphlets, to be had gratis. Price of each, only 50 cents, or six bottles for \$2.56, February 7, 1854.

G-Henry's Invigorating Cordial.-The erits of this purely vegetable extract for the remo val and cure of physical prostration, genital debility, nervous affections, &c. &c. are fully described in an-other column of this paper, to which the reader is referred. \$2 per bottle, 3 bottles for \$5, 6 bottles for \$5; \$16 per dozen. — Observe the marks of the GENUINE.

Prepared only by S. E. COHEN, No. 3 Franklin Row, Vine Street, below Eighth, Philadelphia, Pa., TO WHOM ALL ORDERS MUST BE ADDRESS-ED.

For Sale by all respectable Druggists & Merchants throughout the country.

(3-Bank Notes for sale, -We have just printed, and have on hand and for sale, a large as-sertment of Negatidile and Prominisary Notes, Blank Cherks, Hiring Bonds, and a general assort-ment of Lawyer's. Constable's, and Sheriff's Blanks, as well as Deeds of Bargain and Sale, Deeds of Trust. &c., all executed in the best style and on the best studied of paper.

quality of paper. JOB WORK, of all description, executed at the shortest notice, and in the best manner. Having a large and varied assortment of type, we are prepar-el to execute Paun bilists, Constitution and By-Laws for any of the Orders, in the bast style, and on the must reasonable torms.

From those in want, we invite a call. January 10, 1554.

67-Wanted. - Wood er Corn, a few hun-dred weight of P. ek, and Country Produce generally, will be received in payment of dues to January 10, 1854. THIS OFFICE.

By-Kassuth, according to reports, is preparing for a revolutionary attempt in Europe as soon as the proper time may arrive. We may then look for a revival of the Kossuth Hats and other revolutionary fashions. But we have no doubt the Phila-delphia public, no matter what may be the changes in dress, will still continue to provide themselves with CLOTHING from ROCKHILL & WILSON'S Oheap and Elegant Clothing Store, No. 111 Chesnut street, corner of Franklin Place. December 27, 1853-2m

"V. B. PALMER, the American News-paper Agent, is the authorized Agent for this paper in the cities of B ston, New York, and Philadelphia, and is duly empowered to take advertiseucous and sub-scriptions at the rates as required by ag. His receipts will be regarded as payments. His offices are: Bos-row, Scollay's Building; New York, Tribune Build-ings; Patta DELPHIA, N. W. corner Third and Chest-nut streets."

63-Obituary notices, exceeding six lines a length, are only inserted as Advertisements.

#### JEFFERSON COUNTY.

SHERIFFALTY NOMINATIONS.

O-We are authorized to announce Henry Tim-beriake as a caudidate for the uext Sheriffalty of Jefferson county, [Nov'r 22, 1853.

We are authorized to ann W. Sappington as a caudid	ounce, Capt. George late for the next Sher-
iffalty of Jefferson county.	[Nov. 22, 1853,
OF-Weare requested to annou	nceJno. W. Moore,

present Sheriff, as a caudidate for the next Sheriff alty of Jefferson county, [Nov'r 29, 1853.

Co-We are authorized to announce John Avis, r., Esq., as a candidate for the next Sherifialty of efferson eccanty, [ber'r 6, 1853.

A CARD,... To the Voters of the Jefferson County: Bells ViNG myself to be well qualified to discharge all the surfaces of Sheriff, I have yielded to the ear-nest solicitation of many of my friends to become a candidate for the next Sheriffalty, and flatter myself with the hope that my intimate acquaintance with the voters of Sefferson county, will ensure my election. Nor's 22, 1953 G. W. SAPPINGTON.

#### CONSTABLES.

**R5-1** after myself as a candidate for the office of onstable for the sth election District of Jefferson ounty. Should my friends elect me, I promise to isomarge the duties of the office with fidelity and to be best of any ability. J. W. McGINNIS.

G-We are authorized to announce CHARLES G. BRAGG, as a candidate for Constable, in District No. 4, at the pext election. [Dec. 27, 1853,

ranging from \$3 25 to \$4 621 on the hoof, equal to Jackson. K-Mrs. Ann Kitzmiller, Chas. Kidwiler, S6 50a \$9 net, and averaging \$4 gross.
Live Hogs.—Sales at \$6a \$6 50 per 100 lbs.
COFFEE.—The sales of the week comprise 6000
bags Rio at 11 a11 [c for common to prime qualities.
The imports this week are 8,701 bags from Rio de Janeiro.

The imports this week are 0, for bags from 1.00 de Janeiro. FLOUR.—On Saturday there were sales early in the day of 1600 bbls. at \$9.25, and subsequently 400 bbls. were sold at \$9, and 1500 bbls. for delivery in March, at \$3.50. On Monday we note sales of 500 bbls. for delivery in all February, at the buyer's op-tion, at \$9; 200 bbls, for immediate delivery, also at \$9; 4500 bbls. partly for immediate and partly for future delivery at \$5.75; and 500 bbls. for immediate delivery at \$5.62; On Tuesday the Asia arrived, and a further decline took place in prices. We note sales previous to the receipt of the news of 300 bbls. at \$5,75, and 1000 bbls, at \$8,50. After the receipt of the news, sales were made of 1300 bbls. at \$8,50, and 1000 bbls. at \$8,25. On Wednesday we note sales of 3200 bbls. at \$8,25, and of 2000 bbls. at \$8,50; 3200 bbls. at  $\$3.7\frac{1}{2}$ ; and 500 bbls, for delivery in  $\$3.7\frac{1}{2}$ . This morning there were sales of 400 bbls. at \$8,50; belt very to be on time. On "change, subsequently,

This morning there were sales of 400 bbls. at \$5,50 b-lb ved to be on time. On 'change, subsequently, 4709 bbls were sold at \$5,375. CORN MEAL.—Baltimore ground \$4 50 per bbl. The following are the inspections of Flour for the week ending February 2: 22,153 bbls and — half bbls. Together with 222 bbls Ryc Flour, and 20 hhds, and \$3 bbls. Corn Meal. WHEAT.—The receipts at market this week have been larger than for a week or two past, the total of-ferings for the week being about 40,000 bushels. We quote this morning fair to prime reds at 190a195c., and fair to prime white at 195a205c. CORN.—Sales this morning of white at 90 cts. and yellow \$5 cts.

CLOVERSEED .- Sales at \$675 per bushel for strictly prime lots, and several hundred bushels have

strictly brine lots, and several induced busicle nave changed hands at that figure. WOOL.—Fine fleece 35a43 cts; tubwashed 35a37 cts; pulled 29a32 cts; and unwashed 23a25 cts. WHISKEY.—The market opened this week with sales of barrels at 35a35 cts., but within a day or two the highest figure we have heard named is 35 cents.

### BALTIMORE MARKET-SATURDAY.

FLOUR AND MEAL.-There were sales early this morning of 1000 bbls H ward street Flour at 8.37½ dealers generally asked 8,50 per bbl. The arrival of the steamer Arabir, at Halifax, was announced be-tween 1 and 2 o'clock, which tended to check operations Sales were made, however, of about 3.000 bbls at \$8, 50 per bbl. Sales also of 1000 bbls City Mills at the same price. After the news became public, showing an advance of 9d. to 1s. holders were firmer and ask ing a further advance, though we are not advised of any sales. We quote Rye Flour \$5,56; Corn Meal-Country 4 a \$4,25, and city do. held at 4,50, per bbl GRAIN AND SEEDS.—The supply of Grain is moderate. About 5,000 bushels Wheat offered and sales at 1,95 for red to 2 a \$2.02 per bushel for good to prime white. Inferior lots 2 to 15 cents less. Corn—steady. About 11,500 bushels offered and mostly sold at 86 a 88 cents for yellow to 88 a 90 cents per bushel for white. Rye scarce none offered. Oats—Nothing doing. We could perform a pomoral at 50 a 52

doing. We quote Pennsylvania nominal at 50 a 52 cents, Maryland 48 a 50 cents per bushel. Cloverseed \$6,75; and Flaxseed \$1,35 per bush.

Rocks Mills.

Hinges of every description and of different prices. February 7, 1854. T. RAWLINS. MEDICAL LIQUORS.—I have a few more Medical Liquors.—I have a few more and Madeira Wine, Punch, Extract, Schiedam Scnapps, Pale, Dark, Lavender and Raspberry Bran-dy, which I will sell low in order to close out my stock, to make room for other articles. February 7, 1854. THOMAS RAWLINS. COFFEE. A superior article of Java and Rio Coffee, which is equal in price and superior in quality to any that is offered in town, for sale at the Market-House. [Feb. 7.] T. RAWLINS, CARRIAGE BOLTS.-Just received a large lot of Carriage Bolts,  $\frac{1}{2}$  by 2 inches to  $\frac{3}{2}$  by 4 $\frac{1}{4}$  in-ches long. I also have on hand two first-rate Cook Stoves, which I will sell at cost to get them out of my way. [Feb. 7.] T. RAWLINS. 5000 LBS. LARD; 2,000 LBS. Country Soap, 5,000 lbs. Rags. The highest-prices will be paid in goods. February 7, 1854. JERE. HARRIS. **WANTED. A** YOUNG MAN of moral and industrious habits A and who is capable of taking charge of a set of books. None need apply who cannot give satisfac-tory reference. T.C. SIGAFOOSE. Iory reference. T. C. SIGAFOOSE. Also, wanted a BOY, from 12 to 15 years of age. January 31, 1854. COAL, COAL.-FOR SALE AT THE CHARLESTOWN DEPOT. January 10, 1854. E. M. AISQUITH. CIGARS, CIGARS.—The subscriber received again of those much admired Havana Cigars, at 4 cents, or 37 cents a dozen. Also, Jenny Linds at 314 cents a dozen, and a very pleasant half-Spanish Cigar at 12 cents a dozen. By the box chcaper yet, January 31, 1854. ISAAC ROSE. KNIVES.--I have received another lot of Ivory-handle Knives. Also, Plated Forks; table, de-sert and Tenspoons, for sale low, by. January 24. T. RAWLINS. 1 00 a 1 

Gain, Then try us and this New Year may bring you a real good prize. The following Lotteries will be drawn during the month of February : Date, Capitals, Tickets, Package. Jackson, K.-Mrs, Ann Kitzmiller, Chas, Kidwiler, Jackson, K.-Mrs, Ann Kitzmiller, Chas, Kidwiler, Jno. Knode. L.-B. C. Loman, J. W. Latta, M.-Wm Malony, N. W. Manning, 2, Ruth McGal-druck, Henry Morg, Jos. Melvin, Miss Ann C. Mon-roe, Emily A. Mason, N.-John W. Nichols. O.-Jno. O'Meara. P.-John Park, 2, John Prince, John Piered. R.-Cath. E. Rohr, Lizzy Regan, Jn. Rich-ardson, Benj Rodman, Mary Scot, Jno. Steadman, W. S. Stewart, Laura M. Shawen, George, Swope, Elizabeth Smith, Roascanna Shrodes, Jno. Stephens, Mary Strippy, Wm. Streaks, Miss F. L. Smith. T --Henry Townley. W.-Hannah Webster, Eliza-beth Well, Miss Martha Zorger. Febi 7, 1854.-47 T. A. HARRINGTON, P. M. TO BUILDERS. 10 11

TO BUILDERS. DROPOSALS for the erection of an addition to the

P present Jail, in Charlestown, will be received until the 25th of February, instant. The addition will be of bricks, showing a front of sixty-eight feet, will be of bricks, showing a front of sixty-eight feet, and twelve deep, three stories—the basement to be of stone. There will be required seven new iron doors and eight new iron windows. Separate bids will be required for each skind of work, such as masonry, joiners' work, iron work, and plastering. Under-takers will be required to give good security for the faithful performance of the work. For plan, specifications and particulars, apply to Col. BRAXTON DAVENPORT, or H. KEVES, Charles-town, Jefferson county, Va.

town, Jefferson county, Va. BUILDING COMMITTEE. February 7, 1854 .- td -

SITUATION WANTED. THE engagement of the Assistant in the Charles-town Academy has expired, and he desires to procure a SITUATION as Principal of an Academy or as private Instructor. Besides the ordinary Eng-lish branches, he is prepared to give tuition in the lish branches, he is prepared to give tuition in the Latin, Greek, French and German Languages. The best testimonials given. C. E. FAHNESTOCK.

Feb. 7, 1854. Charlestown, Jefferson co., Va. CHARLESTOWN ACADEMY.

THE Friends and Patrons of the Charlestown Academy are hereby informed that from this date, the post of Associate Teacher in the Academy, will be filled by Mr. JOSTAH RYLAND, a graduate of a Virginia Institution, who has had several years experience in teaching, and brings the highest testino nials of scholarship and of moral worth.

February 7, 1854. P. H. POWERS, Principal SCHOOL NOTICE. MEETING of the School Commissioners of the County will be held at the Court-House, on Sa-turday, the 18th of this month, at 11 o'clock, A. ar.

WM. C. WORTHINGTON, February 7, 1854. [F. P.] Clerk. NOTICE.

Dissolution of COPARTNERSHIP The Copartnership heretofore existing between JOHN T. RIELEY and A. G. McDANIEL was dissolved on the 6th instant by mutual consent. The business of the firm will be settled by JOHN T RIELEY. JOHN T. RIELEY, A. G. MCDANIEL.

Harpers-Ferry, February 7, 1854. THE BOOT & SHOE BUSINESS.

THE BOOT & SHOE BUSINESS. in all its various branches, will be continued at the OLD STAND by the undersigned, where he will be glad to see all their old cus tomers with as many new ones as may be pleased to call. JOHN T. RIELEY.

Harpers-Ferry, February 7, 1854.

10 PIECES 4-4 Osnaburgs; do: 7-8 do Torvills, for Servants' heavy Twills, for Servants' pants;

10 do Penitentiary Plaid; Brown and bleached Sheeting and Shirting; Patent Thread, Knitting Cotton; 10 pieces Nankin. Just received and for sale by February 7, 1854. T. C. SIG AFOOSE. A T COST.—I will commence this morning close. A ing out my entire STOCK OF LADIES .DRESS GOODS, at strictly prime cost. Those wishing bar-

gains will please give me an early call. February 7, 1554. T. C. SIGAFOOSE. PURE CIDER VINEGAR, in store and for sale by [Feb 7] T. C. SIGAFOOSE.

WANTED.—All kinds of COUNTRY PRO-DUCE will be taken in exchange for Goods. February 7, 1554. T. C. SIGAFOOSE. A VERY fine lot of STOCK HOGS for sale at

JOHN H. B. LEWIS. February 7, 1854.

Weakness of the System, and Premature Decay.-Many of you may now be suffering, misled as to the cause or source of disease. To those, then, who by excess have brought on themselves Premature Impo-tency. Involuntary Seminal Emissions, Weakness and Shrivelling of the Genital Organs, Nervous Af-fection, or any other consequences of unrestrained indulgence of the sensual passions, occasioning the necessity of renouncing the felicities of MARRIAGE, lessening both mental and bodily canacity. Hold ! lessening both mental and bodily capacity, Hold !

two, to bloom and to vigor. YOUNG MEN.

HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY, HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT.

Nov. 1, 1853-3m

Incorporated 1810 .-- Charter Perpetual. Capital \$150,000, with power of increasing it to \$250,000. PUBLIC Buildings, Manufactories, Mills, Machine-ry, Dwelling Houses, Stores, Mcrchandise, House-hold Furniture, Vessels on the stocks or while in port,

&c., will be insured at rates as low as the risk wil

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admit. Applications for Insurance may be made of B. W. HERBERT, In the absence of the Agent from Charlestown, to J. P. BROWN, Esq., who will attend to them promptly. Persons at a distance address through the mail. N. B. On all Church Buildings and Clergymen's personal property the Agent will present his commis-sions in reducing the amount of premiums on the risks thus arising.

R. McLAGAN

thus arising. January 2, 1854-1y

A BARGAIN WILL BE GIVEN ON ACCOMMODATING TERMS. A ON ACCOMMODATING TERMS. I will will sell my STOCK OF GOODS, (and rent my store-house,) which consists of almost every kind of Merchandise usually kept in a country stores. I will reduce the Stock to \$6,000 to suit purchaser if required, and will give possession on the 1st day of April next. PHILIP COONS. N. B. It will be to the interest of any one wishing to make a rely application. P. C. The Great Mammoth Luttery and the most Bril-iant Scheme that has been drawn for several years o purchase to make early application. P Harpers-Ferry, Jan. 10, 1854—tf [F. P.]

TO MY FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS. On the first day of January, 1854, the partnership of HARRIS & RIDENOUR heretofore existing 75 Numbers and 16 drawn Ballots. Whole Tickets \$20—shares in proportion. Package of Whole Tickets \$230—Halves \$115, &c. expired and I became the purchaser of the stock of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, &c., where I design to

G-Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday will be drawn the Patapsco Lottery-Capital prizes \$12,000, \$10,000, \$9,000, \$5,000, \$6,700, \$5,000, 20 of \$1,000. Tickets \$2.50-packages of Wholes DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, &C., where I design to continue the business in all its variety. I shall at all times be found at my place of business, ready and willing to accommodate all who may favor me with a call to the best of my ability, I will make an effort to keep the best of every description of goods to had in the markets of Philadelphia and Baltimore, and will be disposed to sell them at the lowest prices for cash, or on usual time to good men. JERE. HARRIS. 0°-1 want 1.000 lbs. Country Soan. Also, Beans. SMALL FRY ! SMALL FRY !: The Small Fry Lotterics are drawn Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays. Capital prize \$5,000, \$4,000, \$5,000, \$2,000. Tickets \$1-Package of Wholes \$15, Halves \$7.50, Quarters \$3.75. (J-All orders strictly confidential, and the official printed drawing, certified by the State Commissioner, will be sent to those who order tickets, with a full ex-planation of their result.

JERE. HARRIS. JERE. HARRIS. Dried Apples and Rags. January 17, 1854.

NOTICE. MEETING of the Medical Faculty of Jefferson County is requested to be held at Carter's Hotel, in Charlestown, on MONDAY, 20th day of February, planation of their result. (G-We receive Notes of all Solvent Banks at par, or Checks, or Checks of Deposit, and we pay all prizes at sight in Gold or Baltimore notes, or check on any Bank in the United States. in Charlestown, on MONDAY, 20th day of February, (Court-day of next month) to take into consideration and adopt such measures as are required to protect its interest and dignity, against impositions within more than without the Profession; and more especially to exclude by resolution or otherwise, such as descend tolow offices, already pronounced upon by every Phy-sician of respectability, to whom such Court favors have been tendered. AGA Package can draw the four highest Prizes. For a good prize and prompt payment, address the old Prize Sellers, M. ANSEL & CO., Box 368, Post Office, Baltimore, Md. January 31, 1854.

HENRY'S INVIGORATING CORDIAL. Purely Vegetable in its Composition. THIS invaluable Cordial is extracted from Herbs and Jan. 17, 1854. ONE OF THE PROFESSION.

STOP THE HORSE THIEF! \$10 REWARD.—Stolen from my residence, near Rippon, Jefferson county, Virginia, on Sunday night, 15th instant, a BAY MARE, about 12 or 13 years old, with a small star in the forchead and one white foot behind. I will give the above reward for the delivery of the 1 Roots, which have been found after years of ex-perience, by the most skilful Physcians, to be pos-sessed of qualities most beneficial in the diseases for sessed of qualities most beneficial in the diseases for which it is recommended, and hence whilstit is pre-sented to the public, as an efficacious remedy, it also is known to be of that character on which reliance may be placed as to its safety. In cases of Impotency, Hoemorrhages, Disordered Sterility, Menstruation, or Suppression of the Menses, Fluor Albusor Whites, or for mare to me at McPherson's Mill, in said county, and also \$20 reward for the apprehension of the thief. Jan, 17, 1854. LEWIS W. MoPHERSON.

STRAYED OR STOLEN arising from any cause, such as weakness from sick-FROM the Flowing Springs, on Monday night 9th instant, a dark bay HORSE, about ness, where the patient has been confined to bed for some time, for Females after Confinement, Abortion L' 9th instant, a dark bay HORSE, about 10 or 13 years old, no marks recollected, ex-cept some caused by the saddle. A liberal reward will be given for such information as will lead to bis recovery, and all reasonable expenses paid if delivered to Mr. Thos. J. Bragg, near the Flowing Spring Mills. J. H. HOOE. January 17, 1854-3t some time, for Females after Confinement, Abortion or Miscarriage, this Cordial caunot be excelled in its salutary effects; or in loss of Muscular Energy, Irri-tability, Physical Prostration, Schninal Weakness, Palpitation of the Heart, Incigestion, Sluggishness, Decay of the Procreative Functions, Nervounsess, &c., where a TONIC Medicine is required, it will be found equal, if not superior to any Compound ever used. TO FEMALES. Henry's Invigorating Cordial is one of the most

BOOTS AND SHOES. THE subscriber will continue the Shoe Business In the subscriber will continue the Shoe Business In the subscriber will continue the Shoe Business and children SHOES, he has a large stock of his own nanufacture, and is ready to manu-facture and that with promptness any orders, of the best material, which may offer. Mr. James McDaniel will give the business his undivided attention. Jan. 17. S. RIDENOUR. Henry's Invigorating Cordial, is one of the most invaluable Medicines in the many Complaints to which Females are subject. It assists mature to brace the whole system, check excesses, and create renew-cd health and happiness. Less suffering, disease and unhappiness among ladies would exist, were they gen-erally to adopt the use of this Cordial. Ladies who are debilitated by those obstructions which females are liable to, are restored by the use of a bottle or

NOTICE. No bills contracted on my account will be paid by me unless by my written order. January 17. S. RIDENOUR. That solitary practice, so fatal to the existence of man, and it is the young who are most apt to become its victims, from an ignorance of the danger to which they subject themselves, causes NERVOUS DEBILITY, Weakness of the System, and Premature Decay.— January 17. R and other choice brands, just received and for R. H. BROWN. January 17, 1854.

NOTICE. ALL persons having Claims against the estate of ASATUEL CAMERON, dec'd, are requested to pre-sent them to the undersigned properly authenticated for settlement, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, as it is his wish to close up the business of the estate as speedily as possi-ble. THOS. RUTHERFORD, Admir, Oct. 11, 1853. Of Saml. Cameron, dec'd. READY-MADE CLOTHING, AT REDUC-RED PRICES.—ISAAC ROSE is now selling, as the season advances, all kinds of FASHIONABLE CLOTHING, such as Overcoats, Business and Dress Coats, Pints, Vests, Stocks, Shirts and Drawers, at great reductions for cash. Those liking to get great bargains will please to call. Chastistown Lan. 10, 1852 500 PAIR Youths, Boys and Childrens Boots. in the county. Call soon before stock is broken. Oct. 4. HARRIS & RIDENOUR. Domestics .- New York Mill Shirting. Lons-Charlestown, Jan. 10, 1853.

te he intends selling at redu ed prices, A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited, promising to give entire satisfaction in return. Country produce of all kinds will be taken in ex-change for goods, and the highest price allowed, Nov. 1, 1853-tf [F. P.] A. WILSON.

TERMS-Cash. W.M. C. WORTHINGTON, Jan. 24, 1854. T. Uster Jan. 24, 1854. Truesce **CEDAR LAWN FOR SALE.** Will be sold at private sale, the Farm known by the name of Cedar Lawp, formerly the residence of John T. A. Washington, dec'd. Jying in Jefferson county, Va., about three biles 8. W. of Charlestown, on the road leading from Berryville to Lectown, and about one nile South of the Harpers-Ferry and Smith-fed turmpike, adjoining the farms of John R. Flagg. George Isler, Mrs. H. I. Alexander, Thos. B. Wash-ington, Dr. Scollay and others, containing about 245 ACRES, about 35 of which are in fine timber. The improvements consist of a hand-some three story Back of feet by 20 feet attached; a Barn, Corn-house, Milk-house, and Negro Cabins. Also, a harge orehard of choice Apples, and a young Peach Orehard recently jumproved by Shrubbery and a harge variety of hand-some Ornamental and Fruit Trees. There is a Uis-terif convenient, and a never falling well of pare, Limestone Water about 100 vards distant. The farm of addivation, and the soil of superior quality. I thas every convenience to market, being in the immeriate of addivation, and the soil of superior quality. I thas every convenience to market, being in the immeriate is nearly square. The land is in a fare state of the House desirable tracts of its size in the Yal-Ro, and within? or 8 miles of the Balto, and objecher is one of the most desirable tracts of its size in the Yal-Ro, by letter addressed to me at Charlestown, person, or by letter addressed to me at Charlestown, is one of the most desirable tracts of its size in the Yal-Ro formed as to the terms of sale by consulting me in-person, or by letter addressed to me at Charlestown, by a prover 13, 1853–15 **PRIVATE SALE**. CEDAR LAWN FOR SALE. BLACKSMITH SHOP.

BLACKSMITH SHOP. THE subscriber having permanently located him-self at the BLACKSMITH SHOP at Duffield's Depot, is now prepared to do all kinds of work in his line, at prices as moderate as any other shop in the county. He will at all times be prepared with Iron of all kinds for repairing or making Plough and other Irons used by the Farmers. I solicit a call from those in want, feeling assured that all the circum as all will wart, feeling assured

that all who give me a call will not go away dissatis-GEORGE PENSE. Duffield's Depot, April 12, 1859

NOTICE.

NOTICE. A LL persons knowing themselves indebted to the Estate of John McClelland, Sr., dec'd., by Note or: otherwise, and persons having claims against said Es-tate are requested to come forward with their accounts properly authenticated for settlement, as it is impor-tant to have the business of the dec'd settled at once. WM. SCHAEFFER, Adm'r. Dec. 20.-3t. F. P. of John McClelland, dec'd. WESTERN VIRGINIA LAND AGENCY.

WESTERN VIRGINIA LAND AGENCY. THE Subscribers are Agents for the sale of large quantities of land in that part of Western Virgin-ia, through which the Central Railroad is in process of construction. This land, considered in reference to soil, climate, mineral resources, accessibility, and the character of the population now "settling" in that part of the State, will generally commend itself on examination, as very desirable for investment and residence, at the low prices and easy terms at which it is offered for sale. Full and particular information will be formished to persona desiring to purchase by

will be furnished to persons desiring to purchase, by either HENRY L. BROOKE, Richmond city, S. S. THOMPSON, Lewisburg, Greenbrier co., P. P. DANDRIDGE, Lee-Town, Jefferson co.,

1 OF LAND, near Leenwin, in Scherson county, now in the occupancy of Mr. Eben Trussell, and con-taining 215 ACRES, 35 acres of which are in prime TiMBER. This Land is in a good state of cultivation and produces well. The improve-ments consist of a good brick two-story DW LLLING HOUSE and other convenient Out-buildings. ALSO—THE TRACT OF 139; ACRES, at present STATEMENT OF TOWN EXPENSES for the year ending May 1st, 1853. 

Dr.

" Attending to fire engine ... 20 00

Amount in Treasurer's hands October 15th, 1853, 118 72 \$1260 33 The amount of rents received from the middle story of the market house—the offices on the market house lot, and also that received from Mr. Rawlins for store

not, and also that refered from Str. Rawing for store room, gives to liquidate the debt tue for re-building the house to the Odd Fellows, which will be reduced on the 1st of January next to less than or about \$700. By order of Trusters, S. RIDENOUR. November 15, 1853

AT THE LADIES' CHEAP STORE!

JUST received, beautiful large pointed Collars, 75 ets.; second quality, 44 ets.; sweet little Collars, (worth 25 cents.) 9 ets.; heavy silk Parasols, latest

style, S1.50; 1000 cakes of Fancy Soap, three cakes for a fip ! ISAAC ROSE. Charlestown, May 17, 1853.

CASH FOR NEGROES. WANTED for the New Orleans market, men, wo-men, boys, girls and families, for which I will pay the highest cash prices. Persons having Slaves for sale, will find it to their interest to call on me before

dealing, as I will pay the highest cash prices. Ad-dress letters to me at Martinsburg, Berkeley co., Va., and they will meet with prempt attention.

October 25, 1853-3m [Martinsburg Gazette copy

NOTICE.

BOYS BOOTS.

- For 4 new pumps \$186 00
  In digging wells 277 03
  Repairs to streets, filling up & grading 231 50
  New bridges & repairs to old ones 3 41 50
- to old ones
- fitting up market house 85 32 Health regulations.... 25 00

November 15, 1853

For crossings..... 25 00 ----- 871 35

Found we a candidate for the office of Constable in bistrict No. 4. If elected, his best efforts will be given the discharge of the dutics which the office imposes. Dec. 20, 1853. MANY VOTERS.

ity-We have been requested to announce Mr. WIL-LIAM WEST, as a candidate for re-election as Con-stable in the Kabletown District, No. 1. He claims to have discharged the dutice of his office with fideli-ty to the public interest, and a conscientious discharge of the responsibilities imposed. He shall be grateful to receive again the support of the people of the District, February 7, 1854.

#### CLARKE COUNTY.

07-Mr. JNO. W. LUKE is recommended as a gen-em on well qualified to fill the office of Sheriff the en-ning term-subject, however, to the decision of a Feb. 7. MANY VOTERS OF CLARKE CO.

G-We are authorized to announce JOHN PIERCE, r., as a Candidate for the next Sheriffalty of Clarke Lounty. Frb. 7, 1854.

To the Democracy of Clarke County, Since the adoption of the New Constitution, it is ell known to you that your County is decidedly ensoratic—it is even admitted by the Whigs them-lives; but by cajoling and saying their everlasting it makes no difference in this election," our sister Coun-

it makes no difference in his election," our sister Coun-ion scarcely credit this fact. We have a Whig Asschublyman, Whig Sheriff; oth clerkships do.; anajurity of Whigs Magistrates; Whig president of the Court, & c. -every County Of-cer, save one, is Whig. Is this right? are you satisfied fellow democrats?--mang yon, " worthy and well qualified," to fill any i those offices. Then let there be a County meeting - a general ingathering of the whole democracy at bermary Court, for the purpose of nominating a gen-leman of the democratic party, to fill the office of theriff the ensuing term. MANY DEMOCRATS. Feb. 7, 1854.

MESTICS FOR SPRING .- I have ready suie my usual supplies of Domestics for so 

ALEXANDRIA MARKET. FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEB. 3, 1854. 

 FAMILY FLOUR, per bhl.
 \$9 50 a 10 00

 SUPERFINE FLOUR, per bhl.
 \$25 a 6 50

 WHEAT, (red) per bushel.
 188 a 1 92

 Do.
 (white)
 193 a 1 96

 RYE, per bushel.
 0 80 a 0 85

 CORN, (white)
 0 86 a 0 88

 Do.
 (white)

 0 ATS, per bushel.
 0 86 a 0 88

 Do.
 (yellow)

 0 ATS, per bushel.
 0 40 a 0 42

 CORN MEAL
 0 45 a 0 90

 BUTTFEH, (roll)
 0 18 a 0 20

 Do.
 (firkin)

 0 0, (firkin)
 0 16 a 0 18

 BACON, (hog round)
 0 81 a 0 09

 LARD,
 0 91 a 0 10

 CLOVERSEED
 7 50 a 7 75

 TIMOTHY SEED
 4 25 a 0 00

 PLAISTER, (retail)
 4 50 a 0 00

 GEORGETOWN MARKET. FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEB'Y. 3, 1854, 

 FLOUR, per barrel.
 \$\$\$ 50 a 0 00

 CORN, per bushel.
 0 60 a 0 85

 WHEAT, white, per bushel.
 1 55 a 1 90

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lessening both mental and bodny capacity, Hold ' Henry's Invigorating Cordial, a medicine that is purc-ly Vegetable, will aid nature to restore these impor-tant functions to a healthy state, and will prove of service to you. It possesses rare virtue, is a general remover of disease, and strongthener of the system. AS A TONIC MEDICINE,

it is unsurpassed. We do not place this Cordial on a footing with quack medicines, and, as is customary, append a long list of Recommendations, Certificates, &c., beginning with "Hear what the Preacher says," and such like ; it is not necessary, for "Henry's Invigorating Cordial," only needs a trial to prove that it will accomplish all we say.

THE GENUINE "HENRY'S INVIGORATING CORDIAL,"

is put up in Soz Pannel Bottles, and is easily recog-nized by the Manufacturer's signature on the lable of each Bottle, (to counterfeit which is fogery.) fto-Sold for \$2 per Bottle; Six for \$8; \$16 per dozen Prepared only by S. E. COHEN, No. 3 Franklin Row, Vine Street, Below Eighth, Philadelphia, Pa., TO WHOM ALL ORDERS MUST BE ADDRESS-

ED. For Sale by all respectable Druggists & Merchants throughout the country.

January 31, 1854-1y GROCERIES. NEW Crop N. O. Sugar; Java Coffee, prime; Rio do.; Tea, Green and Black; Molasses N. O., first runnings; Syrup, N. Y., extra nice; Crushed, Powdered and Loaf Sugar; Sperm Oil; Brandies, Wines and Whiskey; Vinegar best in the town; Beans and Dried Apples; Bacon, Lard, &c., &c., for sale at low prices by January 31, 1854. JERE, HARRIS.

NOTICE. THE Subscribers have a very superior Sett of Saw mill castings entirely new, together with Car-riage, Ragwheel and Saw Gate, Saw and Fender Posts, including every thing connected with the most improved Mill, which they will sell at private sale, ou very low and accommodating terms. Persons wanting to build a Mill would do well to give us a call.

January 31, 1854. ZIMMERMAN & CO.

CLOTHING, CLOTHING, -In order to make roan for \$10,000 worth of spring Goods, the absorber is now runningoff Coats, Overcoats, Part, and Vrsts at wonderful loss praces. January 31, 1854.

PARTNERSHIP.

THE undersigned, having formed a copartnership under the name of CHAS. H. SMITH & CO., in-tend continuing the Mercantile Husiness at the old stand recently occupied by Jonathan S. Smith, deceased.— They respectfully solicit the patronage of the old cua-tomers of the house, and of all who may be in search tomers of the house; and of all who may be in search of good Bargains; for we are determined to spare no pains or expense in making our STOCK or GOODS equal to any in this market in point of quality and variety, and will self them on as accommodating terms is they can be found elsewhere. CHARLES II. SMITH, Berryville, Jan. 24-4t. REBECCA A. SMITH.

Berryville, Jan. 24-44. REBECCA A. SMITH. BOOKS! BOOKS! BOOKS! COLLIER'S Shakespeare: Headley's History of the 2d War; Book of the World, illustrated; East-man's Aboriginal Port Folio; Sloan's Carpenter's Guide; Slaw's English Literature; Webster's Una-bridged Dictionary; do Roval Octavo do; Prose Wri-ters of America; Female Poets of America; School-craft's Thirty Years with the Indians; Hearts and Hones, hy Mrs. Ellis; Sparks' Lile of Washington; Pope's Works, 2 vol., fine edition; Memoirs of Mon-strelet, 2 vols.; Tytler's History, 2 vols.; Pigeon's Tra-ditions of De-coo-tah; Stearn's Noi.s on Uncle Tom's Cabin; California illustrated; Waverly in 12 vols.--a time edition bound in calf; British Poets, il-lustrated, 3 vols.; Spenser's Works. Also, a large lot of Juvenile Works, Miscellaneous Books, &c., for sale low by L. M. SMITH. Detober 25, 1853 More Clothing and More Bargains.

More Clothing and More Bargains. SAAC ROSE has received within the last ten days, another great assortment of Clothing of every de-scription. Also, Boys' Coats, Pants and Yests. He has at present the largest stock of Clothing in the county, and sells it from 10 to 25 per cent, cheaper than any body else. All those who want Clothing made well and of good materials, will please call at the cheap store, where they will find goads and prices to suit them. November 29, 1853.

PLASTER AND SALT. - 101 tons PLASTER 50 sacks SALT, for sale at the Charlestown depo January 31. E. M. AISQUITH.

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JUST RECEIVED a superior article of Chewing and Smoking Tobacco, for sale by September 6, 1853. JOHN L. HOOFF. GUN !- A very superior Double-barrel Gus (war ranted) for sale by JL HOOFF Oct 18, 1859 SHAWLS.-Some very handsome. (low prees. Oct 18 HARRIS & RIDENOUR. HIRING BONDS, NEGOTIABLE AND PROM-ISSORY NOTES, printed in the best style, and for sale at this Office, [Decir 20, 1853.]

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January 10, 1854-3t\* NORWOOD FOR SALE. INTENDING to change my location, I offer forsale my FARM, known as "Norwood," in Berkelet situated about five nules south of Martinsburg—the County Seat-is within three quarters of a nule of the Winchester and Martinsburg Turnpike Read, allo within two miles of Darkesville. It is convenient to several of the best merchant mills in the Valley, and to two Depots on the Baltimore and Ohio Railtoad.--The tract contains about 505 ACRES, of which about 200 Acress is Limestone, and the residue Slate of har black deep soil, which is considered equal to the best intestone land. Nearly one-half of this tract har which affords a large surplus for site, also an an excellent ORCHARD of graded fruit, which affords a large surplus for site, also ar, and also an abundance of water in every field. The im-provements consist of a new HOUSE, two is haschent under the whole. An excellent Back has use been completely repaired—sta-bing sufficient to accommodate filteen head of horses, also an go new frame poulity-house, Smoke-house, also an ender the whole. The excellent Acc. There is also another Dwelling House on the Farm which can be fitted up for a tenant if necessary. This tract of land can very conveniently be divided into two tracts, to suit purchasers, if desired. I invite persons wishing to purchase, weal and ex-amine the premises for themselves. (D-I will be sold on the most accommodating terms. I am at the same time authorized to sell about 400 ACRES OF LAND adjoining, one half of which is in excellent TIMBER. January 24, 1854. CHARLES S. LFE.

CORN, CORN, CORN! WANTED IMMEDIATELY 10,000 Bushel CORN, for which the highest market prior

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#### I WOULDN'T! WOULD YOU!

wouldn't give much for a girl with a bonnet That cost fifty dollars when it was new; Who sports a large muff with a hairy tail on it, That hangs down in front of it just as it grew; wouldn't give much for this female! Would you?

wouldn't give much for a female who prances, Promenading all the thoroughfare through; iving thanks to the clerks, or cles amorous glances Enough to turn her eyes all askew! wouldn't give much for this female! Would you?

## The following is a reply to the above, sent by a lady:

I WOULDN'T! WOULD YOU ? I wouldn't give much for a chap who has "gone it," "Till he's run every cent of his legacy through; Whose simpering chin has a huge goatee on it, That hangs down upon it just as it grew; I wouldn't give much for this fellow! Would you? Would you?

I wouldn't give much for a chap with a collar, That's made to stand up almost over his ears, Who wears white kid gloves that cost over a dollar, And a coat that belongs to some knight of theshears; I wouldn't give much for this fellow!

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#### COURT DAYS.

### CIRCUIT COURTS. Seventh District-Thirteenth Circuit. RICHARD PARKER, JUDGE. .....June 15, November 15. shire......April 10, September 12. tey......April 27, September 27. n......May 6, October 6. on.....May 18, October 18.

Seventh District-Fourteenth Circuit. Shenandoah ...... April 4, September 4. Page...... April 14, September 14. Hardy.......April 21, September 21. Rockingham......May 15, October 15.

QUARTERLY COURTS.

Hisrellancous. NEW AND CHEAP GOODS. NEW AND CHEAP GOODS. THE undersigned has just returned from the Ex-with a large and general assortment of Good which has been purchased as low as any Goods in the Valley of Virginia, for cash. The assortment consists in part of the following articles, viz: Super Black Clobies and Cassimeres; Super Fancy Cassinetts, at very low prices; Silk Velvets, Satins, and Fig'd. Silk Vestings; Plain Black, Changeable, Plaid, Striped and Figured Silks: Illusions, Tarltons and Sarcenets; Swiss, Plain and Figured Muslins; Cambric and Jacont do; Super Curtain Muslins, of various patterns; Ginglamas and Calicoes, all patterns and prices; Ladies Super Linen Handkerchiefs; Gents Linen and Silk do;; Colored and Black Cravats; Crape, Cashmere and Woolen Shawls, of various sizes and prices; Figured and Plain Bobinets; A large assortment of Dress Trimmings; Silk Laces and Keiners A large assortment of Dress Trimmings : Silk Laces and Fringes ; French worked Collars Ladies Kid, Silk, and Liele Thread Gloves ; Gentlemen's Kid and Silk do.; LadiesSilk,Cashmer,Lambs-woolandCottonHo. Gentlemen's do do do do do do Super White, Red and Yellow Flannels; Super White, Red and Yellow Flannels; Domestics, of every description and color; Fine 11-4 and 12-4 Twilled Blankets; Scrvants Blankets; Canton Flannels; Silk and Fancy Bonnets; A large assortiment of Fancy and Plain Ribbons; Artificial Flowers, Combs and Brushes; and al-most every article in the fancy way. China and Queensware. Among which are several handsome Tea Sets. A good assortiment of Hardware; Cuttlery, Carpon-iters Tools, &c.; Waiters, Looking Glasses and Tin Ware.

Groceries. I have a large stock of Groceries, all of which are

of the best quality. Also, a large lot of Ladies, Misses, and Children's Shoes; Silk, Kossuth and Wool Hats; Caps of every description. Those who desire to get good bargains, are respectfully invited to call soon and judge for themselves. JOHN G. WILSON. Harpers-Ferry, Oct.4, 1853.

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Perfumery of every kind; Lubin's Genuine Extract; Wright's Extracts. All of which are warranted to be of the best quality and which will be sold at reasonable rates. Charlestown, January 11, 1853.

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THISTICTIONPES. TO THE PUBLIC. From the Charlestown Tin-Ware, Stove, Roofing, Sponting, Lightning Rod, Shower-Bath and Bathing-Tab ESTABLISHMENT! THE Machinery of this Establishment is in full ope-ration and the above mentioned Wares are now rolling out with a rush. <u>TIN-WARE</u> The assortment of Tin-Ware now on hand is exten-sive, and all orders from Merchants will receive prompt attention and Wares be delivered at their places of business without extra charge. <u>STOVES</u> The Metropolitan Elevated Oven Cook Stove, for business without extra charge. <u>STOVES</u> The Metropolitan Elevated Oven Cook Stove, and will be sold with all fixtures complete, delivered, set up and warranted to operate well, for \$30, \$35 and \$40 for Nos. 3, 4 and 5. All persons in want of a good Stove, will please forward their orders and they shall have the pleasure of seeing one of the best stoves now in use, in operation in their Electers, and if the Stove does not operate satisfactorily, it will be taken away after stadys trial and no grounbling. A good selection of other patterns of Stoves kept constantly on hand, which will be sold cheap. **BOOFING AND SPOUTING** Will be done in a thorough manner, at short notice and at urices that defy connection.

which will be sold cheap. **ROOFING AND SPOUTING** Will be done in a thorough manner, at short notice and at prices that defy competition. **LIGHTNING RODS**. Tron Rods with silver-plated Points, Brass Connec-ters, Glass Insulaters and malable fastenings, will be put up in a durable manner at low prices. **SHOWER BATHS & BATHING TUBS**. During the Summer months may be found at this Establishment a good assortment of Shower Baths, Bathing Tubs, Boston-Boats, Hip-Baths, Foot-Tubs, &c., &c., which will be finished in the neatest possible style and sold at Baltimore prices. Job Work of every description, connected with the Tin and Sheet Iron business, will be done with neat-ness and promptitude—in short this Establishment shall be the Emporium for the above mentioned wares and Great Bargains will be given to all its patrons. THOS. D. PARKER. Charlestown, May 10, 1853. BG-Cotton Rags, Wool, Hides, Sheep Skins, Old Copper, Brass, Pewter, Lead, Iron, Dried Fruit, Bees-war, Beans, Corn, Hay, Oats, Wood and Bacon taken at the highest current prices in exchange for ware or at the highest current prices in exchange for ware work. T. D. P.

EFFERSON MACHINE SHOP & IRON AND BRASS FOUNDRY. D THINGS DONE AWAY AND ALL THINGS

BECOME NEW. HE subscribers respectfully call the attention of the farthing community to their very large assort-int of FARMING IMPLEMENTS, comprising ry kind of implement used by the farmer to facilitate d cheapen his operations, including our celebrated Patent Premium Thresher and Cleaner, which received the first premium over the New York Pitt Machine and several others at the Maryland State Agricultural Fair last fall; also, at the Washington County Fair, Hagerstown, Maryland, and at our Val-ley Fair, Charlestown—which for simplicity, durabili-ty, and capacity has no equal in the world. By a re-cent improvement we can make the machine clean all kinds of grain perfectly clean for market, taking out all cheat, smut, and light wheat if wished, saving al-together the use of a Wheat Fan; thus saving the far-mer two-thirds his expense over the common threaher, requiring but eight hands and from six to eight horses to threah from 200 to 400 bushels per day, perfectly clean for the mill. This has never been accomplished by any other machinist but ourselves, and all sceptic minds can have their doubts removed by trying one and if they cannot do what we have represented we tent Premium Thresher and Cleaner,

and if they cannot do what we have represented will take the machine back without charge.

Ditto Improved Cleaner ..... 175

Charlestown, February S, 1853. SHENANDOAH IRON FOUNDRY.

THIS Foundry, situated on the Winchester and Po-tomac Railroad, Is miles from Harpers-Ferry, has been rented for a term of years by the subscriber, who would respectfully inform the public that he is now prepared to do, in a style of workmanship, which can-

City Advertisements. B. HEIM. J. NICODEMUS. 6E0. P.J. HEIM, NICODEMUS & CO., GEO. P. THOMAS MECHIN, MCODENTOS & Comporters and Dealers in Foreign and Domestic Liquors, of every description. No. 333 Baltimore street, between Paca and Eulaw sts. Baltimore, April 12, 1853-tf

HENRY A. WEBE. H. A. WEBB & CO. Manufacturers and Wholesale Dealers in Tobacco, Segars, Snuff, & c., & c. N 0. 14 NORTH HOWARD STREET, NEARLY OFFOSTE the Howard House, formerly the Wheatfield Inn, Next Door to Davis & Miller's Drug Store, July 12, 1853-19. HADTINORE.

To the Millers in the Valley. MARTIN & HOBSON, FLOUR AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS; Corner of Eutaw and Baltimore Streets, Baltimore, Md., THANKFUL to their friends and the Millers in Virginia who have so liberally sustained their fouse, offer increased facilities for the prompt and nost satisfactory performance of all business commit-ed to their care. Baltimore, July 12, 1853—1y.

E. L. MATTHEWS. F. HYDE. WM. SMYTH MATTHEWS, HYDE & SMYTH,

Importers and Dealers in Foreign & Domestic HARDWA RE, CUTLERY, GUNS, SADLERY, & C. Corner of Baltimore and Liberty streets, Baltimore. Baltimore, June 21, 1853-19

GEO. J. RICHARDSON. WM. W. OVERMAN. RICHARDSON & OVERMAN, Umbrella and Parasol Manufactory No. 106, Market street, Philadelphia. January 11, 1853—tf

DICKSON & KING, Lumber Merchants, water street, George-town, D. C.; KEP constantly on hand a general assortment of Building Materials. October 12, 1852-1y

J. R. THOMPSON & CO., Merchant Tailors, PENNSYLVANIA Avenue, between 3d and 4½ sts., two doors east of the United States Hofel, desires to call the attention of their old customers, members of Congress, strangers, and the public generally, to their importation of French, English and American CLOTHS, CASSIMERES & VESTINGS, which they will make up in their usual style of elewhich they will make up in their usual style of ele-gance, and at prices as reasonable as any other esta-blishment in the District of Columbia.

February 22, 1853-tf PHCENIX MARBLE WORKS.

A. GADDESS Corner Sharp and German Streets. eptember 20, 1853–1y BALTIMOBE, M BALTIMORE, MD

NEW CHINA STORE. JOSEPH S. HASTINGS, Jr., Importer and Wholesale & Retail Dealer

in China, Glass and Queensware, 202 Baltimore street, north side, between St. Paul and Charles streets, Baltimore, DESIRES to inform the public that he has just laid in an entirely new and elegant assortment of every description of

PLAIN AND FANCY WARE,

PLAIN AND FANCY WARE, EUCR AS-White, Gold-Band and Painted French China Dinner, Dessert, Tea and Breakfast Sets; Rich Yases of beau-tiful shapes and styles; Fancy Mugs and Cups, with or without mottors; Castors, with Cut and Moulded Bottles; Cut and Pressed Tumblers, Goblets, Wines, Champagnes, &c., of new and beautiful styles; Jellies, Bowlis and Dishes to match. An extensive and well selected stock of Granite and Common Ware. (Cf-Country McTchants, Hotel Keepers, Steamboat and Ship Agents, Private Families, and all others who may want articles in this line, are invited to call and examine the stock and prices.

titude, and upon the most reasonable terms. WILLIAM SELDEN,

Washington, February 10, 1552-1y

Baltimore, December 17, 1852.

Baltimore, December 28, 1852-1y

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500 AGENTS WANTED.

March 1, 1853 G. C BRAGG.

**ROASTING COFFEE BY STEAM.--**The subscribers having purchased the right to dispose of Francis & Hart's Patent Coffee Roasters in Jeffer-

. W. GUSNELL.

Price Current.

Late Treasurer of the United States.

R. J. CAPRON, J. L. BUCK GOSNELL.

ghest market rates for every thing in the way of

L. W. GOSNELL. J. L. BUCK GOSNELL.

JOHN WITHERS,

Of Alexandria, Va. R. W. LATHAM,

L. P. BAYNE, Of Baltimore, Md.

Of Washington, D. C.

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SAMUEL J. C. MOORE. examine the stock and prices. TO THE Baltimore, April 12, 1853.-1y CITIZENS OF JEFFERSON & CLARKE. EXCHANGE BANK THE undersigned beg leave to announce that they are engaged in the Mercantile Business, in the Store House at Summit Point, formerly occupied by Security & Bro. OF SELDEN, WITHERS & CO., OF SELDEN, WITHERS & CO., WASHINGTON, D. C. THE undersigned respectfully announce that they have formed a Copartnership to transact a Gene-ral Banking and Exchange Business in this city, un-der the firm of SELDEN, WITHERS & CO., and are prepared to deal in Foreign and Domestic Exchanges, Time Bills, Promisory Notes, Certificates of Deposite Letters of Credit, Bank Notes and Coin. We understate to make collections and promutiv by Scevers & Bro. by Seevers & Bro. They have just received, and now offer a full and complete assortiment of Spansgand SUMMER Goops, of the very latest and the most approved styles. They would call the attention of the Ladies to their Dress Goods, consisting of Silks, Tissues, Greinadines, Be-rage de Laines, Lawns, &c., which, in beauty and cheapness, will favorably compare with any that can be found. We undertake to make collections and promptly remit the proceeds to any designed point within without the Union.

Hinrellanrents. GILBERT'S HOTEL, (LATELY JOHN COE'S,) It the Railroad Depot, Winchester, Va.

THE undersigned begs leave respectfully to inform the community and travelling public that he has taken the well-known HOTEL at the Railroad Depot formerly kept by Mr. JORN COS, dec'd. The House has undergone necessary repairs, and is now in every respect adapted to the wants of the traveller and so-journer.

A large and commodious Stable is attached to the premises, which will be furnished with the best grain and hay and attentive Ostler. His Table will always be furnished with all the varieties which the season

be furnished with all the varieties which the scason and market will afford, and the Bar at all times sup-plied with the choicest Liquors. His charges will be moderate. He therefore invites the patrons of the House to give him a call, as he is determined to spare no pains in making his guests comfortable.

comfortable. (G-Boarders taken by the week, month or year. BARNET GILBERT. GG-The undersigned takes pleasure in recommend-ing Mr. GILBERT to the patrons of the House whilst under the management of my Father, and respectfully solicits for him a continuance of their custom. June 28, 1853. JAMES W. COE.

SAPPINGTON'S HOTEL, Charlestown, Jefferson County, Va. THIS large and very commodious THREE-STORY BRICK HOTEL, situated in the centre and busi-ness part of the town, is now among the most attrac-tive and desirable resting places in the great Valley of Virginia.

Virginia. The luxuries of the TABLE of this establishment, are surplassed by none, and the BAR is at all times supplied with a choice selection of superior Wines and Liquors.

supplied with a choice selection of super-Liquors. Several large Parlors and airy Chambers have been added since last year. A Splendid Yellow-Mounted Coach attends the Charlestown Depot, upon the arrival of the Cars, which will convey visitors to the Hotel, free of charge. Per-sons wishing to be conveyed to other parts of the town, will pay a reasonable compensation. Saddle and Harness Horses, Carriages, Büggies, and careful Drivers always ready for the accommodation of visitors. GEO. W. SAPPINGTON. July 9, 1850. Proprietor.

 July 9, 1850.
 Proprietor.

 RAWLINS' HOTEL,
 Corner of Queen and Burk streets,

 MARTINSBURG, VA.
 MARTINSBURG, VA.

 THE undersigned begs leave respectfully to inform the community and travelling public that he has taken the Hotel formerly known as the "Berkeley House." The Househas recently undergone a thorough renovation; it is now believed to be in every respect adapted to the wants of the traveller and sojourner.

 A large and commodious STABLE is attached to the premises. The luxuries of the TABLE will be surpassed by none, and the BAR is at all times supplied with a choice selection of superior wines and liquors.

 Baggage taken to and from the Depot free of charge, and in bad weather a Carriage will run to the Depot for the accommodation of travellers without any additional expense.

 tional expense. JOS. C. RAWLINS,

March 2, 1852-1y Proprietor.

March 2, 1852–19 Proprietor. NEW PICKLING AND PRESERVING HOUSE. THE subscribers bug leave to inform the public that they are now prepared to fill orders for anything in their line, such as Pickles, Preserves, Catsup, Sau-ces-Fruits and Vegetables preserved in their natural state. Brandy Fruits; Pie Fruits preserved; fresh cooked, spiced and pickeled Oysters; fresh Meats, Fish Soups, &c., all of which are of superior quality. Particular attention is given to supplying of raw Oysters; having arrangements with the different Ex-press and Railroad lines, we are enabled to deliver them in good condition to any section of the country. A portion of public patronage is solicited. MANN & DUKE, Nos. 127 and 129, McEldry's Wharf,

Nos. 127 and 129, McEldry's Wharf, October 25, 1853—tf Baltimore, Md.

 CASH FOR NEGROES.

 THOSE persons having Negroos for sale, can get the highest price by calling on the subscriber et Charlestown. Application in person or by letter will be promptly attended to. July 15, 1851.

GEORGE H. BECKWITH. timent of thousands :

WILL YOU READ THE TRUTH.

great merit, to No art of man INE must have morit an he test of public opinion. ise a worthless articless as to licine, if it be not really so, A good medicine, if it be not really so. A good medicine will live, become popular, and e tend its sales year after year, in spite of opposition. The people readily find out its victures, and the fau of them passes from mouth to mouth with more r pidity than newspapers can spread it. A Livin Witness testifying to the cars a medicine has used for him, is of far more service than any newspape advertising. ar, and ex

for him, is of far more service than any newspaper advertising. In proof of what we say above, we refer you to HAMPTON'S VEGETABLE TINCTURE, and its effects, its praise is in the mouths of multitudes. The best men in our country give their testimony to its wonderful cures. Among them we name Hon. If Clay, Hon. Richard M. Johnson, Vice President of the United States, with hundreds of others. Capt. Thos. Canot-brother to the celebrated physician of the Em-peror of France-was cured by it of a disease of seven years' standing after the skill of all the Doctors of Europe and America had failed to cure. In fact, the rich and the poor, young and old, in every place, in the city and country, find that the same success attends its use. TRUTH IS MIGHTY. A Plain and Unvarnished Statement.

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Same Success attends its use. TRUTH IS MIGHTY. A Plain and Unvarnished Statement. We commend the perusal of the extract below to our readers. Mr. Bull is a merchantof high character. Sanov Borrow, Middleser County, Va. Angast 29th, 1853.
Messrs. Mortimer & Mowbray.—Gents: You usy which is trange that I have taken the liberty to write you this letter, but I do so under excumstances that justify it. As you are the Agents for Hawreak's you this note, hoping it may be a part of the honora-ble means of giving this medicine that notoriety which is merits deserve.
Being in the habit of vending medicines which re-mis to the patent, and regular system, I consider may of them. My experience teaches me that "Hamp-of them. My experience teaches me that "Hamp-ins Y minuture" is a medicine of real merit so for many of them is the team in all cases, but T mean to say that if the some extent, a judge of the real merit is and in ini-mis of the patent, and regular system, I consider may of them. My experience teaches me that "Hamp-on's Tincture" is a medicine of real merit is and in ini-mis of the patent, and regular system, I consider may of them any diseases located in various parts of he system, such as inflammation, Ulcers, Scrotha, etc., originally have their being in the stomach, from badfood, bad digestion, and consequently bad deposit it culture is a gent in the stomach, it is a store of the circulation to those parts; and i will be it we Hampton's Vegetable Tincture will even react it we Hampton's Vegetable Tincture will even react it we Hampton's Vegetable Tincture will even react it we flam parts of the system, and consequently bad food, bad digestion, and consequently bid deposi-tions of the circulation to those parts; and i will be it we Hampton's Vegetable Tincture will even react it we flam found out, myself, what it is, I recommend

lieve Hampton's Vegetable Tincture will even react these causes. Having found out, myself, what it is, I recommend it to others in such cases, as I have described, and I have done it upon the "no cure no pay system," and I have yet to have the first bottle returned, or the first objection about the pay. It is a great pity it cannot be nore extensively circula ed among the people. \* \* I warrant it in the following cases:-Gout, Rheumatism, Inflammations which proceeds from the stomach, Sores, Scrofula, Dyspepsia, long stand-ing cases of Ague and Fever; first stop the chill, and then give the Thecture—the difficulty in this case is not in stopping the chill, but the return of it, this the Tincture will certainly do. In general debilitations, I warrant it, and as I said before, I have procured a trial of it in this way, which otherwise I could not; the people have been humbugged by patent medicines so long, that they are afraid of all. This is clearly a stomach medicine, it works all its wonders there, and in all such cases it is a specific, if anything in the world is.

world is. world is. Having given the Tincture a fair trial with myself, in my family and neighborhood, I think I am warrant-ed in what I say about it, and which I do without any other interest than the wish to see it in general circu-lation, and in every man's family, where it ought to be

other interest than the wish to see it in general circu-lation, and in every man's family, where it ought to bc. If what I say be doubted by any of the afflicted, and they will write to me at Sandy Bottom Post office, Middlesex county, Va., stating the nature of the dis-ease, and i recommend it for such a case I will war-rant it, and if it don't do good 1 will pay for the me-dicine. Respectfully, THOS. R. BULL. Delicate females and children will find this a great blessing. It has restored thousands to health. Dyspepsia, Rheumarism, Scropila, Livea Com-riant of the afflicted hear the tidings! This is but the scr-timent of thousands:

I am gentlemen, yours, W. G. TROTT. Hundreds in this city will bear same testimony. Delicate females and children will find this a great

renaedy. Also, see cures of Coughs, Dyspepsia, Scrofula, &c. MORTIMER & MOWERAY,

got one bottle, and before I had taken itall, my cough

deface.
 You are, my friend, at liberty to use this as you may think proper, and believe m.;
 Yours very respectfully, G. DUNN.
 N. B.-I can be seen at any time at the Mayor's Office.

Office. G. D. Delicate females and children will find this a great blessing. It has restored thousands to health. HAMPTON'S VEGETABLE TIXCTURE.—Uall and get

L. M. SMITH, Charlestown. T. D. HAMMOND, Harpers-Ferry. L. P. HARTMAN, Winchester. Dr. MOTT, Leesburg. ALLEMONG & SON, Newtown.

And by Dealers every where. Jan. 24, 1854-19.

treated with success.

Tincture.

GOOD MEDICINES.

The Coughs, Colds, Bronchins, Cromp, St. STABLLR'S DIARRHCA CORDI THE valuable medicines above named, are no pirical, but are prepared in agreement wit experience of some of the most learned and judis practitioners, and are not secret, further than in

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MONTHLY COURTS. Frederick—Monday before the 1st Tucsday. Hardy—Monday before the 1st Tucsday. Berkeley—Second Monday. Jefferson—Third Monday. Clarke-2d Monday in June and 4th Monday other months. Shenandoah-Monday before 2d Tuesday. Warren-Third Monday.

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DISTRICT COURT. Composed of the Culpeper, Albemarle, Rockingham and Frederick Districts-sits annually in Winches-ter cn the 15th day of December.] (GREEN B. SAMUELS, Court of Appeals.

RICHARD H. FIELD, Judges - LUCAS P. THOMPSON, Circuit Courts. RICHARD PARKER, JOHN KINNEY,

U. S. OFFICERS.

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### STATE OFFICERS.

Governor-JOSEPH JOHNSON. Lieutenant Governor-Shelton F. LEAKE. Attorney General-Willis P. BOCOCK. Adjutant General-WILLIAM H. RICHARDSON. ssistant Clerk-P. F. HOWARD. opying Clerk-William H. Richardson, Jr. of Public Accounts-ROBERT JOHNSON. Auditor-JAMES BROWN, Jr. Treasurer-J. B. STOVALL. Register of the Land Office-S. H. PARKER. Librarian-GEORGE W. MUNFORD. Superintendant of the Penitentiary-C. S. MORGAN. Gen'l Ag't or Slorekeeper of Peni'ry-J C. SPOTTS.

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2. If subscribers order the discontinuance of their periodicals the publisher may continue to send them until all arrearages are paid.
3. If subscribers neglect or refuse to take their periodicals from the offices to which they are directed, they are held responsible till they have settled the bill and ordered them discontinued.
4. If subscribers remove to other places without informing the publishers, and the papers are sent to the former direction, they are held responsible.
5. The Courts have decided that refusing to take periodicals from the office, or removing and leaving them uncalled for, is prima facia evidence of intentional fraud. tional fraud.

NEW GOODS AND CHEAP GOODS.-The subscriber has just returned from Baltimore and is now opening a very fine assortment of Ladics' Dress Goods, Calicoes, Ginghams, Irish Linens.-Also, brown and bleached Muslins, Tickings, which he can sell lower than ever before. Call and see. Ionuser 31 1854 January 31, 1854. ISAAC ROSE. GUNS.-I have a few of those English Twist dou-ble-barrel Guns left which I will sell very cheap; also, a few splendid eight-day Clocks, cast iron case, laid in with pearl, which I will sell very low to make

DISSOLUTION THE undersigned, merchants of Charlestown, here-tofore trading under the nome of LOCK, CRA-MER & LINE, have this day, by mutual consent, dissolved partnership. The Books and Accounts of said firm can be found at the old store-house, now in said firm can be found at the old softe-noise, now if the occupancy of J. D. Line, where one of the firm will at all times be in attendance, and as it is impor-tant that the old business should be speedily settled, our friends will much oblige us if they come forward promptly and settle their accounts. J. J. LOCK,

A. W. CRAMER, J. D. LINE. Charlestown, January 2, 1854. ja10.

A CARD. To the Customers of the Old Firm, my. Friends and the Public. I INTEND to continue the MERCANTILE BUS-INESS at the Old Stand of LOCK, CRAMER

& LINE, opposite the Bank, where, by prompt atten-tion to business, I hope to merit and receive a liberal share of your patronage. Respectfully, JOHN D. LINE. Charlestown, January 10, 1854.

 NEW STORE.

 I HAVE opened a NEW STORE, (for the present in the room recently occupied by John Avis, Esq., opposite Messrs. Harris & Ridenour's,) where I shall be pleased to see my friends and the public generally. Jan. 10, 1554.

 NEW GOODS.

I HAVE just received a general assortment of DO-MESTIC GOODS, consisting in part of 4-4 Os-naburgs; 7-5 do.; heavy twilled do.; Plaid Cottons; &c., &c.; which shall be sold as low as can be had in this market. A. W. CRAMER. January 10, 1854.

January 10, 1554. CLOTHS, CASSIMERES & VESTINGS, FOR MEN AND BOYS. WE have the largest assortment of Cloths, Cassi-incres and Vestings brought to this market, at prices as low as ever have been sold before the great advance in woolen goods. Our stock is entirely new, selected with great care by one whose attention has been directed to this particular part of the trade, gives the purchaser full confidence in getting the best and most desirable goods. We do not wish the public to believe what has been said above, but call and see the evidence, at the Cloth House of Charlestown, Oct 18 IIARRIS & RIDENOUR.

Charlestown, Oct 18 HARRIS & RIDENOUR. 10,000 AGENTS WANTED. A N Agent wanted in every town and county in the books ever published, including several new works with finely colored plates; also the works of T, S. Ar-thur, including "Arthur's Cottage Library." 10,000 copies of these popular series of books have been sold in the last three months. The largest commission paid to enterprising and industrious men, who can now have an opportunity for doing a pleasant and profitable business seldom offered Each Agent has exclusive control of the sale of our publications for the town or county he may agree to canvass. For particulars apply personally, or address (post paid,) J. W. BRADLEY, Publisher, No. 45 North 4th street, Philadelphia.

STOVES! STOVES! STOVES! HAVE an extensive assortment of PARLOR, OF FICE, HALL and COOK STOVES, FURNACES, COAL GRATES, &c., which will be sold, delivered and set up on the most accommodating terms. All persons in want of any Apparatus for heating Houses, or for Cooking, are respectfully solicited to call at the Charlestown Tin-ware and Stove House, hefore nurchasing cleavhere, as grant inducements

before purchasing elsewhere, as great inducements will there be offered, both in variety of style, and extremely low prices Nov. 1, 1853 THOMAS D. PARKER.

A CARD. OUR clients and the public are informed that T. T. FAUNTLEROY, JR., is connected with us in business, and has full authority to attend to any of our professional matters. His office is with ours, in Hoff's Row, near the Court-House, BARTON & WILLIAMS. Winchester, Va., April 12, 1853-1y

SYRUP. STUART'S NEW YORK SYRUP for sale by (Nov'r 29) KEYES & KEARSLEY.

MACCARONI AND RICE, just received by July 26. H. L. EBY & SON. CHAINS.--I shall manufacture and keep con-Stantly on hand a supply of all the various kinds of Chains used by the Furmers. Breast and Trace Chains, single and double link, straight or twisted, made of the best iron, and in the best style of work-mande of the best iron, and in the best style of work-GEORGÉ PENSE. Duffield's Depot, April 12, 1853.

SALT --- 100 sacks G. A. and Fine Salt, for sale by July 12. H. L. EBY & SON. G. A. AND FINE SALT, for sale by II. L. EBY & SON.

not be surpassed, if equalled, in this Valley, every de-scription of Machinery and Plough Castings, at short notice. notice. Having been engaged in the business for many years in the largest foundries in the United States, and be-ing now determined to devote his whole attention to the business, he is confident that those who favor him with their work will at the same time, be favoring their own interests, as his prices for Castings shall be as low as at any foundry in the Valley. Orders, from all in want of Castings of any descrip-tion, are respectfully solicited. (CJ-Old Iron taken in exchange for Castings. HENRY C. PARKER. Shenandozh City, August 3, 1552.

Shenandoah City, August 3, 1852.

NEW JEWELRY STORE. THE subscriber begs leave to return his sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage he has re-ceived during the last two years he has been engaged in repairing WATCHES, JEWELRY, &c., in Charlestown. From the many solicitations of his friends and customers he has at last met their wishes by offering them a good assortment of Gold and Silver WATCHES AND LEWELRY

WATCHES AND JEWELRY, of every description, and will continue to keep on hand every thing pertaining to the Jewelry line. He has arrangements made in such a way that he will be able to fill any order in a few days that shall offer, at rates to suit the times. to suit the times.

WATCHES AND JEAN MELTING carefully repaired as usual. W. T. McDONALD, Agent for P. Cory.

PORTE MONNAIES, POCKET BOOKS,

AND FANCY GOODS. THE attention of the Trade, and others, in wa **1** PORTE MONNAIES, POCKET BOOKS, BANK-ERS' CASES, DRESSING CASES, PORTABLE WRITING DESKS, BACKGAMMON AND CHESS BOARDS, CHESSMEN, PEARL, SHELL, and SIL-VER CARD CASES, WORK BOXES, CABAS, NEE-DLE BOOKS, MONEY BELTS, CIGAR CASES,

PORTFOLIOS, RAZORS AND RAZOR STROPS. TRAVELLING FLASKS, AND FINE CUTLERY, together with a large variety of FANCY GOODS, which will be sold at the lowest rates. F. H. SMITH, Porte Monnaic and Pocket Book Manufacturer,

205 Arch street, below Sixth, Philadelphia. August 23, 1853-\$4.

FARMERS LOOK TO YOUR INTEREST. HAVING rented the Brick Warehouse, at Shep-herdstown, and made arrangements I am pre-pared to pay the highest Cash Prices for WHEAT, CORN, &c., upon delivery. I will also keep constantly on hand PLASTER, FISH, SALT, &c., in exchange for Country Produce, or sell at low cash prices, and I will forward any pro-duce to the District or Alexandria at the usual prices. August 23, 1853-tf. C. W. LUCAS.

NOTICE. PERSONS indebted to Thomas G, Rawlins & Co., Thomas Rawlins and Thos. Rawlins & Son, if they wish to save Cost had better call and pay. We arc owing money and it is impossible for us to pay unless we are paid. September 13, 1853: NOTICE.

THE undersigned having been elected and qualified as Constable for District No 2, in Clarke county, offers his services to public for the collection of all claims, placed in his hands, according to law or on commission, and assures those who may entrust their business to his care that no efforts on his part will be snared to render satisfaction. All claims will benefid

spared to render satisfaction. All claims will be paid over as soon as collected. HENRY D. HOOE.

Berryville, August 2, 1853.

Berryville, August 2, 1553. CHEAP CLOTHING in Charlestown. THE subscriber is opening and daily receiving dur-ing the season, an assoriment of fashionable Cloth-ing, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes, equal if not superi-or to any in the Valley of Virginia. Much of the Clothing was ordered by him several months ago, ex-pressly for this market, and issuperior to any Clothing generally kept in Clothing Stores, and will be sold at those low figures, the Establishment is celebrated for. All in want of Overcoats, Business Coats, Pants, Vests, Shirts, Woolen Undershirts and Drawers, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes, Trunks, Carpet Bars, Gloves and Com-Boots, Shocs, Trunks, Carpet Bags, Gloves and Com forts, will find those articles in the greatest variety and at the very lowest prices at ISAAC ROSE'S Cheap Store on Main Street. Oct. 11.

CHEAP DRY GOODS in Charlestown. THE subscriber having purchased a magnificent as-sortment of Dry Goods and Fancy Articles, is now able to offer inducements never before met with in this place. He bought of those houses only, who did not know anything about Goods being higher, consequent-ly he cm and will sell cheap as ever. Particulars in handbills to be distributed in a few days. October 11. ISAAC ROSE.

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 II. L. EBY & SON.

 TRUNKS AND CARPET BAGS, from 37: cents to \$4 a piece.
 ISAC ROSE.

 September 13, 1553.
 ISAC ROSE.

 CHEAP DRY GOODS AND FANCY AR-C TICLES. - Merinos 37: cents, finest French Monselin d'Laines 182 cents fine Collage 191 cents
 NEW BOOT AND SHOE FACTORY. THE subscribers would respectfully inform the citi-zens of Harpers-Ferry and Bolivar, that they have commenced the above business in Harpers-Ferry, on High street, a few doors above Shenandoah, where they will manufacture in the very best manner, andout of the best material all

They have also an excellent stock of Cloths, Cas-sinerces, Summer Cloths, and other goods for gentle Mr. WILLIAM SELDEN, a member of the firm, and for many years past the Treasurer of the United States, will give his careful personal attention to all financial business which we may be employed to transact with any of the Departments of the Government. The business which our employers may require us to transact, will be conducted with fidelity and promp-tibule, and upon the next considerable torus.

men's wear. Their stock of Grocrices and Domestics is large and well selected ; in short, they have on hand, and intend to keep constantly, all stich Goods as are usually found at a Country Store.

PRODUCE of all sorts taken in exchange for goods,

At the highest market prices. They solicit a call. MOORE & BECKWITH. P. S. Having leased the Depot and Warchouse, we shall give close attention to the Forwarding and Re-ceiving Business. We have reduced the commissions upon goods received, and they are now as low as at any Depot on the road. M. & B. M. & B. Sunnait Point, May 19, 1853 - If.

CARPENTERING AND JOINERING. NOTICE. THE Copartnership heretofore existing under the firm of CAPRON & GOSNELL for the transac-tion of a General Commission Business in all kinds of Country produce, was dissolved by mutual consent. THE subscriber returns his most sincere thanks to the citizens of Charlestown and neighborhood, for

I the citizens of Charlestown and neighborhood, for the liberal patronage he has received in the last five years; and hopes to merit a continuance of the same. He is always react: to execute work at the shortest no-tice, and will make it his interest to suit the times in his prices. He has procured a set of Draughting Instrument and having made himself acquained with Archite ture, he is prepared to Draught and give plans an proportious for all kinds of work in word. He will also make and carve to order Capitals for columns in the different orders of Architecture at the shortest no-tice. Always on hand SASH of various sizes for win- Scrofula, &c. MORTIMER & MOWERAY, 240 Baltim sectoret.
 CCBE OF COUGHS, VERTICO, REFEMANISAL.—Cure of the venerable Dr. Dunn's son, of the city of Baltimore, a man well knewn, and whose testin ony addits to the triangth of Hampton's Verenable Tracture : BALTIMORE, Feb. 9, 1852.
 Messrs. Mortimer & Mowhary—Gentlement It is with real pleasure that I am able to attest to the gene-ral healing and curative powers of Dr. Hampton's Ve-getable Tracture. Some time during hast November, I was taken with a very bad and serious cough. I was advised to take Cod Liver Oil, and did so, bat get-ting no better, I was induced to try your Tracture—I got one bottle, and before I had taken itall, my cough L. W. GOSNELL. J. L. RUCK GOSNELL. L. W. GOSNELL & SON, Country Produce Commission Merchants, No. 71, Bowly's Wharf, South street, Baltimore. THE undersigned take this method of informing their friends and the public generally, that they have closed up their Dry Goods Business, and will hereafter give their entire attention to the Commission Business, in all kinds of Country Produce, under the firm of L. W. GOSNELL & SON, and solicit any favors in that line, as we can at all times obtain the very bighest market rates for every thing in the way of tice. Always on hand SASH of various sizes for win-

Those wishing to patronise him will address him through the mail, or verbally at Charlestown." QG-All orders shall be strictly atiended to, and gen eral satisfaction given. ieft me. Permit me also to state that for the last fi-teen years I have suffered very much from acute Rheu-matism and Vertigo, confining me at times to my bed. I am tully convinced that I owe my present good health to the use of the Tincture, and a kind Provi-dence

WM. A. SUDDITH. Charlestown, April 5, 1853-1y

GENERAL AGENCY,

GENERAL AGENCY, Washington, D. C. THE subscriber offers his services to the public in The prosecution of Claims before Congress, or any of the Departments of the Government. Some years experience as disbursing agent of the Indian Depart-ment, with a general knowledge of the mode of trans-acting business in the various offices of the Govern-ment, enables him to promise satisfaction to all who may entrust business of this character to his care. He will also give special attention to the collection of claims against parties residing in the District of Columbia or its vicinity, negotiating loans as well as the purchase or sale of Stocks, Real Estate, Land-Warrants, &c., &c., or furnish information to corres-pendents residing at a distance in regard to any busi-ness which may interest them at the scat of Govern-Produce sent us. We intend to keep our friends constantly advised of the state of the market, and will furnish regularly a S1000 A YEAR. S1000 A YEAR. WANTEDDINEVERY COUNTY OF THE UNI-TED STATES, active and enterprising men 10 engge in the sale of some of the ebest ooks pub-lshed in the country. To men of good address, pos-sessing a small capital of from \$25 to \$100, such in-ducements will be offered as to enable them to make for a 25 to \$10 a day resoft ducements will be offered as to enable them to make from \$3 to \$10 a day profit. (3) The Books published by us are all useful in heir chracter, extremely popular and command largesales wherever they are offered. For futher particulars, address, (postage paid,) LEARY & GETZ, Subscription Book publishers, No., 138 North Second Street, Phladelphia. Augus 30, 1853. ness which may interest them at the scat of Govern-

ment His Office is over the Banking House of Selden,

HAMPTON'S VEGETABLE TIXCTURE.—Call and get pamphlets gratis, with history of discovery of the wonderful Blood Purifier, and see certificates of our own citizens, of Rheumatism., Dyspepsia, Scroiula, Liver Complaint, General Weakness, and Nervous-nuss, &c., &c. HAMPTON'S VEGETABLE TINCTURE. (G-Sold by MORTIMER & MOWBRAY, 240 Bal-timore st., Baltimore, and 304 Broadway, New York. (G-Call and get a pamphlet gratis. L. M. SMITH, Charlestown. T. D. HAMMOND. Harpers-Ferry. Mithers & Co. July 26, 1853. JAMES J. MILLER.

July 20, 000. FALL STYLE FOR 1853. MCPHAIL & BROTHER, FASHIONABLE HATTERS, No. 132 Baltimore street, Will, this day, August 27th, introduce their FALL STYLE OF HATS for Gentlemen and Youths. They will be found to combine beauty of style and finish, and of workmanship equal to any other establishment. PUMP MAKING. PUMP MAKING. To the Citizens of Jefferson, Berkeley, Frederick and Clarke counties. I AGAIN appear before you as a PUMP MAKER and as I hope you have not forgotten me in thar capacity, you will, one and all, call on me should you need any thing in that way. Please call on me ar Charlestown, or my son, T----stas J. Brage, living near Mr. George B. Beall's, on the Charlestown and Shepherdstown road, as I have employed him to do the work. I pledge myself thetel brders will be promp ly attended to. March I, 1653

Jan. 24, 1854-19. AFFLICTED, READ!! PHILADELPHIA MEDICAL HOUSE. STABLISHED IS years ago, by Dr. Kinkelin, N. W. corner Third and Union streets, between Spruce and Pinests., Philadelphia. Eighteen years of extensive and uninterrupted practice spent in this city have rendered Dr. K. the most expert and successful practitioner, far and near, in the treatment of all dis-eases of a private nature. Persons afflicted with ulcers upon the body, throator legs, pains in the head or bones, mercural rheumatism, strictures, gravel, discases ari-sing from youthful excesses or impurities of the blood whereby the constitution has become enfeebled, are all treated with success. will be found to combine beauty of style and finish, and of workmanship equal to any other establishment, and at prices as low. McP. & B., thankful for the very liberal patronage they have received, promise that nothing shall be ne-glected on their part to merit its continuance. Baltimore, September 20, 1853.

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