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TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE.

Dr. Johnston advises all those who have injured themselves by improper indulgences, that secret and solitary habit, which ruins both body and mind, unfitting them for either business or society.

The mere mention of the sad and melancholy effects produced by those early habits of youth, viz: Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Pains in the Head, Dimness of Sight, Nervous Irritability, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsia, Nervous Irritability, Derangement of the Digestive Functions, General Debility, Symptoms of Consumption, &c.

Mercury, the fearful effects of which on the mind are manifested by loss of memory, confusion of ideas, depression of spirits, evil forebodings, aversion to society, self-distrust, love of solitude, timidity, &c., are but a few of the evils produced.

Thousands of persons of all ages can now judge the cause of their declining health. Losing their vigor, becoming weak, pale and emaciated, have a sickly appearance about the eyes, cough and symptoms of consumption.

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YOUNG MEN

Who have injured themselves by a Certain Practice indulged in when alone—a habit frequently learned from evil companions, or at school—the effects of which are highly 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

MARRIAGE,

should reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote conjugal happiness. Indeed, without this, the journey through life becomes a weary pilgrimage; the prospect dearly darkens to the view; the mind becomes shadowed with despair, and filled with the melancholy reflection that the happiness of another becomes blighted with our own.

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March 31, 1858.—1y.

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CHARLESTOWN

Tuesday Morning, November 16, 1858.

Morphy and Harwitz.

A PARIS letter to the Boston Transcript says:

The match has just been sealed, and Mr. Morphy declared the winner, all bets being paid. They were to have played until one or the other had won seven games; but when they stood Morphy six, Harwitz two, the latter gave it up, laying the blame of his defeat upon his ill-health; but the fact is, Morphy is by far the best player. When the termination of the match was announced at the Cafe de la Regence, the rendezvous of the chess players here, the Americans assembled there were uproarious in their exultation, while the Germans and the Prussians, who had tet upon Harwitz, immediately suffered a terrible elongation of countenance. Still they continue to have hope, for another person has been sent for to try his hand at playing with the formidable young American, and the person is a countryman of theirs.

Character.

The differences of character are never more distinctly seen than in times when men are surrounded by difficulties and misfortunes. There are some, who when disappointed by the failure of an undertaking from which they had expected great things make up their minds at once to exert themselves no longer against what they call fate, as thereby they could avenge themselves upon fate; others grow desponding and hopeless; but a third class of men will rouse themselves just at such moments, and say to themselves, "The more difficult it is to attain my ends the more honorable it will be;" and this is a maxim which every one should impress upon himself as a law. Some of those who are guided by it, prosecute their plans with obstinacy, and perish, others, who are more practical men, if they have failed in one way will try another.

☞ The St. Louis Republican of the 1st instant records a singular and fatal accident, the result of somnambulism: Friday evening a farmer named John Bray, from Indiana, who was removing to some point on the Missouri river with his wife, father-in-law, and four children, came in on the Ohio and Mississippi railroad. Being in straitened circumstances, the family obtained permission to stop for the night in a small room on the ferry dock at the foot of Carr street. Between twelve and one o'clock in the night Bray arose in his sleep, and taking his youngest child, aged three years, in his arms, actually walked from the room and into the water! The piteous wailing cries of the child, and the loud calls of the father for help, soon drew a number of persons to the melancholy scene from adjacent places on the levee. The frantic grief of the family partook of the incoherence and wildness of the maniac, and to be of the most heart-rending description. Before ingenuity could resolve on any means of rescuing the drowing objects, both had sunk, to be seen no more alive.

☞ John Hunt, a venerable member of the society of friends from New Jersey, preached in the Court House on Wednesday evening last. His discourse was able and impressive, breathing the spirit of pure religion and fervent love to all his fellow beings.—He is a lucid and pointed reasoner, he feels what he speaks and his preaching is the right kind of talk to cultivate a spirit of christian love. His remarks had not taint of sectarian bias, but an ardent comprehensive love for all. We hope our citizens will have the pleasure of hearing him whenever he visits his Loudoun friends. Owing to the inclemency of the weather we regret the audience was not as large as we anticipated.—*Leesburg Washingtonian.*

.... The following paragraph from the columns of an exchange, is apropos in any latitude:

"Winter is coming. The chilling air sank murky clouds tell us of his approach. To those who have plenty there is nothing unpleasant in the consciousness of coming winter. But there are many hearts that will sigh when they hear the moaning of the winter wind; and the chilling blasts of the winter storm will draw the tear from many an eye. Let those who are favored by Providence remember their neighbors. Think of the widow and the orphan. They have claims upon you which nothing but your kindness and attention can meet. Remember she poor.

Reproach.

Does a man reproach thee for being proud or ill natured, envious or conceited, ignorant or detracting? Consider within thyself whether his reproaches are true. If they are not, consider that thou art not the person whom he reproches, but he reviles an imaginary being, and perhaps loves what thou appearest to be. If his reproaches are true, and if thou art the envious, ill-natured man he takes thee for, give thyself another turn, and his reproaches of thee will naturally cease, or if they continue thou art no longer the person he reproaches.—*Addison.*

The Charlottesville Advocate says:—'John Wheat, who was sent on to the last May Circuit Court, upon a charge of felony, but who broke jail a short time before the sitting of the Court, has been recaptured, and is now in the Winchester jail awaiting the requisition of our Sheriff. Oaks, who stands charged with maliciously shooting Archelaus Belamy last spring but who avoided apprehension by escaping to Missouri, has returned and surrendered himself.'

☞ Barristers have a ludicrous habit of identifying themselves with their clients by speaking in the plural number. 'Gentlemen of the jury,' said a luminary of the Western circuit, 'at the moment the policeman says he saw us in the yard we were locked up in the station house in a state of intoxication.'

☞ An Ex-Governor relates a good story of a man whose life had not been entirely unspotted, who applied to a worthy deacon for admission into his church. Unwilling to offend him, the worthy deacon replied—'The church is full just now, when there is a vacancy I will notify you.'

.... A negro driver of a coach in Texas stopped to get some water for the young ladies in the carriage, being asked what he stopped for, replied—'I am watering my flowers.'

A more delicate compliment could not were been paid.

.... Presumption and self-conceit will overshadow the brightest attainments.

Moral Greatness.

The highest style of manhood, is that which manifests, as its characteristic, the disposition that abhors what is evil, and cleaves to that which is good. This is the true nobility; the true heroism; the true greatness. He who has this, is reaching toward that which is loftiest in human attainment. He is aspiring toward that for which God made him. No intellectual eminence, no grasp of learning, no practical skill or sagacity, can exalt him so much. With all his attainments, and with all his far-sighted penetration, he is yet, if without moral discrimination, like a mole gifted with an eagle's vision, mining in the earth. His narrow sphere of vision is the mockery of his power. He sees clearly the falling snow-flake, but not the avalanche that threatens to overwhelm him. He discerns the chance to gather pebbles, but cannot discover the grains of gold intermingled with them.—The man who stores up wealth, or knowledge in indifference to the good or evil of his acts in life, is like one who diligently garners the chaff, and leaves the wheat to rot. There can be no true and valuable attainment apart from *moral excellence.* A bad man, with all his gifts of nature and education, is a pitiable object. His life is but the funeral procession of his soul, moving on to the judgment, and lighted on the way by the gloomy, sepulchral torch of his genius. While his thoughts soar to the stars, his passions bind him to the clod. While thousands admire his brilliance, they fail to realize how much it owes to the phosphorescence of moral decay. With just force, exclaims the poet Young:

'When I behold a genius its bright but base,
Of splendid talents, but terrestrial aims,
Methinks I see as thrown from her high sphere,
With rubich mixed and glittering in the dust,

Many a striking example does experience afford of intellectual eminence, smothered and extinguished in moral defilement. Even a heathen philosopher declared, that the true orator must be a good man. He saw that iniquity and vice would palsy the very utterance of those great, pure thoughts which stir the souls of men as with the notes of a trumpet. The conception of them would be impossible to a mind steeped in the imagery, and clouded by the gloom of dark deeds and lusts. There can be no true greatness of soul, apart from moral purity. We admire mental energy, and gaze with wonder at the intellectual exploits of some men; but the feeling is more akin to that with which we regard feats of muscular strength, than to that called out by the sight of ease, health, or life itself, sacrificed to holy principle. There is a kind of greatness which characterizes daring, dashing genius; which is exhibited by commercial enterprise or realized in the mere soldier of fortune; but it is no more like that of the good man facing the world's scorn in his devotion to God's will, and enduring the protracted martyrdom of a life-time in self-denying efforts to bless the world, than the spark of the glow-worm is like the sun-beam. There is something that stirs the soul more in Daniel's praying with his window open toward Jerusalem, in spite of the terrors of the lion's den, than in all the eloquence of Demosthenes, or the victories of Alexander. It does not need great battle fields or immense auditories, to make heroes. The greatness which Heaven recognizes, and to which every heart, subdued by grace divine, responds, is that of goodness. This can spring up under lowly roofs. It can make solitary places memorable, by the victories of a praying faith. It can fight, kneeling on moss, or heath, or desert sand, and rise in a triumph that pours contempt on muscular prowess. This is a greatness, too, within the reach of all. One need not be born to a throne to obtain it. One need not be so elevated as to be a spectacle to the world, in order to be inspired with, or exhibit it. The eye of God is enough, and the soul may be its own field. Fidelity to principle is a jewel, that no earthly pomp, or courtlike splendor, for its setting. Intellect or learning may be but the foil to its simple greatness. Mount Etna would gain nothing in impressiveness, if it were hedged about by a Chinese wall, and if a holy life, unswerving in devotion to truth and duty, looks down like an Alpine summit upon all the encircling attainments of intellect.

To be good—to cleave to that which is good—in spite of any and all obstacles, that is greatness, worth, heroism. It is equally at home in high places, or in low. It may ennoble cottages, and dwell in the heart of a little child. Wealth and power have no monopoly of it. Social position gives small advantages toward securing it. Each must win it for himself, and every place and all time afford the opportunity.

Gambling at Baden-Baden.

A correspondent of the Newark Mercury, giving his impressions of the town of Baden, Baden, says: 'The gambling saloons here are astonishing. The Conversationshaus, a splendid edifice or cluster of edifices, is rented by the government to a set of gamblers for the enormous sum of $130,000 a year, and it is open to gambling night and day, and several large rooms are crowded. I saw at least 300 men, women and children gambling at once, and at the game called Rouge-et-Noir; the sums staked are enormous. In the course of half an hour I saw many thousands of dollars change hands. Frequently at a single turn of a card fifteen thousand francs were lost and won. It was curious to watch the visages of the crew, and see with what stoic indifference they seemed to win or lose. But I was satisfied that theis unconcern was only apparent, for as they turned from the table their countenances elongated or widened, accordingly as they had succeeded or failed.—It was awful to see women thus occupied, but still more so to see parents bringing their children and educating them in vice. I saw children, not eight years old, with pockets full of gold, gambling at the table, their parents standing back of them and watching with delight their success. It was a fearful place—a hell on earth. The gang here assembled seemed to me to be demons, and I instinctively buttoned my coat for fear of being robbed.

.... 'Ceasar,' said a planter to his negro, 'climb up that tree and thin out the branches.' The negro showed no disposition to comply, and upon being pressed for a reason, answered:

'Well look heah, massa, if I go up dar and an' broke my neck, dar'll be a thousand dollar out of your pocket. Now, why don't you hire an Irishman to go up and den if he falls and kills hesself dar won't be no loss to anybody.

.... Prosperity is a blessing to the good, but a curse to the evil.

Poetry.

[From Leslie's Illustrated Paper.]

SINCE OUR GOLDEN DAYS OF CHIHOOD.

BY JAMES E. HARVEY.

Affectionately Addressed to his Sister Jennie Ellen.

I

Since our golden days of childhood,
Oft angel forms I've met,
But none whose gentle bosoms
With mine are beating yet,
With such sweet and silver music,
Or half such deep content
As the breathings of thy spirit
Now thrilling through my soul.

II.

Friendship's flowers bright have blossomed
That withered in a day,
And the buds of love have opened,
Which ripened to decay.
The eyes of beauteous maidens
Spoke faith and truth to me,
But no heart for me contained,
Such holy love as thine.

III.

From my heart has risen incense,
As pure as ever came
In soft wreaths from golden censers,
Or warped a trembling frame,
Before the shrines were blended
The deep and tender vows
Which burned within our bosoms,
And brightened on our brows.

IV.

And my songs with one have mingled,
Whose deep and dewy eyes,
Bathed my soul while swelled in anthems,
Seraphic through the skies,
To the angels who were listening
To the music as it roll'd,
And each sacred note repeating.
Upon their lyres of gold.

V.

But the hearts which once beat fondly,
And loving as with nine,
Have grown sordid, strange and faithless,
While changeless still is thine.
At the shrines where erst I worship'd,
My spirit seeks no home,
And the stars illume no longer,
Hope's cold, enshrouded dome.

VI.

Now when stranger's eyes are gazing,
With coldness in my own,
Oh! I deeply miss thy kindness—
Thy dear, confiding tone;
Then the warm tears flow in silence,
And my bosom echoes o'er
All the sweet and tender whispers,
Which thy love breathed before.

VII.

And still, oh! my much loved sister,
Thy pure and blessed trust,
Will live in glorious beauty
When our forms turn to dust;
And I know thy prayers will bless me,
And thy fond love keep true,
Till our spirit-wings are waving
In God's celestial blue.

"I AM NOT OLD."

BY PARK BENJAMIN.

I am not old—though years have cast
Their shadows on my day;
I am not old—though youth has passed
On rapid wings away;
For in my heart a fountain flows,
And round it pleasant thoughts repose,
And sympathies and feelings high
Spring like stars on evening's sky.

I am not old—Time may have set
His signet on my brow,
And some faint furrows there have met,
While care may deep it now;
Yet Love, fond love a chaplet weaves
Of fresh young buds and verdant leaves,
And still in fancy, I can twine
Thoughts sweet as flowers that once were mine.

I am not old—the snowy tinge
That's fallen on my hair,
What is it but a silver fringe
That makes the head more fair!
Sad contrast, may be, to the brown
Which used to deck my early crown;
But, let the senile tokens stay,
No impulse of my soul is gray.

I am not old—though I must leave
This earth and be at rest;
Soon, very soon, I will but grieve
For those whom Love loves best.
What though this fragile frame shall fade
In Ages cold and gloomy shade,
I shall regain the light, and be
Youthful in immortality.

Miscellaneous.

The English Laborer.

According to some of the British journals, the condition of a large portion of the English laborers is truly deplorable. They can with great difficulty earn the means of subsistence, while their social comforts are few and far between. Various efforts have been made to produce a change, but thus far with little success. The *Nothern Times*, published at Liverpool, takes up the subject in detail, and in the course of a sympathetic article says:

'We boast of our abhorrence of negro slavery; we romance, we moralize, and we actually weep over the tales of African suffering, but we cannot afford a passing thought for the millions of white slaves who constitute the masses of our laboring population. What are these in reality but mere animated machines! employed only because it has not been possible as yet to discover others to supersede them. As their employment has been the result of necessity, and not of choice, the great object of the employer has been to tax the physical endurance of the employed to its utmost limits, and reduce the rate of remuneration to the lowest minimum. Unfortunately, the fierce competition of trade, and the unusually overcrowded state of the labor market, combine to render this state of things apparently inevitable.

'This is, indeed, a lamentable picture; but the case is similar, we fear, to a very considerable extent, in other portions of the world, and even in this country. There are few among the laboring classes, however economical and industrious, who even secure more than a living for themselves and families.—Their lot is one of excessive toil. Those who are skilled in some particular art or craft can of course do better. But the mere laborer, even in his best condition, has a hard task before him. There is, moreover, too little sympathy felt for this particular class. Their wants, their enjoyments, their recreations, are rarely considered. They are regarded as mere hewers of wood and drawers of water, and are treated accordingly. How rarely, indeed, do we heard of any movement intended to elevate the social condition or extend the social enjoyments of the merely working classes! Every philanthropist seems to look upon them with indifference or contempt. But this should not be. There is a season for all things—and due consideration should be felt for every member of the human family."

.... It is moral grandeur that makes the mighty man.

.... Whatever does not concern us is concealed from us.

Venice—Her Peculiarities and Faded Splendor—A Pageant in Honor of the Patriarch, &c.

HEIDELBURG, June 25, 1858.

I have suddenly relinquished the pleasure of travelling, and become a student. My Italian dream has ended; a day of sober realities is now before me. Our collection of pictures is by no means complete—Venice, the most beautiful of all, is wanting. This bright morning I will leave my study and, accompanying you, will visit the Bride of the Sea. We will find her, as in the olden times, dressed in her gayest garments; but, like a beauty who has outlived her charms, with a sad, care-worn smile upon her face. Many a year has passed away since her annual marriage festival; meanwhile, her spouse has become inconstant, has sought other favorites and heaped his gifts upon them.

Venice is in every respect unique, and produces a peculiar impression. The unending noise of carriages is never heard; no beast of burden, except man, is seen. From morning till night you sit in a gondola, and pass a succession of beautiful airy-like buildings, mostly churches and palaces, which you afterwards recall to mind as dreams as creations of imagination. The spirit of romance dwells here, and gives reality to the most boyish dreams of fairy land. In the first place, you find the gondolas exactly as you expected—long, black, and as graceful as a swan. When rowed by skilful gondoliers they seem to rest upon air rather than water, so free, so unconstrained are the movements. Then the palaces, built not after the modern rules with sharp angles and precise mathematical lines, but as one would think according to the most extravagant poet's fancy, more than satisfy preconceived idea of Venetian architecture. Diversity if given to the scene by innumerable churches, with towers, domes, and minarets like those of a mosque. Water is everywhere. You cannot move without seeing it; and, as it is almost impossible to find your way through the few narrow streets or alleys, you are obliged to have a gondola at your command the most luxurious as well as romantic conveyance. Venice rests in her lagoons like a bright jewel in an emerald ground.

We direct our gondolo towards the port, and the Lion of St. Mark, upon his lofty column, welcomes us, as he did of old the victorious sailors returning with eastern spoils.—On the right and left are beautiful buildings among which the Dodge's Palace, with its long rows of graceful arches, its treasures of art, its renowned prisons, and Bridge of Sighs, of which the poets sing, is most conspicuous. Here might we remain long, entirely satisfied, not even hoping to find a structure, built by human hands, of a sublimer or more pleasing aspect. But we are attracted, drawn on by new wonders, until the entire city possesses to our eyes and imagination and charm, which we thought could exist only in fairy land. St. Mark's Palace before us. Three sides are occupied by long, palace-like buildings. Beneath the arches may be seen representations of nearly every nation. The Greek and Turk, with their Oriental costumes, are smoking their long pipes; Europeans, foreigner, and Venitian, are lounging before the cafes—the Frenchman with his wine, the German with his beer, and the Englishman with his stout—laughing, chatting, and enjoying the music. Smalls bands of musicians are playing and singing to admiring crowds, and now and then a fair songstress gathers a rich harvest of cestessimi and kreuzers—not for her singing, which is by no means objectionable, but for her pretty face, the stranger opens his purse. Children are playing on the broad pavement; ladies gaily dressed and fascinating, enliven the crowd by smiles and pleasant words. We may remain here until midnight, dreaming happy dreams and gratifying every sense. St. Mark's Place is the heart of Venice, the centre of life. At every pulsation living streams are sent to every part of the great body. Its chief attraction is St. Mark's church, which on account of its treasures, its curiosities, and its peculiar style of architecture, is the most interesting building in Venice. It is ornamented with spoils from the East; rich mosaics cover its walls, and various colored marble from the pavement.—Externally it resembles a mosque more than a Christian church—a poetical creation more than a place of worship for this plain, unromantic age. Gilded domes and small minarets are crowded together, covering the entire church; short columns of every color and variety of marble adorn the facade. The colors of the rainbow seem to have been suddenly scattered, and each to have found an accidental place here. A capricious child would choose such a model for a toy-house, a poet must find it in accordance with his fancy, an architect must admire it against his will and call beautiful that of which his mathematical cannot approve.

St. Mark's has outlived its age; it carries one's thoughts back to the times when fairy tales were not deemed unworthy of belief.—It seems to be an attempt to reconcile the political idea connected with the Mohommedan religion with the stern Christian faith. One morning Venice arose from the arms of her bridegroom to enjoy a holiday. She drew on her finest robe, of pure ether, variegated by the colors of the rainbow, and fairly sparkled with gems in the morning light. It was announced that the Patriarch of the Church would arrive from Milan at noon, and grand preparations were made to receive him. The bells rang merrily, and the gay Venitian world appeared on the Grand Canal. Gay-colored hangings of every hue were waiving from the palace windows, balconies crowded with fair spectators, and gondolas hurrying to and fro with thier precious freight. Every landing place from St. Mark's to Ponto Rialto and the railway station was crowded.—At 12 o'clock the Patriarch arrived, and, accompanied by several dignataries, was conducted with much ceremony to his gondola which was richly ornamented with figures and hangings. The boatmen were unable to move for some time on account of the crowd that pressed forward to see so important a personage. The gondolas were wedged together, forming a bridge of boats across the Grand Canal. After all had satisfied their curiosity, the entire mass moved slowly and solemnly on. The patriarch stood with uncovered head upon the prow of his gondola, and shouts of welcome resounded from palace to palace.—A greater rejoicing, a louder ringing of bells would not have accompanied a triumphal arch. It seemed as if Venice had recovered her long lost power, and again proclaimed herself mistress of the sea. A band of music was stationed at Doge's palace, and sent forth the liveliest strains, while the procession moved towards St. Mark's palace. The old flags waved there as in Venice's proudest days; the same trophies decorated St. Mark's church. It was the Venice of olden time making a final attempt to appear young and beautiful.—But her cheeks were painted, her ornaments were not pure gold, but tinsel, and the exertion which she made was convulsive and feeble. Venice is different from other cities, not only with respect to its situation and architecture, but also in its people, their manners and customs. The traveller is immediately struck by their peculiar mode of life, which gives them a marked distinction from the other Italians. No stirring events, no remarkable incidents interrupt the ordinary course of things, except the periodical festivals, which, however, constitute a part of, rather than an exception to, their daily life. They exist as it were, in a dream undisturbed by the noise and bustle of populous cities. The almost inaudible sound of oars dipping in those placid waters, and the voice of love, the god that rules supreme, accompanying them to their dreamland, have quieted the fierce, unruly passions that rage in the human breast. Tyranny's strong hand checks ambition, and men prefer enduring chains with peace and domestic happiness to struggle against political oppression which leaves them comparatively without restraint in their private actions.—They prefer tyranny in politics to national freedom, which may at any moment be followed by anarchy. Venice is, to be sure, an important seaport and commercial depot, but so noiselessly, so unostentatiously is all business conducted, that one is at first inclined to believe the contrary; even in the more pressing circumstances, men seem to be in a state of lethargy from which nothing earthly could arouse them. Like somnambulists, rather than active, thinking men, they pursue business as well as pleasure. Mammon and love walk hand in hand, and thus the most important affairs of our lifetime are treated in the most frivolous way. The Venetians, generally speaking, are like overgrown children, whose desires have been gratified, and whose only thought, in looking forward into the future, is in what manner new comforts and indulgences may be invented to delight the senses. I perhaps criticise too severely the corruptions, and say too little of the beauties of Venice; but it must be remembered criticism is the traveller's prerogative. On the other hand, one experiences a feeling in this entirely unique city which cannot be described.—It was through that feeling that I learned the meaning of the word Romance!

Yours truly,
FRED. W. MATTESON.

Home Education.

Whatever defects there may be in Home Education, and it is a subject which for a long time has engaged the attention of profound thinkers and the benevolent, it is certain that the exceptions are rare where the moral training of the mother is not according to her best capacity surrounding circumstances considered, for the benefit and advantage of her offspring. The mother's influence is often counteracted by the habits and examples of the father; in such a case the maternal parent is not responsible if her care and teachings are of no avail.

Home education, where the parents are united in sentiment, leaves its impression upon the mind and heart which can never be totally eradicated. The principle cause of so many departures from the path of right is evil associations. The mother engaged in her household affairs, has, among the majority of those who are dependent upon their labors for a livelihood, but little time to devote to her children; and as soon as they are able to walk by themselves they seek playmates, and the youthful mind is readily impressed for good or evil according to the disposition of the associations. The effect of these impressions are more lasting in most cases, than the influence and example of parents. If mothers were placed in circumstances so that they could give the proper attention to their children, and if they had the co operation of their husbands, there would be less vice in the world.

Home education is the best for the youthful mind. The most determined man in every situation of life, will, to the latest period of his pilgrimage, be influened by the early teachings of his mother, if the example and the habits of the father were in unison with her counsel and instruction.—*Noel.*

ALWAYS BUSY.—The more a man accomplishes the more he may. An active tool never grows rusty. You always find those men the most forward to do good, or to improve the times and manners, who are always busy. Who start our railroads, our steamboats, our machine shops, and our manufactories? Men of industry and enterprise.—As long as they live they keep at work, doing something to benefit themselves and others.—It is just so with a man that is benevolent—the more he gives the more he feels like giving. We go for activity—in body, in mind, in everything. Let the gold grow not dim, nor the thoughts become stale.—Keep all things in motion. We would rather that death should find us scaling a mountain than sinking in a mire—breasting a whirlwind than sneaking from a cloud.

.... A fool in company, wanting his servant called out—

'Where's that blockhead of mine?'

A lady present answered, 'on your shoulders, sir.'

.... A Spanish writer, speaking of a lady's black eyes says;

They are in mourning for the murder they had committed.

.... Why are a hundred and sixty square rods like a decayed tooth?

Because it is an 'acre.'

.... Love is better than a pair of spectacles to make everything seem greater which is seen throughout.

☞ A lady, at her marriage, requested the clergyman to give out to be sung by the choir the hmyn commencing—

'This is the way I long have sought,
And mourned because I found it not.'

'Pompy, why is a journey round dis world like a cat's tail?

'Well, I doesn't exactly see any semblance twixt de two cases.'

'Well, den, I spec I'll have tele you. Because it am far to de end it.'

Spirit of Jefferson.

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Who the Deuce was it.

Brown tells us a Vermont story which, he says is as authentic as the best of the Post anecdotes and, certainly, nothing more can be required.—A respectable gentleman in Windsor county, many years ago, had an ambition to represent his town in the State legislature. Though a man of good character, and every way able enough for the office he sought, he happened, as Aunt Peggy used to say, to have 'a great many winning ways to make folks hate him,' and was in fact the most unpopular man in town. Going to 'Squire X., an influential man who happened to be friendly to him, he laid his case before him, and asked his influence; saying he didn't expect help without paying for it, and declaring that if he could get X.'s influence he was sure to be elected. The 'Squire 'put in his best jumps' for his man; but when the ballot box was turned, another man was declared elected. The disappointed caller to know how the vote stood, and learned that he had just got three votes! 'But I don't understand it,' said he, turning to the 'Squire with a chop-fallen countenance 'Don't either, said the 'Squire 'I put in my vote; you put in another; and who d——l put in the third is more than I can imagine!'

A Failure.

Col. Moore, a veteran politician of the Old Dominion enjoyed great personal popularity on account of his affability of manner, and of course could always carry a big vote whenever he was up for an office. He generally spoke to every one he met and usually succeeded in convincing them that he knew them well. He met his match one morning however, when on meeting a countryman he shook hands heartily with him and commenced:

'Why how do you do, Thir? I am very glad to see you; a fine day Thir? I see you a hill ride your fine old gray, Thir.'

'No, sir, this horse is one I borrrowed this morning.'

'Oh! ah! well Thir, how are the old gentleman and lady?'

'My parents have been dead about three years sir.'

'But how ith your wife, Thir, and the children?'

'I am an unmarried man, sir.'

'Thrue enough. Do you thill live on the old farm?'

'No, sir; I've just arrived from Ohio where I was born.'

'Well, Thir, I gneth I dont know you after all Good morning, Thir.'

Following the Lord.

An itinerant preacher travelled along the northwestern counties of the State of Illinois. He was mounted on an animal whose appearance betokened very bad keeping—the mere framework of what had once been a horse.

Riding up to the door of a country Inn he inquired of the landlord the distance to the next town.

The host, coming out, was so forcibly struck with the appearance of the animal upon which the querist sat, that he walked twice around before giving the desired information. He, then asked:

"Who might you be, it its a fair question?'

'I'm a follower of the Lord,' was the reply.

'Followin' the Lord, eh?' demanded the host 'Well, I'll tell you what it is feller, (eyeing the horse again)—there is one thing certain—if you stop often on the road you'll never catch him with that hoss."

Sharp Shooting.

'Father what does the printer live on?'

'Live on? why do you ask?

'Because you said you hadn't paid anything for your paper, and the printer still sends it to you.'

'Wife, spank that boy.'

'I won't do no such thing.'

'Why?'.

'He's too smart. That comes of marrying me.'

'How so? what do you mean?'

'I mean just this, the boy is smarter than his father and you can't deny it.'

That's queer talk, and I wish ——

'I don't care what you wish; the boy knows enough to see that a man, printer or no printer, can live on nothing; I think you would be ashamed to *cheat* the *poor* printer.

☞ Dr. Johnson has left on record, that as he was passing by a fish-monger who was skinning a live eel, he heard him curse it because it would not be still!

And just so it is with humanity. A man will attempt to 'skin' another—will attempt to cheat him—and curse him if he does not lie still under the operation.

A 'smart' old man was in the habit of lying awake half the night planning schemes to make money by defrauding his neighbors next day. In the morning he would sally forth to carry out his schemes. Returning one evening in a very sour mood his wife asked him what was the matter. He replied that he had formed admirable plans for making a little money, but his neighbors were all such fools they would not aid him in carrying out his plans.

☞ A Yankee met a Celestial in the streets of San Francisco, and with a characteristic of his race, accosted him as follows:

'Where are you from?'

'Hong Kong.'

'Where are you bound?'

'Geelong.'

'What tea are you most fond of?'

'Souchong.'

'What kind of fowls do you consider the best.

'Chitagong.'

'What kind of grapes do you prefer?'

'Scuppernongs,

'What's your name?'

'O, go long

Spirit of Jefferson.

CHARLESTOWN :

Tuesday Morning, November 16, 1858.

TEMPERANCE ADDRESS.

In consequence of the inclemency of the weather the address upon Temperance, appointed for last evening, at the Court House, has been postponed until Monday evening next.

MONDAY'S MEETING.

We have no comments to make upon the meeting of Monday. It was not such a meeting as we desired or expected, and we earnestly trust that it may be the last of its kind. The proceedings of the meeting were by no means harmonious, and as near as we can give them they appear in another column. The resolutions of Mr. Eichelberger were not received in time to appear in the proceedings.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING IN ALEXANDRIA.

The Democrats of Alexandria held a meeting one evening last week, for the purpose of appointing delegates to the Gubernatorial Convention. Among the speakers at the meeting was Dr. J. B. Johnson, formerly of this county, who distinguished himself by his bitter and fanatical opposition to the Representative of this District, and who rendered himself conspicuous by his earnest efforts to have the delegates instructed to vote for none other than an *old line democrat*. In opposition to this move of the Dr., Mr. G. W. Brent said he had been a Democrat all his life, and had always warmly advocated Democratic principles. He had no doubt that the Convention would nominate a true and consistent Democrat. The only question he should ask, would be, is he a Democrat. He knew neither Old Liners nor New Liners. He was opposed to Dr. Johnson's motion, and thought that the mere handful of Democrats present had no right to instruct the whole Democratic party of Alexandria:—whoever was the nominee of the Convention he would warmly support.

After a warm laudation of his own consistency as a Democrat—in which he did not once refer to his support of a Distribution candidate in opposition to a regular Democratic nominee—Dr. Johnson stated that the object of his motion was to break up the principle of nominating men who had just come into the party, over the heads of old and tried Democrats. He had not believed that his motion would prevail when he offered it, for it would take time for the party to learn wisdom.

Thus it will be seen that the learned Dr. did not calculate upon effecting anything when he made his motion, "for it would take time for the party to learn wisdom." With such teachers as the Dr., whose actions so illy correspond with his professions, we readily concur in this last remark. We are sorry it is so, but the fact stares us in the face. The last act of Dr. Johnson's political life in this county, was not well calculated to inspire confidence in his wisdom as a leader, and surely, when the self-constituted tutors of the party, err so egregiously, it is not to be expected that the masses will act with that wisdom and prudence which Dr. Johnson seems anxious should actuate them.

Mr. G. W. Brent was opposed to expressing a preference for a particular candidate for the nomination, and he therefore would offer the following substitute for Dr. Johnson's resolution—

Resolved, That the Democracy of Alexandria desire that the selection of a candidate for Governor, shall be made regardless of the efforts of partisan advocates or opponents of the eminent citizens named in connection with that office, and with sole reference to the welfare of the Commonwealth.

And this resolution of Mr. Brent was passed, despite the labored opposition of Dr. J. B. Johnson. From this it will be seen that the Democrocy of Alexandria "desire that the selection of a candidate for Governor shall be made regardless of the opposition" of Dr. Johnson, and other partisan advocates. So mote it be, and so it will be. The people are not going to be led astray by the fanaticism and bitterness of this or that would-be leader. The truth is the people are waking up from the condition of mere camp followers, and will eventually become their own leaders in matters pertaining to their welfare.

THE CONTESTED SEATS IN THE NEXT CONGRESS.

Amor J. Williamson, American, will contest the right of Hon. Daniel E. Sickles, democrat, to represent the third district of New York in the thirty-sixth Congress. Governor Kemble, democrat will join issue with Hon. John B. Haskin, anti-Lecompton, if the latter succeeds in getting the certificate for the right to represent the ninth district of that State. John W. Ryan, republican, denies the claims of Hon. Thomas B. Florence, democrat, to the seat of the first district of Pennsylvania. Alfred W. Johnson, democrat, will endeavor to show before the next House of Representatives that he is better entitled to speak and vote for the third district of Maine than Ezra B. French, republican, who has received the certificate of election. Francis P. Blair, Jr., republican has announced that he stands ready to prove that his opponent, J. R. Barret, democrat, in the first district of Missouri, was elected by fraud, and on that ground he will claim the seat.

☞ The aggregate public debt of Virginia, on the 1st of October, amounted to $28,812,996, of which $15,417,996 consisted of certificates of registered five and six per cents, $11,530 000 in the form of coupon bonds; $1,865,000 in the form of five per cent sterling coupon bonds.

SHERIFF'S ELECTION.

Below will be found the result of the election for Sheriff of Jefferson county on Wednesday last. Mr. Campbell's majority over Mr. Aisquith is 148. The election passed off very quietly considering the interest manifested by the friends of both gentlemen in their success, and with the exception of a few "scientific passes" in the region of the proboscis of one or two "hinderpendent Corkonians" every thing went off as "merry as a marriage bell."

Precincts.	F. W. Campbell	F. M. Aisquith
No 1, *Kabletown*,	87	43
No. 2, *Middleway*,	73	140
No. 3, *Charlestown*,	43	67
No. 4, *do.*	193	122
No. 5, *Shepherdstown*,	132	70
No. 6, *do.*	45	119
No. 7, *Bolivar*,	143	35
No. 8, *Harpers-Ferry*,	199	166
	915	767
	767	
Majority for	148	

The contest in District No. 4, for Constable, resulted in the election of Mr. Rockenbaugh.

Mr. Kephart withdrew from the contest.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

This body meets on Thursday next at the Poor House Farm, to receive from the contractor the building which has recently been erected for the accommodation of the unfortunate poor of the county. The contract for this building was last summer awarded to Col. JOHN M. COYLE, who has energetically pushed forward the work to successful completion, and on Thursday will hand it over to the representatives of the county, who are to pass judgment upon it. By the way, we have had an intimation from the Col. that Turkey and oysters are to be served up on the occasion, which with their concomitants, will make the affair doubly interesting.

THE FIRST OF THE SEASON.

We had sat down in the hopes that whilst we were conning our brain for an editorial paragraph something should turn up to afford us one, and sure enough we have it, notwithstanding our caption would lead our readers to suppose by the present from some of them of a barrel or so of corn or potatoes or apples or anything which would gladden the printer on the approach of hoary winter, but winter itself—the soft fleecy snow, the first of the season, is coming down as we pen this paragraph and this indication of cold weather affords anything but food for pleasant reflection and we shan't pursue the theme farther.

NEW MOVEMENT IN LITERATURE AND PATRIOTISM.

LARGE CONTRIBUTION TO THE MT. VERNON FUND.—A couple of months ago, Mr. R. Bonner, the proprietor of the New York Ledger, wrote to the Hon. Edward Everett that if he would write one original article a week for one year, for the Ledger, he (Bonner) would, immediately on receiving an affirmative reply, send him his check for $10,000 for the benefit of the Mount Vernon Association. Mr. Everett's reply is dated on the 5th inst., and from it we quote:

"This liberal offer has received my thoughtful consideration. I have been and am strongly tempted, on the one hand, to make this noble addition to the Mount Vernon Fund.—On the other hand, among other grounds of hesitation, I have been afraid that I could not do justice to your liberality, without giving up more time to the preparation of the articles than is consistent with other engagements and duties. * * * * * * * I feel, however, that it is my duty not to forego this opportunity of adding so large a sum, at once, to the Mount Vernon fund, and I accept the offer. I will begin to furnish the articles as soon as the immediate demand upon my time to fulfil some previous engagements shall cease—in the course of a month at furthest—and I will continue them, as far as possible, weekly, making up at the end of the year for any omission in the regular supply."

Mr. Everett adds that his articles will be called "The Mount Vernon Papers."

The check for the $10,000 was immediately sent to Mr. Everett, who, on the 10 inst., paid it over to F. H. Pesbody, the treasurer of the auxiliary Mount Vernon fund at Boston.

Mr. Everett is now in New York, and on Friday pronounced, at Niblo's Garden, his oration upon the life and character of Washington—the proceeds to be devoted towards the purchase of Mount Vernon.

THE RAILROAD PRESIDENCY.

There is considerable interest among railway men and railroad politicians just now in regard to the presidency of the Baltimore and Ohio. The election will take place on Wednesday next, and in the meantime the annual meeting of stockholders will be held on Monday; and twelve directors representing the individual stock be than chosen. John W. Garrett, Esq., long a useful director, is the most prominent candidate for the presidency, but it is now understood that a number of the State and city directors have, after a meeting for consultation, decided on nominating and supporting Chauncy Brooks, Esq., the present incumbent, for re election. Mr. Brooks had heretofore intended to retire from the post.

EXCELLENT INK.

We have received, through the kindness of Mr. BARRETT, the manufacturer, a specimen of Barrett & Pratt's celebrated Ink. After giving the article a fair trial, we are prepared to pronounce it No. 1. It may be found at Beller & Co's.

☞ It is stated that a discovery of immense bodies of iron ore has lately been made in Missouri, not far from the neighborhood of those rich deposits already so widely known in the country as the Iron Mountain and Pilot Knob.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING.

A meeting of the Democratic party of Jefferson county was held at the Court House, on Monday the 15th day of November, when NATH. W. MANNING was called to the chair, and WM. H. MOORE and BENJ. F. BEALL appointed secretaries.

In consequence of the inclement weather the number in attendance was small, and it was deemed advisable not to go into the transaction of the business for which the meeting was called.

Robt. W. Baylor, Esq., moved to refer the appointment of delegates to the precinct meetings, but before this motion was acted upon

R. H. Butcher, Esq., offered the following resolution which was adopted.

Resolved, That the Democrats of the several magisterial districts of this county, are requested to meet in their Districts on Saturday next, the 20th inst., and appoint delegates to represent their choice in the Gubernatorial Convention to be held in the city of Petersburg on the 2nd day of December.

Thomas C. Green, Esq., then offered the following resolution, which received the sanction of the meeting:

Resolved, That in order that the various portions of this county may be fairly represented in the Gubernatorial Convention that the Democrats of each of the precincts in this county, appoint 3 delegates and 3 alternates to represent this county in the said Convention.

D. Smith Eichelberger, Esq., then offered a set of resolutions which elicited considerable discussion, but which were finally tabled.

On motion of R. W. Baylor, the meeting adjourned.

N. W. MANNING, Ch'm.

WM. H. MOORE, BENJ. F. BEALL, } Secretaries.

KENTUCKY PRODUCTIONS.

At a recent agricultural exhibition in Kentucky, was one remarkable display of the natural products of the State. Ten brothers, the eldest forty and the youngest twenty years of age, appeared upon the grounds, each being mounted upon a beautiful gray horse. Of course the incident excited a vast deal of interest. The society presented the mother, who still lives, with a beautiful silver goblet. Not the least pleasing fact is, that every one of the ten is a good and true Democrat.—Hurra for the Browns of Kentucky.

MONUMENT TO QUITMAN.

The movement in Mississippi in favor of the erection of a monument to Quitman is succeeding admirably. The monument is to be erected on the bluff at Nathez, and is to cost not less than twenty five nor more than fifty thousand dollars. Nothing could be more creditable to the people of the State than this purpose to honor the memory of one of their most distinguished and gallant fellow-citizens.

☞ In reference to the late brutal murder of officer Rigdon, in Baltimore, the Sun of that city says, "that some new evidence has come to light that will involve a number of persons other than those under arrest, as accessories before the fact, because of their having had a knowledge of what was to be done, and having participated in the arrangements for the commission of the murder. The weapon with which the murder was done had been seen before in the possession of Cropps. A vigorous effort is now making to ferret out all the parties connected in any manner with the horrible transaction."

MANASSAS GAP RAILROAD.—It will no doubt be gratifying to our readers to learn that eight hundred tons of rails for the Manassas Gap Railroad is expected daily. The ship sailed from England home several weeks ago. The iron will be immediately dispatched for its destination, and the road completed to Mt. Jackson early in December. We understand everything is now ready for the iron. The steam-horse will soon startle the quiet village of Mt. Jackson. Hurrah for Manassas!

THE GRAIN TRADE OF CHICAGO.—There have been received at Chicago during the present year, up to Saturday last, 452,403 barrels of flour, 9,279, 799 bushels of wheat, 8,447,605 bushels of corn, 1,857,397 bushels of oats, 119,078 bushels of barley, making a grand total of nearly twenty-two millions of bushels of grain, which is an increase of nearly five millions of bushels over the same time last year. The total shipments from Chicago this year are 370,080 barrels flour, 8,408,996 bushels wheat, 7,470,465 bushels corn, 1,525,708 bushels oats and 114,049 bushels barley, making a grand total of over nineteen millions of bushels of grain, an increase of four millions of bushels.

☞ Jerome N. Bonaparte, Jr., is on a visit to his parents in Baltimore. He is grandson of the only brother now living of Napoleon the Great. He graduated at West Point in 1850. Shortly after the accession of the present Emperor of France to power, this young American Bonaparte joined the French army as a second Lieutenant. He was in the Crimean war and has been successful in obtaining position under the banner of France.

CONSUL TO GENEVA.—Wm. Fell Giles, Jr., of Baltimore, has received from President Buchanan the appointment to the Consulship of the United States, at Geneva, Switzerland. Mr. Giles is a son of the Hon. Wm. F. Giles, Judge of the District Court of Maryland.

☞ A convention of slaveholders has been in session at Cambridge, Md. They were from the Eastern Shore. They recommend the holding of a general State Convention in Baltimore in June next for the purpose of devising some means of remedying the evils under which they labor, and the passage of laws to render the free negro population a producing class.

☞ At the Virginia Mechanics' Institute, in Richmond, may be seen the sword with which the famous Peter Francisco conquered seven British Dragoons in the Revolution, and which has been sent from Raleigh, North Carolina, to the Mechanics' Fair.

☞ Last week there were 597 matriculates of the University, 366 being from Virginia. It is thought the number of matriculates before the close of the session will be 700.

The Next Congress.

After the result of the elections in October we published a table showing the new members elected up to that time, and also indicated how parties would stand in the next Congress provided there was no change in the delegation from the States yet to elect.

The House, including Oregon, consists of 237 members. In the October elections 85 members were elected—53 Republicans and 32 Democrats.—The election which took place Tuesday week in N. Y. New Jersey, Massachusetts, Delaware, Illinois, Michigan, and Wisconsin, according to the returns received, has in all probability, resulted in the election of 51 Republicans and 15 Democrats. This will make the strength of parties already elected stand as follows:

	Dem.	Rep.
Elected in October,	32	53
Do November,	15	51
	47	104

The States yet to elect are Alabama, Connecticut, California, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisana, Maryland, Minnesota, Mississippi, New Hampshire, North Carolina, Rhode Island, Tennessee, Texas and Virginia, which elect eighty six members. In the present House they stand as follows;

	Dem.	Rep.	Am.
	67	7	12
Add already elected.....	47	104	—
	114	111	12

In the States yet to elect, the Republicans may gain two members in Connecticut, and the Democrats will in all probability gain six members from the South Americans in Kentucky, Tennessee, Georgia, North Carolina and Maryland. Such a result will make the next Congress stand—Democrats 118, Republicans 113, South Americans 6.—In no contingency can the Republicans have the control of the next Congress.—*States.*

The Runaways from Bruntytown.

One of the parties headed by Col. Armstrong, in pursuit of the ten runaway negroes, mentioned in our last issue, came across the negroes, on Tuesday afternoon, in the neighborhood of Davistown, Greene county, Pa., which is a few miles south of the road from Morgantown to Carmicheals, Pa. There was about nine persons in Col. Armstrong's party. The negroes entrenched themselves upon a stony piece of ground in a field. Col. Armstrong's party attacked them, leaving their horses outside the fence. About the time the battle commenced, the majority of Col. A.'s party, considering "discretion the better part of valor," commenced a retreat, leaving Col. A. and one or two others to contend with the whole party. They fought with clubs, stones, pistols, corn cutters and everything else that could be made available. Finding they were about to be overpowered, and Col. A. in a very exhausted condition, the few others also retreated, leaving the field to the negroes. They followed Col. A. yelling and shouting 'damn him, kill him!' By this time he was all alone, and hardly able to walk, when he was attacked by a large negro, named Harrison, who was armed with a large corn cutter. Harrison, (the property of Mr. Runnells) aimed a blow at Col. A's head with the corn cutter, which was very dull. The Col. grasped it in his hand, warding the force of the blow from his head. The Col. appealed to one of his own negroes, Dave, to save him from death. Dave interfered in behalf of his master, and his life was saved. Col. A. was taken off the field in a fainting condition.—Dark coming shortly after the skirmish, the negroes all escaped, and nothing has been heard of them since. Col. A. was brought to Morgantown next day, and is at Wallace's National House, doing as well as could be expected. His hand is severely wounded, one finger nearly off and others badly mangled. There was a contusion on his left temple, and several bruises on his body. Col. A. barely escaped with life and the cowardly conduct of many of his party cannot be too severely reprehended.

Great efforts have been made to capture the negroes—more than fifty men have been searching in Greene and Fayette counties. But the negroes have made good their escape, no doubt, to the Canadas.—*Morgantown Star.*

Petrified Wife.

A few days since, a gentleman residing in Rising Sun, Indiana, who had married a second time, wished to remove the body of his wife to a new cemetery. Preparations were made to that effect, and laborers opened the grave in the usual manner; but when they reached the coffin they could not lift it, so great was the weight. After obtaining considerable assistance, however, they succeeded in raising the coffin from the tomb. They then could not resist the temptation of peering into the coffin and learning the reason of its unusual weight, and found, instead of the remains of a corpse, a stone figure, the exact counterpart of the woman who had died. This strange story soon spread, and hundreds and thousands of persons were present to see the strange spectacle.

The husband took the body of his departed spouse home and has it there now where it is visited by hundreds of the curious and scientific. The body seems to have been petrified, and to have become a perfect stone woman. The probability is that the body has become a lipocere, and will before long melt or crumble.—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

United States Army.

The present Military force of the United States consists of nineteen regiments of the line, composed of the following corps: Five regiments of cavalry four regiments of Artilllery, ten of Infantry, making a grand aggregate of thirteen thousand rank and file of all arms. This little army covers an area of over two millions of square miles, being two third the area of all Europe. There are eleven hundred commissioned officers, including one hundred medical officers eight hundred and fifty of whom graduated at the Military Academy, and two hundred and fifty civil appointments. The nativity of those officers are as follows: Born in the United States 1,060, Ireland 14, France 8, England 6, Germany 3, Scotland 2, Austria 1, Italy 1, Poland 1, Spain 1, Cuba 1, Turkey 1, at sea 3. The militia force of the United States is computed at 3,000,000, effective men.

A Hundred Years Ago.

The Pittsburg Post of the 21st ult., alluding to the near approach of the one hundredth anniversary of Old Fort Duquesne, says:—"One hundred years ago there was not a single white man in Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana, and Illinois Territories. Then, what is now the most flourishing part of America, was as little known as the country around the mountains of the moon. It was not until 1769, that the "Hunter of Kentucky," the gallant and adventurous Boone, left his home in North Carolina, to become the first settler of Kentucky. The first pioneers of Ohio, did not settle until twenty years after this time. A hundred years ago Canada belonged to France, and the whole population of the United States did not exceed a million and a half of people. A hundred years ago, the great Frederick of Prussia, was performing those great exploits which have made him immortal in military annals, and with his little monarchy was sustaining a single handed contest with Russia, Austria, and France—the three great powers of Europe, combined. A hundred years ago Napoleon was not born and Washington was a young and modest Virginia Colonel, and the great events in the history of two worlds, in which these great but dissimilar men took leading parts, were scarcely foreshadowed.—A hundred years ago the United States were the most loyal part of the British Empire, and on the political horizon no speck indicated the struggle which, within a score of years thereafter, established the greatest republic of the world. A hundred years ago there were but four newspapers in America—steam engines had not been imagined, and railroads and telegraphs had not entered into the remotest conceptions of man. When we come to look back at it through the vista of history we find that to the century which has passed has been allotted more important events in their bearing upon the happiness of the world than almost any other which has elapsed since creation.'

A hundred years hence what will be the developments? It is past finding out, except in one thing—a thought which astonished Xerxes when he stood upon Mount Athos—all, with but few exceptions now living, will be dead.

A Baltimore Murderer's first Visit to Washington.

The Washington Star, in noticing the brutal murder of officer Rigdon in Baltimore city, by Marion Crops, says:

Marion Crops is the same person as 'Mallory Kropp,' who headed the mob that attacked the fourth ward polls in this city, in June, 1857, armed with a large tomahawk, which he brandished among the terrified voters in a manner to drive many from the ground. Under the last mentioned name he was afterwards indicted by the grand jury here for being engaged in the riot of that day; but, so far as we can learn, no requisition was ever issued by the criminal court with a view to having him brought to trial. He will be recognized by most of our citizens who were present on the occasion above referred to, who will never forget his bull head, short cropped hair, iron toed boots, long legs, and the derelict weapon with which he clove his way among the legal voters of Washington, scattering them before him like so many affrighted sheep.

Democratic Convention in Loudoun.

At a Convention of the Democratic party of Loudoun county, held in Odd Fellow's Hall, Leesburg, on Tuesday the 9th of November, 1858, for the purpose of appointing Delegates to the Petersburg Convention—

On Motion, Col. CHAS. DOUGLAS was called to the Chair, and BENJ. F. SHEETZ, appointed Secretary.

Inasmuch as several of the precincts had held meetings and appointed delegates to the county Convention, while other precints had held no such primary meetings, on motion the Chair appointed a committee of five, consisting of Dr. Geo. E. Plaster Col. R. J. T. White, Wm. Hall, Dr. E. N. Love, and Col. Charles Taylor, to determine who should be considered delegates. The committee, after brief consultation, reported in favor of allowing any democrat from the County who might be present to take part in the proceedings of the meeting, which report was adopted; whereupon, it was—

Resolved, That we approve of a Convention, to nominate suitable Candidates to represent the Democratic Party of Virginia, in the Gubernatorial Election.

Resolved, That a Committee be appointed by the Chair, consisting of one from each precint, to report the names of delegates from this County to the Democratic Convention, to be held at Petersburg, on the 2d day of Dec. proximo, to meet our Democratic brethren of the State to aid in the selection of Candidates for Governor, Lieutenant Governor and Attorney General, in the assurance that they will select such individuals as are of undoubted political integrity—of the firmest devotion to the interests of the State, and of unquestionable ability.

In accordance with the above resolution, the chair appointed the following gentlemen said committee: Ed. Hammatt, J. W. Minor, Col. R. J. T. White, S. Mount, T. H. W. Heaton, Fayette Daniel, Dr. T. Leith, Dr. John E. Mount, Capt. L. T. Jones, John Jones, Sr.

The committee, after retiring for a short time, reported the following list of delegates:

LEESBURG.—Wm. Hall, Edward Hammatt, Robert Bently, Jr.

UNION—John Keene, Dr. Theodoric Leith, J. D. Carter.

SNICKERSVILLE.—Dr. Geo. E. Plaster, T. V. R. Osburn, S. R. Mount.

POWELL'S SHOP.—J. T. Ross, Herod Thomas, William Gill.

MIDDLEBURG.—Dr. John E. Mount, Thos. Frances, Lorman Chancellor.

ALDIE.—F. W. Swart, F. A. Adams, John Lunn

GREE SPRING—Jonathan Beard, Beverley Hutchison, Francis Thrift.

PURCELLVILLE—Henry Heaton, T. H. W. Heaton, Taliaferro Boland.

WATERFORD.—L. T. Jones, Dr. E. N. Love, David Shawen.

GORESVILLE.—Col. J. W. Minor, Col. Chas. Douglas, Dr. J. F. Mason.

WHALEY'S.—Jno. Jones, S., Armistead Taylor, Wm. Dove.

MT. GILEAD.—Jno. Simpson, F. W. Daniel, Aurelius Coe.

HILLSBOROUGH.—Bushrod Osburn, Jno. Jones Jr. J. M. Kilgore.

LOVETSVILLE.—Dr. Lee. Bennough, Dank Boland, Jno. Souder

WATERS'.—John Price, Major Reid Thompson, William Lakin.

Dr. Geo. E. Plaster, offered as a substitute for the report of the committee, that the Chair appoint delegates from the county at large, which gave rise to considerable discussion. The substitute, however, was finally voted down and the report of the committee adopted:

On motion, the name N. B. Everhart was substituted for that of John Price at Waters' precinct.

Dr. Geo. E Plaster moved that the delegates appointed by this meeting to attend the Petersburg Convention, be instructed to vote for the Hon. JOHN LETCHER for Governor so long as there is any probability of his receiving the nomination. Upon this motion a discussion sprang up which was participated in by several gentlemen. The motion to instruct, however, was finally put to the meeting and carried.

Dr. Samuel Turner, moved that any Democratic voter from the county of Loudoun who might be in attendance upon the Petersburg convention be allowed to represent the county in that body. The motion was laid upon the table.

On motion the following resolutions were then adopted.

Resolved, That nothwithstanding the the recent discomfiture of the Democratic party by unusual combinations in many of the States where elections have been held, we have entire confidence in the wisdom and honesty of the administration of JAMES BUCHANAN, and give to it our most cordial approval.

Resolved, That the thanks of this meeting be tendered to the I. O. O. F. for generously allowing us the use of their Hall on the present occasion.

On motion, the proceedings of this were ordered to be published in the Democratic Mirror, with the request that the democratic papers of this District the Richmond Enquirer, South, and Examiner and the Democratic paper of Petersburg, copy the same.

On motion, the meeting adjourned.

CHAS DOUGLAS, Chairman.

BENJ. F. SHEETZ Secretary.

Democratic Meeting.

Pursuant to notice a mass meeting of the democracy of Berkeley was held at Biltmire's Hotel, on Monday the 8th inst.

On motion WILLIAM H. MONG, Esq., was called to the Chair, and SAMUEL ALBURTIS appointed Secretary.

A Committee on resolutions were appointed, who reported the following which were adopted with one dissenting voice:

Resolved, That the Democracy of Berkeley County retain undiminished confidence in the present administration of the Federal Government, and in its eminent head JAMES BUCHANAN, President of the United States; that we appprove of his foreign policy, believing it to be wise, patriotic and conservative, and his domestic policy, because it is just, fearless and national. We believe that he has so far honestly and faithfully redeemed all the pledges he has made to his party and his country, and that he has shown himself throughout his whole public career to be a sincere, brave and upright man, free from all sinister purpose, and intent, only upon advancing the true interests and happiness of the people. We honor him for the unbending firmness and iron nerve as a statesman, and we recognise in all his acts an uncompromising foe to Black Republicanism, a gallant defender of the just and equal rights of the South—a true and tried friend of constitutional Union, and a sworn enemy to all fraud, prodigality and corruption.

Resolved, That the recent doctrines proclaimed by the Black Republican leaders of the North as the basis of their present organization and future action, must satisfy every Democrat that the next Presidential election is destined to be one of the most eventful in our history, involving, if they succeed, nothing less than a dissolution of the Union, or a base surrender by the Southern States of their most vital interest and institutions, to organized fanaticism and aggression.

Resolved, That CHAS. J. FAULKNER is the clear and unquestioned choice of the people of this County for the position of next Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

Resolved, That whilst we shall leave the records of the Country to speak of the public acts, statesmanship and sound Virginia Democratic principles of our distinguished fellow-citizen, and Representative, Hon. CHAS J. FAULKNER, we feel it to bear special privilege and duty as his neighbors—born as he was in our county, and having lived here from boyhood, to say that his private life is as pure and as free from stain and reproach as his public career has been brilliant and successful, and that as a neighbor, a friend, a private citizen and a gentleman, his life has been marked by all those virtues which fit him to adorn any station to which his countrymen may call him.

At the close of the meeting a resolution was offered by Dr. G. A. Hamill, in substance as follows; That the democrats of Berkeley rejoice over the results of the recent election in Illinois, as far as they exhibit a "triumph of Douglas over Lincoln, and democracy over Black Republicanism—which was adopted.

S. C. LUDINGTON'S PRIZE CATTLE.—Mr. Ludington the successful cattle exhibitor at the recent United States Fair in Richmond, sold several of his stock. He writes as follows to the Greenbrier (Va) Era:

My premiums, received this evening, amount to $482 50. The premiums on my horse, not yet received, which will make over $500. I received the sweepstake premium on the best herd, which will also be awarded. I have sold, 'Scipio' to Hausberger, of Rockingham county, at $500, and 'Lady Rose' to Dr. Bowen, of Fredericksburg, at 500 and one from Kentucky, fat cattle, to Mr Linsey of Richmond, for $205 80. My white steer I sold to Mr. Price for $220, and one yoke oxen at $200. One ox, three years old, at 8 cents gross amounted to $300 and a fat heifer at $200. 'Triumph,' bull calf sold for $200. I have yet four cattle for sale.—My sales thus far amount to $2,635; and premiums received $500. Total $3,135.

☞ The proprietor of Taylor's Hotel in Winchester, has reduced his terms in consequence of the present low prices of provisions and the popular complaint of "hard times."

Correspondence of the Boston Post.

Death of a Celebrated Sportsman—Description of the Man and his Establishment.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25, 1858.

One of the most celebrated and successful sportsmen of this or any other country was buried in this city on Sunday week. The occasion of his death affords me an opportunity of giving your readers a sketch of the man and a description of his gaming house. Let it serve as a warning, not as an example.

He had been a resident of Washington some fifteen or twenty years, during which period he amassed great wealth by sporting; or, to use the mild and honest language of the Avenue, he realized an ample fortune out of the successful operations of his house! His house being the most elegant, and his bank the most weighty and substantial in the country, it has been for years the fashionable and fascinating resort of wealthy planters, fast Congressmen, aspiring diplomatists, and ambitious sportsmen from every part of the world. For many years past he has lived in the most luxurious style, having like a certain other rich man, been clothed in purple and fine linen and fairing sumptuously every day. In person he was above the medium size, of pleasing address, and a generous disposition; exhibiting in his general deportment to strangers the character of a well-fed, good-natured clergyman rather than that of a heartless, unrelenting sportsman.

His reputation for generosity was widely established. If a college was to be endowed, a church built, or private charities to be dispensed, his was sure to be among the most magnificent of the donations. His sole new a widow was of good parentage; a woman of rare beauty and accomplishments possessing social qualities which combined with the dazzling allurements of wealth insured her troops of admirers courtiers. Rolling along the avenue in her magnificent equipage, which far exceeds in richness and style that of the President of the United States, or any other gentleman in Washington, she looked a very queen—being quite undisturbed by any thought that her presence sent a dagger to scores of hearts, whose patrimony unlawfully obtained, had contributed to her enjoyment, in the same proportion that its loss had added to the woes and wretchedness of the beholders.

His establishment was upon Pennsylvania avenue, between the National Hotel and the capitol. Let us approach and look in.

You enter by a door of variegated stained glass, which by gas light, reflects all the colors of the rainbow. Ascending a flight of stairs, you reach the door, pull the bell, and instantly a small aperture opens, and you are greeted with a pair of red eyes and a double row of ivory, which nominally belong to Sambo, but which, in fact are the property of the proprietor. A glance suffices. You have filled Sambo's eye, and are deemed passable. The door is at once opened, and you are ushered into the ante room—the vestibule of ——. This room is not large but elegantly appointed—the chief attraction being the side-board, which is of solid marble and white as Diana's breast. Here are arranged, in long and glistening columns, decanters of cut glass, sparkling like brilliants, filled with the choicest nectar, and blushing to the very necks with the glowing vistage of the olden time. If you pass this Rubicon without tasting its sparkling but dangerous waters, it is not from any dearth of hospitality on the part of our persuasive host. The spacious 'Sporting Hall' is now visible. The floor is covered with carpeting from the Orient of immense cost and marvelous beauty. The walls are adorned with superb paintings of the old masters and the new, while pendant from the windows hang curtains of embroidered lace, covered with golden tapestry of oriental magnificence; with mirrors of mammoth size reflecting your form and features from a score of gleaming embrasures. Along the hall, at convenient distances, are ranged circular tables of polished rosewood, and around which have seated numbers of thoughtful, anxious, dark visaged men, who heed you not—their eyes have another and stronger attraction. One would naturally suppose this to be a theatre for jests, drollery, and song, or bacchanalian revelings, or pugilistic encounters. Far from it. On the contrary, all is hushed, silent, sepulchral.

'No real voice or sound
Within these cheerless walls are found.'

You are oppressed with the fearful stillness and awful silence which pervades the place. A laugh a joke, or even a curse, would be a sensible relief. But you hear nothing of this. An occasional long breath or half-subdued sigh is all that tells the ear that these mad devotees are possessed of lungs and life.

An hour's inspection satisfies your curiosity, and you are about taking your departure, when a soft hand taps you on the shoulder, and a low voice says: "Please don't leave, sir, supper will be ready in a few minutes."

At precisely half past ten o'clock, the doors of the dining hall are thrown open; and 'supper ready,' proclaims an immediate armistice between the combatants, and invites to a most healthy and rational duty. The long tables groan beneath their burd ns of gold and silver plate, and the heaps of delicacies which surmount and adorn them. Here are venison from the brown forests of Maine, turkies from the broad savannas of the West, canvas backs from the placid Potomac, trout from Superior, and Salmon from the St. John's—together with fruits, flowers and wines for every taste and from every clime

The repast over you are permitted, with a paroxizing invitation, to 'call again,' to make your retreat to the open air, there to thank Heaven that you are not a worshipper within this magnificent yet cheerless abode.

One night's work, a few days previous to the close of the last session, made sad havoc among the coffers of this house. It is said that a distinguished Senator won on that night *one hundred and eighty thousand dollars*, which broke the bank and caused a temporary suspension. A new house, however, was purchased by him, and being magnificently decorated, when the 'king of terrors,' the great unbeaten and unchallenged, stepped in and closed the game of life forever.

FAUST.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the Bride's Father, Dr. A., Lovejoy, in Allegan on the eve of the 26th ult., by Rev. A. A. Dunton, Mr. SAMUEL F. MURPHY formerly of Middleway in this county, and Miss FRANCES M. LOVEJOY, of Allegan, Michigan.

On the 26th Oct. by by Rev —— C. W. HOLLIDA, Esq., of Hard Scrabble, Berkeley County, and Mrs. SARAH BORDER, of Shepherdstown

On the 2nd inst., by Rev. F. H. Richey, Mr. JAMES DUNN, of Clarke county, to Miss MARY A. CRIM of Berkeley County.

DEATHS.

On Sunday, 31st October, at St. Leon, the residence of her mother, LUCY Y. JONES eld st daughter of Mrs. HELEN JONES, of Mecklenburg Co., Va.

The deceased was a daughter of James Y. Jones Esq., formerly of Jefferson Co., and Grand daughter of Joseph Hamilton Jones Esq., who died at Smithfield in 1822

Hers was a calm and quiet ending of a pure and peaceful life. For near half of her earthly probation she was a meek and lowly follower of Jesus; an earnest and true christian, following as perfectly as a mortal may, every divine precept, and wielding an influence by her pious example which all who knew her will forever feel. Her abiding faith took all the sting from death, and she viewed his approach as the harbinger of that only which was excellent and good. A merciful Providence, vouchsafed to her all her reason, even to the last moment of her earthly life, and she sank lovingly and reverently into the arms of that Saviour to whom she had given her whole trust long years before!

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The Markets.

BALTIMORE MARKET.

BALTIMORE, Saturday, Nov. 13th, 1858.

FLOUR AND MEAL.—The market for all descriptions of Flour ruled quiet this morning, and we heard of no sales excepting 500 bbls City Mills, yesterday P. M., at $5 per bbl. Ohio and Howard street do, were quoted at the same price. No sales of extra reported; we quote Ohio at $5 25. Howard street at 5 62½a$5 75, and City Mills 575 a$6 per bbl. Corn Meal and Rye Flour remain dull at our last quotations.

GRAIN.—Receipts of Wheat were to a fair extent this morning, those of white being 10,500 bushels and of red 3,400 bushels; prices, under a demand ruled about the same as yesterday, viz: 1 10a$1 20 for ordinary grades white, 1 25a$1 35 for fair to good, and $1,40 per bushel, for prime; no choice lots reported sold red sold at 1 17a$120 for fair to good, we quote prime do. at 121a$1 22 per bushel. Of Corn 9,000 bushels offered, and new white sold at 64a68 cts. and new yellow 71a78 cts per. bushel, old white brought 71a75 cts, and old yellow 80a82 cts per. bushel.

RITTER'S Radical cure TRUSS & SUPPORTERS. Best ever invented. Approved of by the medical faculty. For sale by
November 16, '58. C. E. BELLER & CO.

SAGE for sale by C. E. BELLER, & CO.

SALTPETRE, Black Pepper, Cayenne do., and Coriander Seed. For sale by
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BUCKWHEAT FLOUR for sale by KEARSLEY, SHEERER & CO.

SAUSAGE GRINDERS and STUFFERS for sale by KEARSLEY, SHEERER & CO.

Special Notices

☞ The Funeral Sermon of the late Philip Ott will be preached in the Methodist Church on next Sunday next, November 21st.

WHAT THEY SAY IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

ASHEVILLE, S. C., Aug. 21, 1858.

Messrs. FARREL, HERRING & CO., PHILADELPHIA.

Gentlemen.—The close attention which our own affairs have required since the fire, has hitherto prevented us from writing you about the Safe.

On occasion of the fire 19th July, by which we suffered a large loss, our store, with a number of other buildings was consumed. The Safe, of your manufacture, which we had in the store, was exposed to a most intense heat, as is well attested by the effects on its strong iron frame, which, from its flaked and scaly appearance, looks as though it had been heated for a long time in a furnace. The Safe, with heaps of molten glass and kegs of nails, fused into a mass, fell into the cellar, surrounded by burning materials, and there was suffered to remain, (as the contents had been removed before the fire reached us,) until the 2nd day of August, 11 days afterwards.

The difficulty in cutting it open with the best tools that could be procured, convinced us of its power to resist the attempts of burglars, and when it was opened, we found the interior,

A TOWN RESIDENCE FOR SALE!

THE subscriber offers for sale his fine and commodious RESIDENCE in Charlestown, Va. This property is situated on the Main Street and in the residential part of the town. It consists of one full acre or one-half of a square. There is upon it good Stabling, a Carriage House, Smoke House, Coal House and a large Cistern, arched over with brick near the kitchen door. There is also, a well of the best water on the street, five feet from the premises. There is also, on the Lot a

LARGE BRICK OFFICE,

with two rooms above, suitable for a Minister, Lawyer or Doctor.

The Dwelling and Office are set back from the Street about 40 feet, with a Sodded Yard in front, Cedar hedge and Ornamental Trees. There are about 60 FRUIT BEARING TREES of every variety and of the best quality—a veral arbors of Grape, and the choicest Flowers of all kinds, on the premises.

The GARDEN is beautifully terraced and the borders of the beds well sodded—with broad walks between.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned.

JOHN T. GIBSON,
Nov. 6, 1858—tf. Charlestown, Va

THE GLOBE:

THE OFFICIAL PAPER OF CONGRESS.

I shall publish the DAILY GLOBE and the CONGRESSIONAL GLOBE and APPENDIX during the next session of Congress. The DAILY GLOBE will contain a report of the Debates in both branches of Congress, as taken down by the reporters (equal at least, to any corps of select hand writers in the city, or any other country. When the Debates of a day do not make more than forty-five columns they shall appear in the Daily Globe of the next day, together with such editorial articles as may be suggested by passing events.

The Congressional Globe and Appendix will contain a report of all the Debates of Congress, revised by the Speakers, the Messages of the President of the United States, the Annual Report of the Heads of the Executive Departments, the Reports of the Committees of Congress on important subjects of general interest, the Laws passed during the session and copious indexes to all. They will be printed on a double royal sheet, in book form, royal octavo, each number containing sixteen pages, containing 2,597 words per page. The whole will make between 1730 and 2,080 pages. It is believed that no book has ever been published at so low a rate. Last year I advertised in the Daily Globe, for six months, and in about one hundred other newspapers in the United States, a reward of $215 to any person who could produce a book published at so low a rate, and none was produced. The large number of copies subscribed for by Congress enables us to afford the debates to subscribers at

The Congressional Globe and Appendix pass free by mail of the United States, and will be sent the following Joint Resolution, passed by Congress, the 6th of August, 1852:

JOINT RESOLUTION providing for the distribution of the Laws of Congress and the Debates therein

Will it be the intention of the Laws of Congress and the Debates could utilizing to the true intention thereof, to make it over the communication between the representative and constituent

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That from and after the present session of Congress the Congressional Globe and Appendix, containing the laws and debates of Congress, shall pass free through the mails so long as the same shall be published by order of Congress.

Provided, That nothing herein shall be construed to prohibit the circulation of the Daily Globe free of postage.

Approved August 6, 1852.

TERMS:

For a copy of the Daily Globe, 4 months $3,00
For a copy for a less time, (per month) 100
For a copy of the Congressional Globe and Appendix during the session 3,05

Bank Notes current in the section of country where a subscriber resides, will be received at par. The whole or any part of a subscription may be remitted in postage stamps, which are preferable to any money except gold or silver. If here bank notes for $5,00 cannot be procured, I will send a paper will not be sent unless the money accompanies the order for it.

I cannot afford to exchange with all the newspapers that desire the Globe; but I will send the Daily Globe during the session to all who shall procure subscriptions for it, at the rate of $5 for the first, and $4 for each subscriber. Those who may publish the prospectus three times before the first day of next December, and send me a copy of the paper containing it to me, and shall call the attention to it in their papers containing it to me, will receive the Daily Globe and Appendix will be stereotyped and therefore I shall be able to send the numbers for this session to all who may subscribe after the session commences; but if the first number which I shall receive after the session shall be the last number I shall charge $1 additional per copy to pay the expense of putting it upon the press. Subscriptions should reach me early as the first week of December to insure a copy. Address

JOHN C. RIVES.

Washington, November 16, 1856.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

THERE will be a meeting of the Overseers of the Poor, at the County Farm, on THURSDAY the 6th inst., for the purpose of receiving the new building from the Contractor—and also for electing a Manager for the ensuing year. A punctual attendance is requested.

By order of the President of the Board.

SAMUEL STONE, Clerk.

November 16 1858.

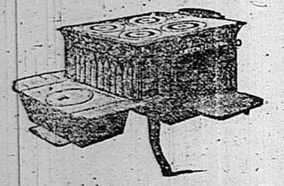
ETHERIAL OIL

JUST received a large quantity of Etherial Oil, which will be sold low by

THOMAS RAWLINS.

November 16, 1858.

Stoves! Stoves!! Stoves!!!



TIN WARE, ROOFING AND Sheetiron Establishment.

THE undersigned for the purpose of carrying on the above business in all its branches, has recently fitted up for manufacturing

TIN WARE,

and for doing all kinds of JOB and BUILDING WORK connected with his trade, and orders from all in want of any article of WARE OR WORK in his line are respectfully solicited. All work done in a thorough and workmanlike manner, and with promptitude. He keeps only employs workmen who have had from 10 to 25 years experience at the business in all its branches. Merchants will find it to their advantage to deal with me, as I will make them a liberal discount.

I will take in exchange for Tin Ware,

Rags, Sheepskins, Old Brass
Beeswax, Beef Hides, and
Wool, Old Copper, Pewter
For all work done I will make a liberal discount for Cash.

ALBERT MILLER

November 4, 1858.

TURNPIKE NOTICE.

A MEETING of the Stockholders of the Smithfield, Charlestown and Harpers-Ferry Turnpike Company will be held at the Court House on Friday the 19th day of November next, for the purpose of electing a President, and three Directors.

H. KEYES.
Nov 9, 1858. Treasurer.

LUBRICATING COAL OIL.

WE will have in a few days Coal Oil for Lubricating all kinds of machinery. This Oil is prepared differently from the Oil for burning and is found to be superior to the best Sperm Oil, at half its price.

KEARSLEY, SHEERER & CO.
Nov 9.

STOVES

STOVE AND PIPE repaired and fixed to order by A. MILLER

SCHOOL BOOKS and Stationery, for sale cheap by C. E. BELLER & CO

SPICES of every variety for Pickling, for sale by E. H. CAMPBELL.
Sept. 21, 1858.

DONNELL'S Catawba Ginger Wine, a fine Tonic, for sale by C. E. BELLER & CO.

BONNETS AND RIBBONS of the present styles. Oct 5. A. W. CRAMER.

SHAWLS.—Flannels and Woolen Goods of all kinds. A. W. CRAMER.

POTATOES—Sweet Potatoes, just received and for sale by W. EBY

BAKERS Premium Bitters; Hampton's Vegetable Tincture; Hoofland's German Bitters. Oxygenated Bitters, constantly on hand and for sale by CAMPBELL & COOKE.
Aug. 17.

CRIB BLANKETS.
Oct. 5. A. W. CRAMER.

SIMES' Elixer Yellow Peruvian Bark—A fresh supply for sale by CAMPBELL & COOKE.

CHARLESTOWN TIN & SHEET-IRON Establishment.

THE undersigned have opened a TIN AND SHEET-IRON ESTABLISHMENT at the old stand, formerly occupied by F. W. Rawlins, where they are fully prepared to do all work in their line of business. Having had considerable experience, they are enabled to assure the public that all work entrusted to them will be executed in the best possible style. Their stock consists of a large and general assortment of

TIN, COPPER, BRASS AND SHEET-IRON WARE

Among the tin ware will be found every article used in culinary or domestic operations. Among the brass, copper, and zinc articles, will be found the latest styles.

OF ALL ARTICLES.

Of SHEET IRON all articles if not on hand, will be made to order, at shortest notice.

ROOFING AND SPOUTING,

will be done in a manner not inferior to any other establishment in Virginia, and at prices as low, if not lower, than can be done elsewhere. By keeping a large stock of Tin, Copper, Brass and Sheet Iron Ware constantly on hand, and undivided attention to the business they hope to secure to them a share of the patronage of the public, feeling fully competent to supply all orders or articles in their line.

They will take in exchange for Tin Ware, any quantity of old Rags, Copper, Brass, Pewter Lead, Beeswax, Country Hard Soap, Bacon and Lard or Country Produce generally.

Nov 2, 1858—1y. EASTERDAY & CO.

Fruit Trees.

I HAVE on hand, at my nursery, on the Farm of William Lucas, Esq., near Halltown, a large number of Apple, Pear, Peach, Apricot, Plum and Almond Trees, of the very finest variety. Also a variety of Shrubbery. As the public are aware, Mr. Lucas has been at great pains to procure the very choicest kinds from the best nurseries in the United States, and I have been allowed to bud and propagate from his trees, which, added to my own selections, give me all the leading varieties. My Peach Trees, especially, are very fine. In view of the stringency of the money market, I will sell from 15 to 20 per cent lower than my former rates.

Oct. 12.—2m. JAMES FRONICK.

COURT OF ENQUIRY

THE Officers of the 55th Regiment will take notice that the Regimental Court of Enquiry of the 55th, will be held on the 3rd Saturday in November, 1858 at Charlestown.

An election will also be held for 2nd Major on the same day.

JNO. THOS. GIBSON.
November 2, 1858—3t. Colonel.

Mantua-Making

MISS MARY S. HAINES

WOULD announce to her customers and the Ladies generally, that she has returned from Baltimore, with her selection of the latest

FALL AND WINTER FASHIONS.

Thankful for past favors, she hopes by neatness and dispatch, and a desire to please, to merit a continuance of the public patronage.

Millinery

MRS. MARY E. DAVIS.

MOST respectfully announces to the Ladies of Charlestown and vicinity, that she has returned from Baltimore with the latest

FALL AND WINTER FASHIONS,

and a complete stock of

PATTERN AND STRAW BONNETS, &c,

She returns thanks for past favors, and solicits a continuance of custom.

Nov. 2, 1858.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

THE advertiser having been restored to health in a few weeks, by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several years with a severe Lung Affection, and that dread disease, Consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge) with directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c. The only object of the advertiser in sending the prescription, is to benefit the afflicted, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing. Parties wishing the prescription will please address

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
Williamsburgh, Long Island, N. Y.

October 12, 1858—8t.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS will be received up to the 15th inst. for repairing the

Berryville & Charlestown Turnpike Road.

The contracts will be let for each mile separately. The road is to be filled up in the centre with metal, dragged on each side by ditches, the earth to be thrown up the road where required, to bed the stone, and allow places to have six inches of new metal on the same.

R. W. BAYLOR,
Nov 2, 1858—2t Superintendent.
Clarke Journal copy.

SPECIAL AND IMPORTANT

Notice to All.
Health and Vigor
of Mind and Body,
May be secured by the moderate use of
McDONNELL'S
Catawba Ginger Wine,
For sale by C. E. BELLER & CO.
October 12, 1858.

NEW FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

I AM receiving our stock of FALL AND WINTER GOODS, which is equal to any in the market. Our friends will please call and examine them.

J. N. & L. L. SADLER.
Nov 2, 1858.

PAINTS, OILS, &c.

PURE White Lead, Snow White Zinc, Linseed Oil, Turpentine, Varnish, Zinc Dryer, Patent Dryer, and numerous other paints ground in oil and dry, for sale cheap by E. H. CAMPBELL.
November 9.

ETHERIAL OIL

A FRESH article of ETHERIAL OIL just received and for sale by E. H. CAMPBELL.
Nov. 9, '58.

NOTICE

ALL persons knowing themselves indebted to the late firm of Campbell & Cooke, will please come forward and settle, as I am anxious to close up the books. E. H. CAMPBELL.
November 9, '58.

Notice.

LARD CANS for sale cheap, by A. MILLER.
Nov. 2, '58.

BOOTS, Shoes, Hats and Caps, a nice stock just received by J. N & L. L SADLER.
Nov. 2, 1858.

BACON AND LARD.

FRESH Lard, Hams and Sides, for sale for cash, by J. N & L. L. SADLER.
October 12, 1858.

COAL OIL FOR BURNING.

WE will have in a day or two the best refined Coal Oil for Lamps. As there is a great difference in the quality of Coal Oil we ask consumers to make a trial of ours.

KEARSLEY, SHEERER & CO.

NOTICE.

IF you wish to buy a good article of COAL HODS and LARD CANS, just call at the Tin and Sheet-Iron Establishment of

EASTERDAY & CO.
Nov. 9 1858.

LINSEYS.—Plaid Linseys; Full Linseys; Yarn of all kinds. A. W. CRAMER.

BACON.—Hams, Shoulders and Sides for sale for cash by KEARSLEY, SHEERER & CO.

FRESH HYDRAULIC CEMENT for sale by KEARSLEY, SHEERER & CO.

SALT—300 sacks G. A. and Fine Salt for sale low by WARREN EBY.

NAILS—50 kegs Nails for sale at small advance by W. EBY.

THE Life and Labors of the Rev. Daniel Baker, D. D., of Texas. Just received and for sale by E. H. CAMPBELL.

ESSENCE OF COFFEE for sale by
October 19, 1858. W. EBY.

BLASTING POWDER and Safety Fuse for sale by W. EBY

HALF BUSHEL MEASURES County sealed for sale by W. EBY.

RICE FLOUR, and CHOCOLATE, for sale by W. EBY.

YEAST POWDER and Baking Soda for sale by W. EBY.

PRIME COFFEE, Crushed, Pulverized, Refined and Brown Sugars—also, a nice article of Syrup only 50 cents. W. EBY.

MRS. ALLEN'S and WOODS' Hair Restorer—Tricopherous and Zylobalsamum, for sale by E. H. CAMPBELL.

A FINE article of Ground Mustard, for sale by E. H. CAMPBELL.

S. H BROWN.

SURVEYOR.
REAL ESTATE AGENT,
AND
Conveyancer.

Intending to remain in the county of Jefferson, offers his services as Surveyor to the Land holders of this and adjoining counties. Also, to act as agent for the Sale, Purchase or Renting of REAL ESTATE in the counties of Jefferson, Berkeley, Clarke, Loudoun and Frederick, or elsewhere.

Those having property to dispose of, or those wishing to purchase, will find it to their advantage to consult the subscriber at

CHARLESTOWN, JEFFERSON COUNTY, VA.

.... Prompt attention to business guaranteed.

Any Reference given that may be desired.

August 31, 1858—1y.

ANOTHER CHANCE FOR A BARGAIN.

THE "PROSPECT HILL, farm, belonging to Daniel Moler, Esq., containing about 275 ACRES, of which a large proportion is first quality "red land," with 60 acres of TIMBER, considerable quantity of beautiful Chestnut; farm divided into 10 fields; seven have access to running water, also, several natural ponds, very fine. More than one half of the fencing is of Chestnut—entire fencing in good condition.

Improvements consist of two new, neat and comfortable DWELLING HOUSES; Barn with Stabling, &c., underneath, and Corn House, also new—with all other necessary out buildings in good repair. Water—A very fine and never-failing Spring of EXCELLENT WATER within a few steps of the house. Location—Within 1½ miles of Harper's Ferry and Bolivar, ½ of a mile of Keeptryst Furnace, where there is a Merchant Mill, Saw and Plaster Mill, and two Ware Houses to receive grain and produce to be shipped by Chesapeake and Ohio Canal to the District markets. In short, for soil, improvements, water and location this farm offers facilities rarely met with, being near enough to Harper's Ferry (the best produce market in the Valley,) for a market farm, where every thing that could be raised would command the highest cash prices.

This farm could be divided if desirable by purchasers, making the road leading from the toll gate on turnpike to the furnace the line of division, thereby throwing to each portion a new Dwelling House, &c

Payments made to suit the purchaser.

Nov. 16, 1858. S. H. BROWN.

WANTED.

WANTED to rent a FARM of two or three hundred acres of good land, for which will be paid either a money rent or a share of crop.

Nov. 16, 1858 S. H. BROWN.

RICHARD B. WASHINGTON, Esq., intending to remove from the county of Jefferson, has authorized me to sell his very VALUABLE LANDED ESTATE, in said county, consisting of 3 Tracts of Land.

1st, "BLAKELEY," at the head waters of the north fork of the Bullskin run, one of the most desirable farms in the Valley of Virginia, containing about 340 ACRES of first class limestone land, of which about 70 acres are in TIMBER, situated within three miles of the Winchester & Potomac Railroad Depot at Charlestown, with Mills, &c., convenient. The improvements consist of fine BRICK DWELLING, with eight rooms, besides Dressing Room, Basement and Attic, Brick Houses for Overseer and Servants, Stone Meat House, and fine Orchard of good fruit, splendid Spring, Cisterns, Well of Water close to Kitchen, good Stables and Corn House. The farm is well supplied with running water, with access to same for every field. A large portion of the fencing is of stone, and chestnut rails with locust posts.

2nd "THE GRUBB FARM," adjoining Blakeley, lying on the south fork of the Bullskin run, containing about 259 ACRES of fine limestone land, with good proportion of TIMBER, comfortable FRAME DWELLING, and convenient Out-houses, fine Spring and fine Orchard, and under good fencing, with two Merchant Mills in sight and within a few steps of Porter's Woollen Factory.

This beautiful Farm was sold on Wednesday last to DAVID HOWELL, Esq, at $55 per acre.

3d, A tract of very superior TIMBER LAND, containing about 130 ACRES, being a part of the "RICHWOOD TRACT." The land is also of superior quality, and is within half a mile of the Winchester & Potomac Railroad. This tract will be divided if desired, to suit purchasers. For terms apply to the subscriber, at Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia.

S. HOWELL BROWN.

August 31, 1858

VERY VALUABLE Farm for sale.

ADAM STEPHEN DANDRIDGE, Esq., has authorized me to sell his very valuable farm in this county containing about 266 Acres, of which about 80 acres are in TIMBER, which for quality is probably not surpassed in the county. This farm is situated on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad within one fourth of a mile of Kearneys' Depot or "Kearneysville," one of the best grain and produce markets in the Valley. The said Railroad passing for a considerable distance along the timber land, offers great facilities for market of wood and timber, with but little hauling, as it can be loaded upon the cars from the ground. Martinsburg, distant some 7 miles, the location of the Railroad Company's Engine Houses, Shops, &c, is a very fine market for wood. About 40 acres of timber could be advantageously cleared and sold to said company or send it to Baltimore. Improvements, an ordinary DWELLING, Good Barn, Corn House, &c. Land of first quality.

Payments made to suit the purchaser.

Nov. 2, 1858 S. H. BROWN.

I WILL sell at Private Sale, a tract of MOUNTAIN LAND, belonging to the heirs of Thomas B. Washington, dec'd, lying on the western slope of the Blue Ridge, in this county, adjoining the lands of Charles Brooke and Daniel Ott, containing 302 ACRES, all of which is in Timber, with a considerable quantity of Chestnut Oak—The Alexandria, Loudoun & Hampshire Railroad, as projected, passes through this land for a considerable distance.

For terms apply to

S HOWELL BROWN.

SEVERAL other very fine Farms for sale in this county. Sept. 14, 1858. S. H. BROWN

VALUABLE TIMBER LAND For Sale.

I WILL sell at Private Sale, a Tract of Land in this county, containing 264½ ACRES, lying east of the Shenandoah river—formerly the property of Thos. B. Washington, dec'd, now belonging to Daniel Ott, the greater part of which is in TIMBER, and a large portion in very fine Timber.

This farm was sold during the past week to Jacob Roby, Lee H Dillow and Israel Ott at $5 12 per acre.

CHANCE FOR A SPECULATION.

I AM authorized to sell a tract of very productive Red Ore land, belonging to George W. Little and others, containing about 350 Acres, lying on the eastern Bank of the Shenandoah river, in Jefferson county, of which about 160 acres are in cultivation. Forty acres being very superior BOTTOM LAND, the remainder in GOOD TIMBER. The upland abounds in IRON ORE of superior quality, and in great quantities, supposed to be inexhaustible. This is also a fine grazing farm, and a most delightful and healthy situation, with comfortable improvements, consisting of TWO NEW DWELLING HOUSES, and several small tenements, barn, corn house, stable, &c., and very fine spring of pure and soft water not surpassed anywhere, also a spring in each field upon the farm. The Alex. Loudoun & Hampshire Railroad is located within a short distance of this land. Also an IRON FURNACE on one side, and a FORGE on the other, with merchant mill in sight of house. (off 1 4 of a mile.)

Payments made to suit the purchaser.

In this tract of land a great bargain can be had by immediate application to S. H. BROWN.

October 26, '58.—tf.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED proposals will be received by the undersigned until the 15th of November next, for the construction of a

MASONRY DAM

across the Potomac river, above Harper's Ferry, for the use of the United States Armory. The dam will be nearly 1,500 feet long.

Specifications of the work may be had on application to the undersigned, at Harper's Ferry, who will exhibit the plans, and give every information with respect to the work.

A portion only of the work can be completed with the appropriation now available and the contracts will be subject to the contingency of future appropriations by Congress.

Payments will be made in specie at the Armory, or specie drafts upon the monthly estimates of the Engineer, reserving 20 per cent. on all payments, until the completion of the contracts.

Bidders not personally known to the undersigned must produce satisfactory testimonials of their skill and ability to complete the work, and the successful bidder must enter into an obligation, within ten days, with good and sufficient securities, for the completion of the work undertaken.

H. W. CLOWE,
Superintendent U. S. Armory.
T. L. PATTERSON, Engineer.
Harper's Ferry, Oct. 15, 1858.—t 15.

NEW BOOKS.

LIFE WHITE by Goodwin Ministering Children, by the Author of "The Light of Life." Life of Gen. Havelock, by Brookes, just received by C. E. BELLER & CO.
May 18, 1858.

GAITERS AND SHOES—Ladies and Children Gaiters and shoes of all kinds and sizes.
June 8, 1858.

CLOTHS AND CASSIMERES.

WE have now on hand a large and varied assortment of Cloths and Cassimeres.
Nov 9. KEARSLEY, SHEERER & CO.

The World's

GREAT EXHIBITION PRIZE MEDAL, AWARDED

TO C. MEYER,

For his two Pianos, London, October 15, 1851.

C. MEYER, respectfully informs his friends and the public generally that he has constantly on hand PIANOS equal to those for which he received the Prize Medal in London in 1851.

All orders promptly attended to, and great care taken in the selection and packing the same.

He has received during the last fifteen years more Medals than any other maker from the Franklin Institute—also, First Premiums in Boston, New York and Baltimore.

Warerooms No. 722 ARCH Street, below Eighth south side, PHILADELPHIA.

NEW PICTURE GALLERY.

THE undersigned respectfully invites the attention of the citizens of Charlestown, and vicinity, to his newly fitted up

PICTURE GALLERY,

at the "SPIRIT BUILDING," where they can supply themselves with any of the various styles of Types, AMBRO, MALAINO, &c., including the CHRISTALOTYPE, the latest improvement, and the most beautiful and life-like of any of the numerous types now extant, on very reasonable terms, the prices reduced to suit the times. Having been engaged for the last eight years in the study and practice of the art he flatters himself that he can furnish as good PICTURES as can be had in cities or elsewhere. Call and examine specimens at his room. A. B. McCAUSLAND.

October 12, 1858—F. P. 3t

N. B. Instructions given on reasonable terms, and instruments furnished by A. B. M.

PAY YOUR TAXES

THE Taxes for the present year have been due since the 15th, of June, prompt payment will therefore be expected. Those who are in arrears for Taxes are hereby notified that the amount due must be paid, or we will be obliged to proceed according to law to collect the same.

R. LUCAS, JR. Sheriff.
J. W. CAMPBELL D. S.
N. W. MANNING, D. S.
J. H. CAMPBELL, D. S.

August 17, 1858.

DISSOLUTION.

THE partnership heretofore existing under the name of Campbell & Cooke, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The accounts are in the hands of Mr. E. H. Campbell, who is authorized to collect all debts, and who will adjust all liabilities of the late firm.

E. H. CAMPBELL,
Sept. 1, 1858. H. P. COOKE.

A CARD.

THE undersigned having purchased the interest of Dr. H. P. Cooke, in the "Drug Establishment of Campbell & Cooke," in Charlestown, respectfully announces to the public, that he will offer a choice and select assortment of DRUGS, PAINTS, OILS, an DYE STUFFS, together with FANCY ARTICLES, &c., to be sold at small profits and upon accommodating terms. Thankful for the patronage heretofore extendd, he asks a continuance of the same.

Physicians PRESCRIPTIONS compounded at the shortest notice, either by day or night.

Sept. 7, 1 53. E. H. CAMPBELL.

I HAVE this day disposed of my interest in the firm of Campbell & Cooke, to M. E H. Campbell, who will continue the business in his own name. Those that those who have heretofore dealt with us, will continue to extend their patronage to Mr. Campbell, as he will, I am confident, keep on hand a complete assortment of Drugs and everything pertaining to the business.

Aug 7, 1858. H. P. COOKE.

TO THE PEOPLE OF JEFFERSON CO. AND THE PUBLIC GENERALLY.

MY stock of cloths, cassimeres and vestings is now full and complete, I will sell them at fair and reasonable prices to suit the times. I am prepared to make up garments at the shortest notice, a good fit warranted, I will sell to punctual customers on usual terms, I will trade for well endorsed paper at fair prices, purchasers are invited to call.

FINE AND MEDIUM READY-MADE CLOTHING

my stock of Ready-made clothing for Men and Boys, is full and complete, to cash purchasers I will sell very cheap to defy competition, punctual customers will be supplied upon usual terms, public are invited to call and examine, price and buy.

Oct. 26, '58. WM. J. STEPHENS.

Free Press copy 6t.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the firm of Smith & Miller, are requested to settle forthwith, as longer indulgence cannot be given.

Oct. 5, '58. ALBERT MILLER.

WASHING MACHINES.

THE undersigned having purchased the Patent of ROHR & DAVIS' Washing Machine, for Jefferson and Berkeley Counties, are now engaged in manufacturing and will be able in a few days to supply all those in want. Address

JOHNSON & STEPHENS,
Charlestown, Va.

August 24, 1858—3t

CERTICATES.

CHARLESTOWN, Va., March, 1858.

Messrs Rohr & Davis—I have one of your Washing Machines in use in my family, and find it to answer the purpose admirably. I have used several different kinds of Washing machines and despaired of ever getting one to answer the purpose, but I find yours has removed every difficulty, washing, cleaning, doing the work quickly and economically as to soap, &c, and as I hear good accounts of them wherever they are tried, confidently recommend them to the public.

Yours Respectfully,
E. M. AISQUITH.

Having used the tub and other washing machines without finding one to answer the purpose satisfactorily—I was induced to purchase one manufactured by Rohr & Davis, and find it far superior, in every respect, to any I have ever seen—and have no hesitance in recommending it to the public, as admirably adapted to the purpose of washing and cleaning clothes. I would not be without one for any consideration.

Yours Respectfully,
JAS. H. WELCH.
Harpers Ferry Mills, Feb. '58.

Messrs. Rohr & Davis—Gentlemen:—Your washing machine is preferred by my family; all are much pleased with it. It gives great satisfaction. One thing I know, the clothes come in from the middle of the week, instead of Friday night or Saturday. The black woman is particularly pleased with it.

Yours Respectfully,
JAMES M. BROWN.

Having purchased one of Rohr & Davis' Washing machines and having given it a fair trial, I have no hesitancy in pronouncing it the best machine of the kind I have ever seen, and recommend it to the public as such. DAVID HOWELL.

We heerfully certify that we have used in our families Messrs. Rohr & Davis' Washing machines and can recommend them to the public. In the labor saved, and in the quality of the work done, we believe that they have no equal and we would not do without one for ten times its value.

C. G. STEWART,
W. N. CRAIGHILL.

THOMAS RAWLINS

HAS just received and has on hand for sale, cheap for cash, double barrel Guns; Concentrated Lye; Pitch and Spade Forks; hand and table Bells; carriage, riding and wagon Whips; Blind Bridles, Halters, Collars, Riding Bridles, Martingales, Stirrup Leathers, Saddles, Saddle Girths, Cirangles, Web Reins and Leather Bridle Reins; a large stock of door, pad, till and box Locks; Screws of all sizes; loose joint, door and shutter Hinges; Copper Rivets and Burrs; Corn Meal; Cloverseed and Sand Sives; Jackson and Dixon's hand and tenant Saws; Diston's best casteel cross-cut Saws; Ivory handle and tea Knives; silver plated and albata Forks; table and Tea-spoons; Plated Stirrups and Bridle Bits; ¾ and ½ inch Ropes; with a general assortment of Groceries and Queensware, which I would like to close out for I wish to quit the business.

Sept. 28, 1858.

CHANGE OF HOUR!

OFFICE WINCHESTER AND POT. R. R. COM.
August 6, 1858.

ON and after Monday, 9th inst., the PASSENGER TRAIN will leave Winchester Depot at 9 A. M., and returning, leave Harper's Ferry at 1 30 P. M.

J. GEO. HEIST,
Principal Agent.

Aug. 10, 1858

BARGAINS! BARGAINS,

AT DUFFIELD'S DEPOT

HUNTER & GRIFFITH have just received from New York a large supply and great variety of goods bought at reduced prices, which will be sold CHEAP to purchasing dealers, and as a great inducement to CASH buyers, a discount of 10 per cent will be made on all sums over $5, Groceries excepted. So walk up to the music, as the Goods must be sold!

October 19, 1858.—6t.

JUST ARRIVED.

THE subscriber has just received some very choice and select JEWELRY, to which he invites the attention of the public. His goods embrace some new styles of Breastpins, Rings, Watch Chains, Vest and Fob, with other desirable articles in his line. Specimens of the Atlantic Cable on hand. CHAS. G. STEWART.

COOK HERE

I HAVE just received British Lustre, Kitchen Shovels and Tongs, Jam and Wardrobe Hooks, Carpet Tacks, and 1 1-4 and 1½ inch finishing nails.

Oct. 19, 1858. T. RAWLINS.

TEAS.—New York Green and Black Teas in packs, very superior, for sale by W. EBY.
Oct. 5.

SNOW WHITE ZINC, Pure White Lead, Paints and Colors ground in Oil, Varnishes, Brushes &c. C. E. BELLER & Co.

Scrofula, or King's Evil,

is a constitutional disease, a corruption of the blood, by which this fluid becomes vitiated, weak, and poor. Being in the circulation, it pervades the whole body, and may burst out in disease on any part of it. No organ is free from its attacks, nor is there one which it may not destroy. The scrofulous taint is variously caused by mercurial disease, low living, disordered or unhealthy food, impure air, filth and filthy habits, the depressing vices, and, above all, by the venereal infection. Whatever be its origin, it is hereditary in the constitution, descending "from parents to children unto the third and fourth generation;" indeed, it seems to be the rod of Him who says, "I will visit the iniquities of the fathers upon their children."

Its effects commence by deposition from the blood of corrupt or ulcerous matter, which, in the lungs, liver, and internal organs, is termed tubercles; in the glands, swellings; and on the surface, eruptions or sores. This foul corruption, which genders in the blood, depresses the energies of life, so that scrofulous constitutions not only suffer from scrofulous complaints, but they have far less power to withstand the attacks of other diseases; consequently, vast numbers perish by disorders which, although not scrofulous in their nature, are still rendered fatal by this taint in the system. Most of the consumption which decimates the human family has its origin directly in this scrofulous contamination; and many destructive diseases of the liver, kidneys, brain, and, indeed, of all the organs, arise from or are aggravated by the same cause.

One quarter of all our people are scrofulous; their persons are invaded by this lurking infection, and their health is undermined by it. To cleanse it from the system we must renovate the blood by an alterative medicine, and invigorate it by healthy food and exercise. Such a medicine we supply in

AYER'S
Compound Extract of Sarsaparilla,

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It is put up in bottles of various sizes, and at various prices. JNO. P. GORMAN,

Charlestown,

Aug. 10, 1858. Jefferson Co., Va.

CERTIFICATES.

Mr. J. P. GORMAN—Sir: It gives me pleasure to inform you that I have been restored to my usual health by using your Cough Syrup. I have derived more benefit from the use of it, than all the medicine I have ever taken. I have had a severe cough for two or three years, and I have never been relieved in the slightest degree, until I commenced taking your Cough Syrup. After I had taken three bottles it had its desired effect, and I am now well. Sir, I am happy to know that there is one in our midst who has in his possession a sure remedy for this troublesome disease, and I am glad that I have it in my power to make the above statement in praise of your Syrup.

Charlestown, July 30, 1858. R. H. BROWN.

I hereby certify that I have been using Jno. P. Gorman's Cough Syrup in my family for Coughs, and have found it to be an excellent medicine, its use in my family at this time for Whooping Cough, and it is of great benefit those who are using it. I unhesitatingly recommend it to all who may be troubled with a Cough. JACOB STARRY.

Aug. 3, 1858.

Mr. J. P. GORMAN—Sir: Your preparation for Whooping Cough is in use in my family at this time, and my children have been very much benefited by the use of it. It has cured them of their cough in a great measure, it is much looser, and they cough with much more ease than they did before they commenced taking your Cough Syrup.

I am yours with much respect,

Charlestown, Aug. 3, '58. J. E. HILBERT.

I do hereby certify that I have used J. P. Gorman's Cough Syrup for a cough which I had last Spring, and the result was a speedy cure. I consider it an excellent preparation. I judge it from the benefit I received by taking it.

Charlestown, July 12, '58. G. W. SADLER.

I hereby certify that I have been using Mr. J. P. Gorman's Cough Syrup in my family in cases of Croup, and he found it to be of great benefit. I am using it myself at this time for a Cough, and have been very much relieved by it. I can recommend it to any who may be troubled with Coughs.

JEANNETTE YOUNG.

Charlestown, July 20, 1858.

A CARD

FROM DR. JAMES M. JARRETT, OF THE NEW-YORK LUNG INFIRMARY.—My connection for the past eight years with the above institution, as Chief Physician, and a twelve years' course of steady devotion to the Cure of Pulmonary Consumption and its kindred diseases, together with my unrivalled opportunities and advantage of pathological research—aided not a little by a perfect system of *Medical Inhalation*—has enabled me to arrive at a decisive, direct, and successful course of treatment for the positive and radical cure of all diseases of the *Throat, Lungs*, and *Air Passages*. By Inhalation, the vapor and curative properties of medicines are directly addressed to the diseased organs and the integument. I do not advise the use of Medical Inhalation of any kind, to the exclusion of general treatment, and although I consider it a useful adjuvant in the proper management of those fearful and often fatal diseases, yet I deem it very necessary that each patient should have the benefit of both general and local treatment. The success of my treatment in the above diseases, and the high character of the Institution over which I have for so long had the honor to preside, are too well known to need any eulogy or comment from me. At the solicitation of many private and professional friends, through whose philanthropic aid the above charity has been long and liberally supported, and after due consideration, I have concluded to make such arrangements as will bring the benefits of my experience and treatment within the reach of all, and not confine myself, as heretofore, to those only who entered the Infirmary, or who were able to visit me at my office. Hoping therefore that the arrangement will give entire satisfaction, both to my professional brethren and the public, I would respectfully announce, that I can now be consulted personally or by letter, on all diseases as above, and that the medicines, the same as used in the Institution, prepared to suit each individual case. *Inhaling Vapors, Medical Inhalers*, &c., &c., will be forwarded by express to any part of the United States or Canadas. My mode of treatment by letter are as follows, viz.: $5 per month for each patient, which include medicine sufficient for one month's use; also, Inhaling Vapor, and an Inhaling Apparatus. Payment as follows: $6 to be paid to Express Agent on receipt of the box of Medicine, and the balance $6 at the expiration of the month, if the patient be cured or is entirely satisfied with the treatment. Patients, by giving a full history of their case, and their symptoms in full, can be treated as well by letter as by personal examination. Patients availing themselves of Dr. Jarrett's treatment may rely upon immediate and permanent relief, as he seldom has to treat a case over thirty days. Letters for advice promptly answered. For further particulars address

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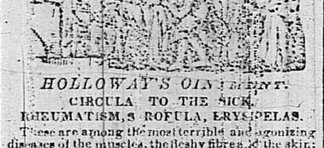

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March 9, 1858.—1y

HEALTH ORDINANCE.

IT is a view to preserve the health of the town, the Trustees passed the following Ordinance, viz.:

That the town Sergeant examine every person's premises, weekly, before the hours of 8 in the morning, and after 5 in the evening, until the first of October, 1857. And all persons having offensive matters on their premises, or hog pens within 50 yards of them and suffer the same to remain over 24 hours after notice from town Sergeant, will be subject to a fine of one dollar, to be recovered before the Mayor. The citizens are also requested to have all pigs and other offensive matters removed from the suburbs.

SAML. RIDENOUR, R. PENN,

N. B. The citizens are expected to give the Sergeant all the aid and information they can in carrying out the above order.

August 4, 1857.

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Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia.

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J. R. A. REDMAN,

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April 7, 1857—tf.

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Very fine Old Madeira in do.;
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Bass' Celebrated "India Pale Ale;"
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REDMAN & GIBSON.

Carter House, May 19, 1857.

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HIS TABLE

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His Chambers

will be clean and comfortable. In short, every thing will be done to make it a pleasant sojourn for persons who may desire to view the magnificent scenery and visit the work shops of the National Armory located at this place.

July 7, 1857.

J. LUCAS. JOHN LUCAS

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THEIR TABLE

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May 12, 1857.

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May 12, 1857.

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A. SHIPE, } Proprietors.
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January 19, 1858—1y

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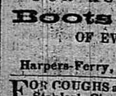

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