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MY MOTHER.

Long years have passed of toil and strife, And darker grows the path of life, As up the rugged steep I climb, And strive to bear the load

POETICAL.

LUCKY LOYD.

BY A. FOLKERSON.

She gave to me her young bright hair... When Spring-time brought the roses back...

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MANUFACTURERS OF MONUMENTS, TOMBS, HEAD & FOOT STONES, MANTLES, STATUES, AND CARVING.

In all its various branches, and all work in their business, all orders promptly filled at the lowest rates...

THE subscriber has also in operation their shop in Martinsburg, where they will give prompt attention to all work entrusted to them...

CHARLESTOWN, Feb. 19, 1867—May 15, 1866.

LATEST FASHIONS DEMAND

J. W. Bradley's Celebrated Patent DUPLEX ELLEPTIC (OR DOUBLE SPRING) SKIRT.

THEY will not bend or break like the Single Spring, but will preserve their perfect and graceful shape under the most trying circumstances...

THE HOOPS are covered with durable and twisted TRUSSARDI, and the body is not only double sprung, but twice (or double) covered, preventing them from wearing out when dragging down...

THE WONDERFUL FLEXIBILITY and GREAT COMFORT and PLEASURE in wearing the DUPLEX ELLEPTIC SKIRT will be experienced particularly in all crowded ASSEMBLIES, OPERAS, CARriages, RAIL ROAD CARS, and in all places where the ladies are exposed to the inconveniences of the ordinary SKIRT...

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HALLOWEEN TRADE.

NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

THE undersigned have just received at their Store in Rippon, a fresh supply of GOODS suitable for the season, embracing every article to be found in a country Store...

LADIES DRESS GOODS, GENTLEMEN'S WEAR, &c.

Brown and White Sugar, Molasses and Syrup, Fish, Salt, Spices, &c. Also, a general assortment of Groceries.

They invite a call from those in want of Goods, feeling assured that they can sell as cheap as any other establishment in the County.

Hallowtown, April 30, 1867.

I HAVE FOUND SOMETHING AT HALLOWTOWN!

WHAT is it? Nothing more or less than a place where you can buy your Boots and Shoes, good and cheap, may be obtained such as GAITERS, FINE BOOTS, COARSE WORK, and work of all descriptions. NEW SHOES made out of old ones.

The subscriber does not think it necessary to say much, but he invites a call, well satisfied that he can give all who favor him with their work.

Hallowtown, May 21, 1867—ly.

THE BALL OPENED! CLEAR THE TRACK!

NOW is the time to buy your goods from the undersigned, as he has just received at his Store in Rippon, Va., a well selected stock of Groceries, CONFECTIONARIES, DRUGS, TOBACCO, SEAGRAM, PIPES, SNUFF, Tinware, Hardware, &c. Also, agent for the sale of Stonebraker's Medicines, Ladies' Morocco Boots, do. Cal. Men's Brogans, Boys' and Children's shoes. Also a full line of NOTIONS of every description.

Call at the Cheap Store, Sign of the Red Flag, North end of Rippon. M. B. FRYER.

TO THE PUBLIC.

I TENDER my thanks to the public for the liberal patronage I received during the last two years, while doing business for the firm of G. W. Leisenring & Co., and hope by courtesy and accommodation to meet with a continuance of the same. I propose to sell as low as any other articles can be purchased elsewhere in this market, and to give full satisfaction, both in quality and price. I will also take in exchange for goods, Dried Fruit, Butter, Eggs, Rags, &c. The public are especially invited to call and examine my stock. No trouble to you.

Respectfully yours, M. B. FRYER.

CALL AND BE SUPPLIED.

STUP received at the New Store in Rippon, No. 1 of Syrup and Molasses, Prime Rio Coffee, Brown Sugar, Crushed Coffee, Gunpowder and Imperial Tea, Kerosene Oil, Roast Coffee, Dairy Salt, Canned Peas, Peas, Baking Soda, Nutmegs, Ginger, Indigo, Starch, Sugar and Water Crackers, Mason's Blacking, Blacking Brushes, Lemons and Oranges, Figs and Raisins, Fresh Oysters, Sardines, Lemon and Raspberry Syrup.

Manufactured by the sole owners of the Patent, WEST, BRADLEY & CARY, 97 Chambers, and 79 & 81 Reade Sts., New York.

REMOVAL.

I WOULD most respectfully announce to the citizens of Charlestown, and surrounding country, that I have taken the room formerly occupied by the late Charles G. Stewart, formerly of Tinsell & Co., where I will carry on the JEWELRY BUSINESS, as heretofore. I am prepared to do all kinds of WATCH REPAIRING, as well as CLOCKS and JEWELRY, and all who may desire to have anything done in my line, will find it to their advantage to patronize me at my new place of business. Thankful for the liberal patronage bestowed upon me heretofore, I solicit a continuance of the same.

At the residence of M. B. FRYER, on April 19, 1867.

SADDLES AND HARNESS.

HARNESS, SADDLES, AND BRIDLES, MANUFACTURED OR REPAIRED.

At Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia.

THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully announces to the citizens of Charlestown and vicinity, that he is constantly making and repairing Carriage Harness, SADDLES, BRIDLES, WHIPS, HARNESS, SADDLES, BRIDLES, HALTERS, &c., in the most durable manner, and the most modern style of workmanship, and at short notice and upon "living" terms. My work commands itself. All I ask is a share of the public patronage.

Call upon me at my establishment opposite the "Carter House."

HENRY D. MIDDLEKAUFF, November 7, 1866—ly.

FRANKLIN INSURANCE COMPANY, OF WHEELING.

T. H. Logan, J. H. Riddick, J. H. Hobbs, M. S. Frisheim, Alex. Laughlin, J. M. Shaller, George Menck, Samuel McClellan, James N. Vance.

THIS company now having been organized four years, and in that time done a successful business, it is now ready to take risks on the Buildings