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ings that are sad? To-day, as we face it for the last time, its minister, and feel the flood

of memories coming in to the soul full and strong, can we stand here glad of heart be-

cause, of those who hear, none are strangers to hope and to God? No, friends! Here is

the man upon whom time has written its re-cord and life its cares, but "he knoweth not."

Right before the great future is he standing;

and yet has no mark upon his brow to meet

the wanderer's eye, as he passes to the gates of death. And here is the man of vigor and

here is the youth, and the mother, and the

maiden, and they have each one a soul un-

saved, and are to-day exposed to the Almighty's wrath, Weak are we? Weak we are, friends, and weak have we been. Some

have triumphed over us. Proof against our weapons have you been. Assaulted at your

reason, at your hearts, at your interests; you

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Tuesday Morning, October 12, 1869.

FAREWELL SERMON

REV. HENDERSON SUTER. DELIVERED IN ST. PAUL'S CHUECH, LYNCHEURG, Sunday Morning, September 26th, 1869. And I was with you in weakness, and in fear, and in much trembling.

And my speech and my preaching was not with

enticing words of man's wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power. —I Cor. II Chap., 3-4 verses. I have selected these words, my friends and brethren, because of the position I hold towards you who have come up to this house to-day. It is my lot to stand in this pulpit as its legal occupant for the last time, and to have made a manful battle, and may to-day look my last look upon faces endeared to me sing your pean over a victory won. What by many tender memories. But two years though ye have made common cause with the ago I came to you a stranger. The most had never seen me, and the most I had never more fearful the peril which hangs around the seen. We have learned to know each other, and I trust, to love; and yet the wise providence of God orders us apart—me to lighter to his post, with the confession: weak, weak! work, and you, I hope, to a ministry more able | Will you rejoice over him? Will you cast and more faithful, and so to a fuller measure the same in his teeth and say—"Yes, so would of blessing. When I came to you brethren, we have it?" Friends, he bids you farewell Gospel, and as my authority for the claim and heart is grief; sorrow comes over him as he

position then advocated I gave the Apastle's sheathes his sword, and for you more than for you, and dare claim for it the Apostelic exstatement; "Whereunto I am ordained a himself is he constrained to lament—"Who pression. It has not been with enticing preacher," and to-day I think I can claim hath believed our report and to whom hath your assent to my plea, and go hence assured the arm of the Lord been revealed? His that I have never beyond this magnified my office; never claimed for myself the prerogatives of priesthood, or done aught to show act is over and the voice silenced for this trinal peculiarities, have I maintained, and as that I believed them to be my due. But place, it may be forever, his yearning heart ble mind, and enough of responsibility to justify the utterance to day adopted: "And I prove to you His love, and in view of the emonial have I discarded; all the intervenwas with you in weakness and in fear, and in great sacrifice do we beseach you to be recontions of a priesthood and the unfailing effica-much trembling." There is, my friends, no ciled to Him. Jesus invites you, invites you cy of rites. Before you have I set forth the presumption in making the language of such | to-day. With precious freeness does he bid a man as the Apostle the expression of our us proclaim the full salvation: "Ho every Him lift up your hearts," and "Believing ye feelings; and because in every Christian one that thirsteth! Come! and he that hath shall have life through His name." Jealous heart and every truly ministerial heart, the no money come; yea, come and buy wine world over, there must be a likeness of qual- and milk, without money and without price." ities, brought about as the state of that heart | "And if ye will enquire, enquire ye : Return, is, by the same Spirit. As the Apostle then said to the Corinthians, "I was with you in weakness," so say we to you, and without any fear of a self exalting analogy. And what did he mean? He may have meant that he

acts as numberless as motive and volition .-

And there is that world which is made, in

ians, lead souls to the Cross, the same pow-

come"-come to-day, and add other scals to those already given us of God. II. But I have other things to say : was with you," said Paul, "in fear." In fear ! Why his spirit seemed to be far removed from that, and yet he owns it-confesses, and even was with them oppressed by physical infirmities-under the necessity of waging daily declares that he had lived in it. Brethren. it is written : "Tis the eringer to his equal. battle with the enemies of manly vigor-ever who is boldest towards his God;" and the conscious that he was weak in comparison with the work which in Corinth offered itself. sentiment implied, is, that one who fears God may know not the fear of man, and we know And in perfect truth might the speaker adopt the language and apply it, as thus understood, it to be so. Piety, is the fear of God, under to the short life among you, which to-day is one definition, and they who are under this brought to a close. But rather would I confeur, may, because of it, know little or nothing sider the Apostle as having reference to the of the fear. Not indeed the deeper the piety, moral aspects of his position—as having in the greater the dread—the more constant the view the calls made upon his heart and mind trembling; but the more vivid the sense of the Creator's holiness and of the deep degra-dation of the heart which he has deigned to by the religious interests of those to whom God had sent him as the herald of immortal life. And so understood, my friends, his utbless. And so also the more pressing the terance belongs to every man in the Christian needs of those who are strangers to grace, the ministry; for verily weakness is our attribute, clearer the preception of ministerial responsibility and the stronger the anxiety about its whatever else may belong or be ascribed to us. We bear the tidings of eternal life. We full discharge. The idea is this; Paul felt witness to the revelations which God has the momentous nature of his work-his own made. We plead with each hearer for his part in the grand scheme of life, and with ment or a day. There is the human heart, that guilty thing which hides from truth, be-

soul, and, as best we may, seek to lead him to | the eye of faith saw the future-the judgthat fountain where sin and uncleanness are washed away. But against us are arrayed as connected with the success of that gospel foes of no mean spirit, and athwart our shafts | which he had in charge; and he was moved come shields that are not tempered in a mo- Within him mixed emotions—he was in fear. And who will condemn us if we lay claim to a portion of this spirit? Of that thing cause it loves it not. There is the heurer's discarded, removed from the elements of the will, set against God, and because under the Apestle's character—the fear of man—it beinfluence of earth, and of that power which comes from sin. There is the hearer's habit have been faithful; that we have spared of life, wrought and welded into shape by for the sake of no man's favor failed to preach anything allowed to the boldest ministry.-Scripture, the enemy of souls, and to love In Paul's place we have never been. No which is not to have the love of God within surging mob has cried out, "Away with him! us. Ah, weak is the human pleading before away with him ! It is not fit that he should these opponents, friends, defeated are we dai- live!" Against pride, prejudice, and power ly when in combat we essay to break through | we have had no call to contend. Tho' prison, to the prize, and to carry off the heart as a the chain, the sword, the stake-these have trophy to our Lord. But these are not all never faced us, and so to boast of courage the force which meets the man who goes out | would be but the coward's part after all. No, to plead for Jesus. Veiled to human eyes, friends; it is not for us to claim the Apos-covered by the mantle of invisibility, and tle's meed. But to say that we have been busy against God and Truth, live the spirits with you in fear is not unmanly, neither is who kept not their first estate; and these ar- it wrong. Every minister ought to fear-to ray themselves against every preacher of the gospel and withstand him. Is it not record- about the discharge of it, and about those ed, and by this very same Apostle, that "we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but poor souls that hear and yet fail to do. Great things are committed to us. We have menagainst the rulers of the darkness of this tal difficulties to meet; we have scruples of world, against spiritual wickedness in high places?" And if that be of the true believer—every Christian—all who are the re- of the Gospel, as well as for its proclamation, cipients of Christ in his grace and converting and are to advocate it with wisdom, as well as power, it is doubtless right to say, as well as with zead. Surely, then, if an inspired man, to believe, that when we would make Christ- this same Apostle, said, "Who is sufficient for these things?" we, who are neither like him ers offsets us with their wiles, and render nu- nor inspired, may fear of failure. And, brethgatory our efforts. But this too is recorded, ren, while to day my heart is tried—tried be-and recorded as the utterance of one nobler, cause of the sundering of the ties which bind

more exalted, wiser, greater and more rever | souls afast, the one to the other; and I find end than Paul, Christ Jesus: "The sower it a task to stand here, feeling that I shall soweth the word, and these are they by the know you no more as my people, and receive wayside where the word is sown, but when no more of that grateful sympathy which is they have heard Satan cometh immediately, and taketh away the word that was sown in their hearts." (Mark 4-16.) So that evimust go hence," but as I go, and when the have we for the position assumed, in weak-ness has our ministry been exercised. But, III. But here is another word; I was with mark, friends, that the lack of power is not in the cause, but in the man. To the cause, understanding by that the truth of God, the divine word, the revealed plan of saving men, but a stronger statement of the same intent.

good the expression we have chosen: "And I was with you in weakness." Who are these before us? Can we look over this congregation and scan it with a heart unmoved by feelings that are sad? To-day, as we face it for weal: divided, as best I could, the truth, and now leave the judgment with Him who judges well. And yet I feel that my work ends not here, but passes on to the hour when all reviewed, immortal souls will witness to a blessing or a curse. Were there no mediator there, friends; no advocate, no Saviour, no Jesus, this heart would surely quail in fear and in much trembling. But Christ is our Mediator, Advocate, Saviour, Friend; and He will remember that we are but dust --Friends, we have stood for salvation; entreated have we, prayed and longed, and why? Oh, because in trembling, have we looked over these gathered souls, and remembered that some are in peril of eternal death. The delineations of the future have risen to arouse, and the lost soul presented itself as a reason for our fear. Even before us has come the piteous aspect of the spirit consigned to mis-ery, and its haggard look of hopeless grief appealed to our deepest sympathy, and we have trembled: And, beloved, we tremble still; tremble for you, and in the anxiety of this sad and trying hour. pray you once more to escape for your life, unto the refuge for

sinners set. IV. "And my speech and my preaching was not with enticing words of man's wisdom but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power." Friends, I have intimated my view it was to be a preacher-a preacher of the with no humble pride. The feeling of his of the Christian ministry. And now I look back upon that ministry, as ordered among words of man's wisdom. The supreme au thority of the word of God has been my pothe great source of spiritual comfort, strength though I put thus, what some would call a would plead again the invitation of grace, and life have I given it to you—ever declatow estimate upon my office. I feel that there these dear sonly be pointed to the Lamb of ring that truth is the great instrument of God, is enough of honor in it to satisfy a reasona- God which taketh away the sin of the world. and if men bring not that, give to them no one Mediator-Christ crucified, and said "To have I tried to be of His bonor, and yet faithful to the Church at whose altars it is my privilege to serve, and whose glory it is that while She is everywhere clad in garments of beauty, it is all to set forth the salvation which is in Carist Jesus, and to bring Christians near unto Him in prayer and praise.

Brethren, I yield unto no man in reverence for Her liturgy. I yield to none in the assurance that Her order is wise, is right, is holy; meet to build up in faith, yea specially meet to make Christian character what i ought to be; pure within and beautiful without. Had my heart the full spirit of her praise, the earnestness of her prayers, the happy gladness of her hope, the Christian character of the minister who leaves you today would be what Jesus meant it to be. Ah, I love Her and pray God that you may love Her, and with zeal guard her against enemies without and against those who have found a lodgment within; those who turn her sober and Scriptural worship into a sham, and cause her to assume a dress she was never made to wear! Prejudice has assaulted her; ignorance of her true intent given rise to erroneous statement, and her name has been made a byword. Brethren, do you be steadfast, immovable; ward off the shaft of the opponent by intelligent and active piety; against the insidious foe, draw the sacred sword, and use the shield of Gospel faith, having as your constant motto, "If there come any unto you, and bring not this doctrine, receive him not into your house, neither bid him God-speed." And do you, my respected brethren of the Vestry, see to this. You have a much heavier weight of responsibility in the Church of God, than some are wont to imagine, and as a brother in obligation to be faithful do I pray you to-day ever to keep this pulpit sacred to the simple and unadultered Gospel of the Son of God. Be jealous for your Master's honor. Be true to the Church which in her standards proclaims it, and true to the souls for which, under God, you are to make pro-2. Once more, "In demonstration of the

Spirit and of power." Can I claim it? Brethren, my ministry has been blessed .-Seventy-nine have come into this Church since I came; and who has done it? Not I. It is not by might nor by power, by human wisdom, or human energy; it is by the Spirit of the living God-His demonstration and His power. But will not speak of this. To God be all the praise. To you, however, dear friends, called of God, and through me, I will speak, and in the affectionate sympathy of a pastor's heart, ask you to be true to your departing pastor's counsels, to your Church, to your Saviour and to yourselves. Be separate from the world. Be earnest in every good word and work, and with your eye upon the prize, the great crown of life, press to the mark, ever looking to Jesus. To-day I sever the cord which binds in office; but no change of place can sunder that which links hearts together. When away, "I will remember the challen whom God hath given me." I will ber them in my heart as it assays to approach fon throne of grace; and oh, that you would member the Shepherd who has gone! Remen er him to pray for him. Remember

understanding by that the truth of God, the divine word, the revealed plan of saving men, we attribute not the element by us confessed. That word is quick and powerful—mighty through God, and where the spirit worketh with and by it, it is His power unto salvation, willing, in the day of his power, immortial spirits break loose from the bands of death; rise from the lethargy into which sinful habit has thrown them; open the eye to the great things of faith and hope, and over the world, the flesh and the devil victorious, offer themselves as living searlifees unto God. And, to-day, we thank God for such—the seals set to our ministry in this place, and the evidence that, though man is bothing God is all—now as heretofore the advocate and helper of the word. And yet, friends, we have enough to abase us, to keep us low, and to make

and his heart be gladdened, as it should, by appreciative auditors; but ye all shall continue to be loved, as ye have been to me most kind. Brethren, may God reward you. And may He give to you a better and more successful shepherd, granting to his ministry fresh tokens of approval, and to you grace for life, grace for death, and glory when all is

And now my work is ended here: the seal is set, and this people and their pastor must part assunder. Bretheren, I the loser am, if anything be lost. My life with you has been short, but not few its days for cherished memories, and I lay down here and now, willingly, but sadly, my Shepherd's staff, and bid you all a heartfelt, a most affectionate—farewell. Oh "may the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, the Great Shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, make you perfect in every good work, to do His will, working in you that which is pleasing in His sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever." And may the Lord bless

and keep thee; The Lord make His face to shine upon hee and be gracious unto thee; The Lord make His face to shine upon hee and give thee peace."

[From the Chicago Post.] Amoutating the Bowels. Wonderful Trinmph in Surgery- A Re-

Farewell!

markable Case in which Something was Done that was Never Done Before. We have no reason to doubt the entire cor-

ectness of an interesting and instructive account of a recent triumph of modern surgery, communicated to the Chicago Tribune, by Dr G. D. Beebe, of Chicago, who achieved it, in which the particulars of the removal of four feet and ten inches of the intestinal canalof Miss J. B. Curtis, of Lee Centre, Illinois, was effected, and the life of the patient preserved :-The case was originally one of the umbili-

ed, perhaps being mistaken for something else, as when Dr. Beebe first saw it in the tumor it was large, discolored and on the point of giving way by the pressure of a considerable quantity of fluid therein contained. The constitutional symptoms were such as to leave no doubt as to the nature of the case, so the Doctor set about furnishing such relief possible. A removal of the integuments showed that a large mass of the intestines had been pushed through a hole in the abdominal cavity, and being there constricted by the constant accumulation of fecal matter, had become congrenous and dend. The Dr. freed a portion of the intestine and followed it back in each direction to the hernial ring, as one would find the two ends of a string held in the hand by the middle, and found that the parts involved in the decay was four feet and ten inches in length. To return it to the cavity of the abdomen would have been fatal; to remove it would, almost of necessity, have been equally so, but as the latter included the only chance of life, Dr. Beebe applied the knife, brought the severed ends of the intestines to its margin and there secured them by suture; and through the ring as an patient was discharged. After the expiration of three weeks the constitutional disturbance consequent upon the first operation having subsided, Dr. Beebe proceeded to unite the severed ends of the intestines by means of a highly ingenious and, as the result proved, an effective contrivance, the description of which our unprofessional readers would not under stand, after which, he, on August 6th, closed the artificial opening in the wall of the abdomen which the hernia had caused, and all the natural excretionary functions of the body of the patient were restored.

This case is without parallel in the history surgery, and by it, Dr. Beebe has gained remembrances that will be coeval with the endurance of his heart. Indeed, the facts involve so wide a departure from the supposed possibilities of the co-operation of art and nature, that there are plenty of men who will not hesitate to deny them. But to all such we say-there's the Doctor's cabinet, with the trophy in its place of honor, in Lee Centre is the patient.

A FAST NAG .- A Cockney, conversing with an American in London, mentioned a horse, belonging to a friend of his, which had "gone his mile in a minute, sir, carrying my friend over the downs." "That," quietly re-marked the American, "is about the pace of our common roadsters. I had a horse oncea horse altogether too fast. When I mounted him. I used to walk out about ten rods in front of where the men were holding him, climb some portable steps under the limb of a tree, clasp the limb with both hands and hang on. Then the steps were removed. Then I gave the word for the horse to be let go, and at the same instant let go of the limb myself. I always 'lighted in the saddle. Every morning used to have to ride that animal around a large factory to take a little of the spirit out of him. He used to go so fast for the first twenty or thirty times around that I saw my back continually, and came near running over myself on several occasions."

-There was a curious bet made by two sisters, daughters of a wealthy farmer, at a him to sk that when your Savior and his horse race, in Dubuque last week. The eld-comes to award, he may be enabled to give a est bet on Wild Rose, the terms being that if good account and sit down with you at the she won, the youngest sister was to remain dent is the doctrine, clear the teaching that when we preach devils oppose. Reason, then, bility is ordered for me by my God, I accept so privileged? Yes, and I have told you of that if she lost she must marry within four it, and do now again beseech you to strive to- weeks a young man of her acquaintance.gether with me for the glad re-union of that | Wild Rose lost; the eldest sister is therefore happy day. Come to that feast, and we will rejoice together. Yea, and through all the blest scenes of the then gained Eternity, congratulate our souls for the prize that is won,

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POETICAL.

A LITTLE CROWN.

Among the lambs of my tair flock;
One more dear name shall be engrated by Jesus saved!"

The angel paused and wrote it down Then turned and touched a glowing of On which the precious sentence glean "By Christ redeemed!"

It was our lamb whose name was there.
So precious and so sweetly fair.
That oft we trembled as we dreamed;
So near to Heaven he seemed! And oft the angels softly came, And gently called his little name; For beauteous grew his sparkling eyes With baby ecstacies!

Ah me! we would have stayed the hand, Which led him to the beauteous land ! But troops of little ones came down To lead him to the crown!

He went so sweetly to that throng, We almost heard the welcome song Of countless dartings gone before Unto the shining shore?

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Edge of the Cataract.

Many years since a steamboat was accus tomed to make daily trips between Buffalo and Niagara Falls. The nearest point at which she could approach the mighty cataract was Chippewa Creek, about ten miles distant on the Canada side. One day there was a pleasure excursion, and several hundred men women and children, went down from Buffalo.

After spending the day in all sorts of amusements, in looking upon the falls, admiring the rainbow, passing under Table Rock and behind the falling water, they gathered themselves on board the boat toward night, to return to their homes. By some miscalcula-tion of the engineer sufficient steam had not been generated, and when, after passing out of the creek, the boat met the strong, rapid current of the river, instead of going forward, she was slowly borne backward to the dreadful cataract.

The people on board, as may well be imafled from their cheeks; they stood in speechless horror; the roar of the cataract sounded fearfully distinct in their ears, as slowly, slowly they were still borne back toward it.

At length the engineer bethought him of the oil with which he lubricated the machinery. He threw it into the furnace—the flames blazed up intensely-steam was generated more rapidly -the wheel moved around with increased velocity—there was a pause as the Titan forces were contending for the mastery. A moment more, and there was an up-

ward movement. Now slowly, slowly the boat made way against the current. In a short time the point of danger was passed, and a long, heavy sigh of relief broke from the bosom of every one on board.

. A venerable, gray haired man was there among them. He lifted his hat and said, in a voice trembling with emotion: "The Lord hath delivered us. Great is the name of the Lord. Let us pray."

And down upon the deck kneeled the multitude, while the heart-felt offering of thanksgiving went up to God, who had wrought for them so great a salvation. But it did not artificial exit, the stercoraccous matter of the | end here. The feeling that had been awakened by the near approach to death did not, with all, pass away when the danger was over, as is very often the case. Even there on the very brink of that awful precipice, many found their Saviour. A revival followed in the church to which many of them belonged. (it was a Sunday School excursion,) and many found peace in believing. One, a man of great wealth, dedicated much of it to God in the building of a church, as a memorial of his gratitude for being snatched from destruction, both in this and the life to come.

[Christian Treasury. "WE SHALL EAT THE FRUIT."-A mechanic had in his possession, but under mort-gage, a house and piece of land. Like many others, he was fond of a social glass, but was happily induced by a friend to join the temperance society, and about three months after, he observed his wife, one morning, busi-ly employed in planting rose bushes and fruit

"Mary," said he, "I have owned this cot for five years, and yet I have never known you before to improve it in this manner." "Indeed," replied the smiling wife. "I had no heart to do it until you gave up drink. I had often thought of it before, but I was persuaded that should I do it, some stranger would plack the roses and eat the fruit. Now, with God's blessing, this cottage will be ours, we and our children may expect to enjoy the produce. We shall pluck the roses and eat the fruit."

- "A very original Yankee youngster, after watching a funeral procession thoughtfully one day, and hearing the ordinary sort of remarks about it, suddenly startled the family by the determined assertion :" "Well, I don't want to be the last angel God makes !" "Why, Clark, what do you mean?" cried an astonished sister. "I don't care, I don't," insisted the boy, "because I want to see how he makes

- Rev. Mr. Richardson, of Washington, Ohio, is probably the oldest living American clergyman, yet he appears by no means super-annuated; for, although one hundred and six years of age, he walks five miles on Sunday and preaches a sermon.

- A Cincinnatian has lately made a bet of one hundred dollars that he could carry a

miles without resting. - Employment, which Galena calls "na-ture's physician," is so essential to human happiness that indolence is justly considered as the mother of misery.

- The arrival of 13,500 boxes tea at Chicago by the Pacific road seems to have created quites furore. The tea is of firsteless quality.

- Don't be afraid of the storm of time, knowing that God had holds the moral as well as physical ocean in the hollow of his hand.

— Human Nature is a bad clock. It may go right now and then, or be made to strike the hour, but its inward frame is to go wrong.

-The population of Baltimore and its mmediate suburbs, is said to be over 400,000.

CHARLESTOWN, VA.

Tuesday Morning, October 12, 1869. ONWARD WE MOVE!

The proceedings of the late Railroad meeting at Harrisonburg, appear in our columns this morning. They are important, as showing the hearty co-operation of the people of the Upper Valley with our own, in support of the eastern route for the connection of the Shenandoah Valley and Cumberland Valley Railroads. The proceedings to which we refer, speak for themselves, are full of hope and encouragement, and we have only to press the matter earnestly to bring it to a successful consummation.

We know that our friends in the counties Warren, Page and Rockingham are in earnest, and if we will do our duty in Jefferson and Clarke, the time is not distant when we shall have trains running through these counties from North to South.

At the meeting at Harrisonburg, it was resolved that the engineer corps in the service of Jefferson county, be employed to continue the survey for the entire route. This corps is already organized, under the most efficient auspices, and will at once proceed to the discharge of its duties.

The space occupied by the proceedings of the Harrisonburg meeting, and the able communication on the subject, which we publish this morning, renders anything further from us unnecessary this week.

TROUBLE IN CAMP.

The Radical party of West Virginia seems to be in a very unquiet condition. Sometime ago the Wheeling Intelligencer published an address, of some one hundred and forty voters of Ohio county, advising the voters of the State to elect men to the Legislature who should be in favor of doing away with some of the many enormities of legislation which had been heaped upon the people of the State: and in which they distinctly advised the immediate repeal of the test oath for lawyers, jurors, suitors, and teachers, and gradually, the repeal of the oath in all other cases. This address fell like a bomb-shell in the camp of the radical army; and the result has been a stampede of a large number of its best soldiers. In many counties of the State, the defections have been so numerous as to justify, in the opinion of those engaged in it. the formation of a new conservative party, and the presentation of candidates for the Legislature to run in direct opposition to the ultra radical nominees.

In Berkeley and Jefferson there are already several candidates of the moderately radical stripe put forward for the places of Senators and Delegates. The Hon, B. M. Kitchen, for instance, is out for the Senate, with Messrs. Luce and Lamon for the House, and they present their claims to popular favor in an address, which will be found in this paper. This address will repay perusal by our readers, as it will show how differently the former radical leaders talk now from what they did anterior to the late elections-especially those held in Virginia and Tennessee. The days of ultra radicalism are numbered; and the men of brains and substance, who have heretofore upheld the party, are fast being brought to a sense of their errors by the loud voice of en indignant people, and are scrambling as fast as possible into the front of the new move-

Death of Franklin Pierce.

This eminent and distinguished citizen died at his home in Concord, New Hampshire, on Friday last. From the executive mansion, President Grant thus announces his demise

WASHINGTON, October 8, 1869. The painful duty devolves upon the President of announcing to the people of the United States the death of one of his most honored predecessors, Franklin Pierce, which occurred at Concord early this morning. Eminent in the public councils, and universally beloved in private life, his death will be mourned with sorrow befitting the loss which his country sustains in his decease. As a mark of respect to his memory, it is ordered that the Executive Mansion and the several Departments at Washington be draped in mourning and all business suspended on the day of the funeral. It is further ordered that the War and Navy Departments cause suitable military and naval honors to be paid on this oncasion to the memory of the illustrious citizen who has passed from among us. U. S. GRANT.

Read the proceedings of the railroad meeting held by our friends in Warren county. Truly, the people are moving on the right line, and the railroad spirit is becoming enthusiastie. Keep the ball in motion.-Gallant little Clarke will hold a county meeting to-day.

- The Columbia (S. C.) Phanix asserts, and holds itself ready to prove, that Charles Sumper, the Wilberforce of America, as he thinks himself, became, by the death of a Mr. Ball, sole owner of some negroes, whom he determined to offer for sale :

"Among them was the body servant of Mr. Ball, an old, faithful and respected negro.-The friends and relatives of the deceased gentleman used every entreaty that Mr. Sumner would, if compelled to make sale, at least, sell this faithful old negro and his wife at the same time and to the same person; and to his disgrace be it recorded, that he distinctly and unequivocally refused to comply alledging that as his wife was unhealthy and feeble, it would injure the sale of the hus-

Hand him around.

- The Methodist Episcopal Church South is extending its efforts northward, as a counterpoise to the extension of the Northern church in the South. A publishing house has been established at St. Louis, in the form of a stock company, with a capital of \$50,000. They have a conference organized in Illinois.

- Elisha Sprague has sold a block of build. ings in Chicago to raise the wherewithal to soothe the lacerated feelings of Amanda Craig.

RAILROAD MEETING.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted at the meeting held in Charlestown, Jefferson county, on the 11th of September, 1869, to consider the proposed connection of the Shenandoah Valley Railroad with the Cumber land Valley Railroad, &c., the committees appointed for the counties of Jefferson, Clarke, Warren, Page, Rockingham and Augusta met at the American Hotel in Harrisonburg on the 6th instant. The commissioners named in the charter of the Shenandoah Valle Railroad company, who had been requeste to meet the committee, were not all present The Committee was called to order by Hon Wm. Milnes, chairman of the former meet-

ing; and, on his motion, P. B. Borst, Esq. of Page, was chosen chairman, and B. F. Beall and R. D. Cushen appointed secretaries. On taking the chair, Mr. Borst made an appropriate and able speech in favor of the extension of the Cumberland Valley to the Virginia line, and the construction of the Shenandoah Valley road from that point through the fertile region watered by the Shenandoah. He said the people of his county were in earnest in their efforts to secure the construction of this road, and would may have an opportunity to aid this enterno doubt vote for the proposed subscription prise, and we hope there will be a prompt f \$200,000 to aid in building it through the

The proceedings of the former meeting were read by one of the secretaries. It was moved that all gentlemen present from East Rockingham and Page county be all should give something. To the farmers, invited to participate in the proceedings of

the meeting. The name of Mr. John R. Rust was substituted for that of Dr. Samuel Buck, on the

Warren committee. Wr. Travers, of Jefferson, then delivered an able and interesting address relative to the we cannot report at length.

James E. Stewart, Esq., of Page, also made spirited address in favor of the construction of the proposed road. He said this route, with its Northern and Southern conections, would be the great thoroughfare for trade and travel between New York and New Orleans. It would be the most direct and expeditions channel of communication between the Gulf of Mexico and the Atlantic

Hon A. R. Boteler made a forcible speech ed that it was the most practicable, direct and "you die without the sight." And yet how

On motion of Mr. Travers, a committee was appointed, to consist of one from each county represented, to prepare resolutions for the action of the meeting. Whereupon the chair appointed said committee, with the mover as chairman. After a brief consultation, the committee, through their chairman, Mr. Travers, reported the following preamble and resolutions, which were adopted :-

WHEREAS, The route of the Shenandoah Valley Railroad, from the Potomac river to the Virginia and Tennessee Railroad at or near Salem, Va., through the counties of Jefferson, Clarke, Warren, Page. Rockingham, Augusta, Rockbridge, Botetourt and Roanoke, and which is known as the Luray Valley route, presents a combination of advantages for a favorable location of the road possessed by no other route that has been suggested or can be obtained—being the shortest, most direct, with the easiest gradea for construction and consequently the cheapest in its first cost and the least expensive in its maintenance; affording more needed facilities for travel and trade to a greater portion of the people, and promising more profit on the investpeople, and promising more profit on the invest-ment-running through nine of the richest coun-ties of Virginia, the wheat crops of which alone this ls, whilst the inexhaustible mineral wealth along he route referred to (which is now undeveloped for

ganize the Shenandoah Valley Railroad, with the view of its connection with the Cumberland Valley road at the Potomac river, and that it is the opinion of this convention that the most practicable route for the said road is through Jefferson, Clarke and Warren counties, into and through the Luray Val-ley to Salem, on the Virginia and Tennessea rail-

2. RESOLVED, That the chairman of this committee appoint a committee of five, whose duty it shall be to confer personally with the President and Directors of the Cumberland Valley Railroad Compa-3. Resolved, That we recommend to the counties interested in the Luray Valley route, to make appropriations as soon as possible for the purpose of defraying the expenses of preliminary surveys of

the line we propose.

4. RESOLVED, That if the route we propose be adopted, we will do everything in our power to facilitate the construction of the road, and that we feel authorized to make a similar pleage for the people of the counties we respectively represent.

5. RESOLVED, That there be appointed by the chairman a committee of six from each of the counties along the line of the proposed route of the Shenandoah railroad, to collect funds to defray the expenses of each county for the survey of the route of the said road through the same, and that engineers be employed by said committee to make such sur-

y at once.

6. RESOLVED. That the committee named in the foregoing resolution wait on the citizens along the line surveyed to secure on the most favorable terms a release of damages, from the property holders af-fected by the location of the said road.

7. RESOLVED, That the commissioners named in the charter of the Shenandoah railroad company, from Clarke, Warren, Page, Rockingham, Augusfrom Clarke, Warren, Page, Rockingbam, Augusta, Rockbridge, Botetourt and Roanoke counties, be requested as soon as possible to open books for subscription to the stock of the road, and that they be requested to report monthly to the Hon. Wm. Milnes the amount of said subscriptions, and that whenever the said subscriptions, shall reach the sum of \$200,000 proper steps shall be taken for an organization of the said company.

8. RESOLVED, That the foregoing preamble and resolutions be published in the Valley newspapers, and that copies of the same be sent by the chairman to the President and Directors of the Cumberland Valley and Pennsylvania Central railroad company.

RESOLVED, That a competent Mineralogist be employed to examine the country along the line of the proposed route of the road. The chair appointed the following gentlemen a committee to confer with the President and Directors of the Cumberland Valley Railroad, as required by the 2d resolution-viz:

W. H. Travers, A. R. Boteler, W. Milnes, jr., J. E. Stewart; and, on motion, the chairman, P. B.Borst, was added to the committee. The following committee, consisting of six from each county along the line, was apointed by the chair, under the 5th resolution, to collect funds to defray the expenses of each county for a survey of the route of the said

road through the same - viz: Jefferson-Logan Osbourn, Geo. W. Eichelberger, Moses W. Burr, Charles T. Butler, I. Thomas Chapline, David Billmyer.

Clarke-Col. J. J. Riley, Major J. D. chardson, Maj. Beverly Randolph, Francis H. Whiting, Jarvis Jennings, Capt, Jos. Mc-Kennerly.

Warren-Reuben A. Finnell, Hampson W. Miller, John R. Rust, Thomas Timberlake. Thos. N. Ashby, Mr. Cones. Page-Col. A. Keyser, T. M. Almond,

Col. M. Spitler, I. Long, Wm. Milnes, jr., M. Beidler, and, on metion, the chairman of the convention was added to this committee. Rockingham-Dr. S. P. H. Miller, T. K. Miller, R. A. Gibbons, J. S. Harnsberger, Dr. G. W. Kemper, D. F. Haynes.

Maj. J. C. Walker, of Rockingham, offered the following resolution, which was unanimously adopted:

RESOLVED, That the thanks of this Committee are due to B. F. Beall, Esq., Editor and proprietor of the Spirit of Jefferson, for his manly course and able editorials in advocating the construction of the proposed road to connect with the Camberland Valley Railroad, through the Page Valley.

A resolution was then adopted, thanking Capt. Locke and Mrs. Lupton, of the American Hotel, for the use of their parlor for the meetings of the Committee and other kind-

RESOLVED. That, when this Committee adjourn subject to the call of the Chairman. P. B. BORST Chm'n B. F. BEALL, RAN. D. CUSHEN.

A FEW FACTS

FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF THE ARMERS AND OTHERS IN THE COUNTIES THROUGH WHICH THE PROPOSED EXTENSION

OF THE CUMBERLAND VALLEY RAILROAD WILL PASS.

We saw upon the counter of one of our nerchants, a subscription paper to raise funds to assist in a survey of a route from Maryland, through Jefferson county, to the Clarke county line, for this road, and we were informed that arrangements have been made with a surveyor who will in a few days be placed in the field. This looks like work. We are also informed that these papers have been distributed through the county that all and liberal answer from the people of Jeffer-son to this call. A very few dollars from each will be all that is needed at this time, and will give an earnest to the matter which will go far towards insuring its construction. Those who cannot give dollars can give cents, but and others, of Jefferson, Clarke, Warren and other counties, we call upon you to rise up and meet this important subject. "Could our tongues send forth the clarion notes of Gabriel.

we would set one foot upon Massanuttin moun tain and the other upon Potomac's coral strand, and-and-we'd not howl, but call upon the proposed road, its great importance, and the people to wake up to this interest. Speak prospect of its speedy construction. He gave | now, or you may hereafter hold your peace. an interesting account of the efforts that had This railroad is now almost within your grasp; been made in its behalf, which we are sorry | lie still six months more and your fertile plains will forever be without it. If you do not get | ministration. this road, we tell you no other will ever reach you. If it passes around you, the only route to your section will be occupied, and you and your children's children may expect to trudge out a miserable existence through mud and mire, with high prices for all you buy, and low prices for all you have to sell, besides de-preciated land. This is not sensation, they are facts, and you only need to look around you to prove them. Just say we will have the road, act accordingly, and you can get it. in favor of the Page Valley route, and show- Wait for other people to make it for you, and

and strike in the right direction, and ere

another October's sun shall greet you the hills of old Jefferson will reverberate with the sound of the iron stranger, and with a few returns of that month the wealth of the Valley will be flowing through our counties. Your money is not all that is now needed your presence at public meetings, encourage your timid neighbors, try to point out to those who are not willing to find out for themselves the advantages of a speedy and substantial co-operation in this matter, and see that the welfare of your neighborhood is not stifled by the avarice of a few persons. Railroads are not made every year through your country, and people are apt to forget their advantages; yet every farmer who intelligently observes these matters, will readily admit that railroad enhances the value of the land in its vicinity at least ten dollars per acre. Now. take the county of Jefferson alone, and say the road would pass through twenty miles o it, and that the land for five miles on each side would be thus benefitted, it would make 128,000 acres, which at \$10 per acre would

be \$1,280,000. Yet the facts are that it would not require half of this sum to make that length of road. But now see; to haul 40 bushels of grain 50 miles on a wagon would cost at least \$12, for team, driver and expenses. A railroad, allowing 5 cents per ton per mile, would charge \$2.50 for the same. Allow an average of 20 bushels per acre; with a railroad the crop would be worth \$4.75 more per acre than without it. Now in. passing through a county 20 miles, the land on each side of the road for 5 miles would be thus benefitted; this would make 200 square miles or 128,000 acres, which at \$4.75 per acre would amount to \$608,000. Now, at \$20,000 per mile, this sum would build more than 30 miles of road, which would benefit 300 square miles, or 192,000 acres, which would reduce the cost per acre to \$3.163; deduct from this the proportion due from the enhanced value of property of villages and mills, the aggregate value of which is, say, \$1,000,000, the increased value, at least per cent., would make \$50,000, or about 40 cents per acre, which would make the amountper acre \$2.763. Now, farmers, think of it, the ordinary rights and privileges of Freefor \$2.76% on each acre, you can increase (as many will admit) the value of your farms \$10. per acre. But this article is not intended to

show what would do the work if it becomes Now, there are the ore interests of the Valley which have so far been ignored in summing up, and which are said to be equal in value to the land. If we cut the cost down one-half for this interest it would leave but \$1.38 per acre on the land, and we have not the slightest hesitancy in saying that this sum per acre on the 200 square miles, taken in stocks either by the people or by the county, or by both, will insure, (if the same plan is followed throughout the Valley,) the construction of the road, and it is more than probable that one-half that amount will suffice.

point out how much you shall give or when

you shall give it, but is simply intended to

DEATH OF THOMAS L. MOORE.-This entleman died on the 27th ult., at the Protestant Infirmary, Baltimore in the 80th year

He was a native of Shepherdstown, Jefferson county, Va. In 1811 he became a resident of Warrenton, and for many years subsequently practiced law in Fauquier and the adjacent counties with great success, the bar at that time being one of the most distinenished in the State for ability. He married Miss E. S. Horner, second

daughter of the late Dr. G. B. Horner, by whom he had a large number of children, none of whom survive him. In his baleyon days he was remarkable for literary acquirements, brilliant conversation and an inexhaustible fund of anecdote.

He always manifested a lively interest political affairs, and when this district was composed of the counties of Fauquier, and Culp per, he was elected to the Congress of the U. S., as its representative. - Warrenton

-At a recent marriage in London, the service lasted two hours—nearly as long as the marriage itself sometimes last in Chicago. _ A spirited Minnesota girl has dismisse her lover on learning that he gave her father

drink of whiskey.

REPUBLICANS OF BERKELRY CO.

FELLOW CITIZENS :- Like you, we are Republicans. We have been such since the formation of the Republican party in this State, and we expect to remain such so lone as truth, justice, and the true interest of the country continue to be as they have heretofore been, the cardinal objects of that organization. We have been true and loyal to the Union; prepared at all times to make any sacrifice to maintain the supremacy of the Constitution and Laws against the concerted efforts which Rebellion and Treason have made to over-throw them. We have acted with the Republican Party in this county in carrying out all its just and defensive measures of policy, and we expect to continue to act with Repubicans of this State and of the United States. in carrying out all the great principles of Political Liberty and Human Freedom, which have given character and success to that Great Party. We cast our votes cheerfully and cordially for that distinguished Statesman and Hero, Ulysses S. Grant, and we stand by, support and maintain the principles measures of the present administration.

What then has caused us to listen to the uggestions which have been addre by a large number of earnest and true-hearted. Republicans from every portion of the county, and has caused us to yield to their wishes in presenting our names before you as candidates for the Senate and House of Delegates of West Virginia?

We beg to assure you that it is not any selfish or personal interest that we seek to gratify; it is not the pleasure or profit of a seat in the Legislature that we aim at, and you who know us, will acquit us of such motives of action. It is, as far as we can be useful instruments for that purpose, to rescue the Republican Party of this county (which is dear to us) from the commission of a great ertor at the approaching election—to vindicate the true doctrines of our Faith.-to sustain those principles of Justice, Toleration and Freedom, and to support and uphold President Grant in those liberal and enlightened views of Peace and Conciliation which he has announced to the country as the basis of his Ad-

A meeting has recently been held in this county, at which the names of J. Nelson Wisner and Jacob Ropp have been presented to the voters as candidates for the House of Delegates. Under other circumstances than the present, we should have bailed this nomination as entitled to our support. They are gentlemen of character and intelligence. and of unexceptionable moral position. They have heretofore been earnest and zealous in carrying out the true interests of the Republican Party, but they have been brought before the county at this time upon a platform which we cannot approve; as the avowed advocates an supporters of a Pelicy which is repudiated by President Grant, and denounced by the Republicans everywhere throughout the country. as harsh, unnecessary, proscriptive and unfeeling, and which cannot be maintained in any county or city of this country without manifest destruction to the party itself

We have therefore consented to be cardi-dates at the approaching election, and we are nouce to you, Fellow-Citizens, the following as the platform upon which we ask your support. If our principles do not suit you, reject us. If they embrace, in your opinion, the true interests and policy of the Republican

Party, we claim your support. 1st. We hold, that the war being ended the rebellion crushed, the Constitution and Union triumphant, and the United States now again one great and happy Republic, that all within its limits' shall enjoy the rights of

American Citizens. 2nd. We hold, that the Suitor's Oath which prevents an honest creditor from recovering his just debt-the Lawyer's Oath, which forbids a class of our citizens from earning an honest livelihood by the practice of his profession-the Schoolmaster's Oath, which has frustrated the fair operation of our Free School system by diminishing the number of teachers; and the Registry Oath, which prevents a large number of worthy citizens and heavy tax-payers from participa-Ting in the privileges of the elective fran-

chise-be repealed. There is not now within the limits of the United States, one State, where these disqualifying and disabling oaths are retained, save and except West Virginia. However excusable and even justifiable those measures were, immediately succeeding the war, and before the country had resumed its peaceful pursuits and feelings, no one out of the State of West Virginia now stands up to justify them. They belong to a past era. They are as inappropriate to the present day, as thumbscrew and pincers, and other instruments of torture of the by-gone middle ages. Shall West Virginia continue to be pointed out as the only State in the Union, in which a large body of her native citizens are deprived of men? Will she continue to attract ridicule to that noble motto on her coat of arms :-Montani Semper Liberi? Can she glory in a coat of arms in the face of the disabilities. disqualifications and restrictions, which crush to the earth so many of her citizens, performing as they now are faithfully all their duties

to the Union and to the State? Is Berkeley County to be the last County West Virginia that will strike the chains from the limbs of her fellow citizens? Berkeley, distinguished for her freedom, intelligence and prosperity—the home of the in-dependent farmer—the thriving mechanic the successful tradesman; a county which has ever opened a generous and hearty welcome to talent, enterprise and capital from every other State in the Union, and which delights to honor talent and worth, no matter from whence it springs. Shall all men be welcome "Do something, do it soon, with all thy to your embraces, but this proscribed and disqualified class of your own native fellow-citi-

> It is upon this policy that we take issue— We could not with our ideas of what is due to the great Republican party of the country
> —to the administration of President Grant see a policy engrafted into the creed and practice of this county which is now disavowed by the Republicans throughout the land, discredit upon that party to which we are so

distinctly before you. We are Republica and we differ in no respect from our honora and we differ in no respect from our honorable competitors, except we are opposed to the further continuance of this proscriptive and oppressive policy, upon our fellow-citizens.—We go for Impartial Suffrage and Universal Amnesty. We stand upon the great principles of Popular Liberty and Popular Government. We think that all who contribute by their labor, their taxes, their talents, their property, to support the Government, ought to have a voice in the selection of the agents of that Government. That the principle of of that Government. That the principle of taxation without representation is as odious to us as it was to our revolutionary ancestors.—

Above all, we are opposed to having any castes in our community—a class of men upon whom the burdens of Government rests, without any of its benefits. The issue is before you, and your choice must be between Poli-

tical Liberty and Equality on the one side, or Political Prascription and Tyranny on the other. Choose ye between them.

B. M. KITCHEN,

JOHN W. LAMON. For the House of Delegate

Railroad Meeting.

MILLDALE, WARREN Co., VA., OCTOBER 2, 1869.

A number of gentlemen from Clarke and Warren counties, met by appointment at Mill-dale, in Warren, October 2d, 1869, for the purpose of taking stock in the Cumberland Valley Railroad, in the event of the Charlestown and Ehenandoah river route being adopted, and Milldale made a point on said route.

The meeting was organized by calling Col.
Thos. B. Massil to the Chair, and the appointment of The W. Timberlake and Jas.

The Chair e lained the object of the neeting in a she i address, and was followed by Lieut. John R Rust, showing conclusively that the interests of the Railroad Company, would be better subserved by the adoption of the Shenandosh river route; for which route mainly by the efforts of Mr. Milnes, assisted a few other influential citizens, the State Virginia had granted a charter, to reach the Page Valley through the counties of Jefferson, Clarke, Warren and Page. By this natural outlet, following the delta of the Shenandoah river, the greater part of the entire route; embracing in its course, all the county towns and villages of the whole distance. On motion, it was unanimously

Resolved, That this meeting most cordially approves of the Shenandoah river route, as mended by the Charlestown meeting, and that Lieut. John R. Rust be appoint a delegate to represent this meeting at Har-

risonburg, on the 6th inst. A committee, consisting of the following gentlemen was appointed, whose duty it will be to co-operate with those appointed at the Charlestown meeting, and to forward these resolutions accompanied by a Topographic Map, to the Pasident and Directors of the Cumberland V ley Railroad, viz:

Clarke—Ca. Wm. N. Nelson and James

Warren .- John S. Timberlake, Isaac N Keller, and John Sowers, Jr. Resolved, That the proceedings of this

meeting be published in the Warren Sentinel Clarke Courier, Spirit of Jefferson and Ilagerstown Mail. The meeting then adjourned. THOS. B. MASSIE, Chm'n. THOS. W. TIMBERLAKE, Sec'ries.

JAMES L. MARSHALL. The Virginia Legislature.

The two Houses of the General Assembly of Virginia met in the capitol yesterday .-The House of Delegates entered into no pernanent organization. Mr. McLaughlin, of Rockbridge, was appointed temporary Chairman, and Mr. Jones, of Albemarle, was made temporary Clerk. The Speaker, by order of the House, appointed Mr. Burke, of Staunton, Sergeant-at-Arms, and Mr. Wilson, of Botetourt, Doorkeeper. The two latter were officers in the last House of Delegates. Thereupon the House adjourned without further

In the course of the brief proceedings that ook place Mr. Bowden, of Norfolk, somewhat vociferously, and with considerable agi tation, savoring more of rage than of diffi-dence, protested against any one taking part in the business of the House, or being elected to any office 'n it, who had not taken the iron clad oath. This, of course, is in accordance with the same of the ultras. They mean, according to the Journal, to deny the validity of the Legislature, and to endeavor to induce Congress to set aside its acts. This places them in opposition to the Administration and indeed, to the universal sentiment of the people of the United States. Thus for the sake of the blood the Trensury, the leeches who have tasted if are ready to make war upon General Gran who they have always claimed as their especial friend, and to cleate an agitation in Virginia and a delay in her admission to the Union, which must be disastrous to the local interests and peace of the State. That is, it must be so if they are at all successful in their scheme; which we cannot believe. They are now the smallest and

least considered of all parties in the United States. "Hard is the way of transgressors." The Senate entered into a permanent organization, Lieutepant-Governor Lewis in the chair, and chiefly the old officers of the body were re elected. Mr. Minor, of Loudoun, was elected First Doorkeeper, and Abram Hall (colored) Second Doorkeeper. The election of Hall was a proper recognition of the courage and constancy of the Colored Walker Club. who, in this city, faced the threats of the black mob of Richmond-the most senseless and brutal embodiment of humanity ever known in the United Sectes. Hall was in the calamity of the bridge, which the lamented Branch perished. Hall had his arm broken in his intrepid efforts) rescue Colonel Branch. The House I Delegates were to have another caucus list night to determine their

policy on the Question of organization—the result of which will be found elsewhere. The membe s are nearly all new, and naturally somewhat embarrassed as to the proper steps to be taken. They show a good deal of caution and a desire to avoid the danger of a wrangle when in deliberation during the sitting

of the House.

To-day there will be an organization of the House under the determination of the caucus, and we doubt of the Legislature will proceed to business. Covernor Walker will send in a message immediately the Houses interchange messages of readiness to go on with their work. We anticipate a brief and sensible document, urging a straightforward pursuit of the policy of reconstruction as already begun, and the ardent devotion of the talents, energies, and means, of the State to the promotion of her

prosperity and growth. It will be no doubt a highly practical message.

The little matter of organization being over, we are sure the Legislature will proceed to perform the limited business cut out for it in a manner best calculated to facilitate reconstruction and restore peace and prosperity to the State. - Richmond Dispatch, October 6.

[The organization of the House was effected Wednesday by the election of Mr. Turner of Rappahannock as Speaker, and Mr. Bigger of Richmond, as Clerk. The message of Gov. Walker was at once delivered to the two Houses, and on Thursday referred to appropriate committees. On Friday both Houses adopted the Fourteenth and Fifteenth amend ments, and then adjourned over to the 19th of October.]

SALT -Livery of S. A. and Fine Salt, now re ceiving and sale at lowest market rates, by October 12, 18 W. EBY. sale at lowest masket rates, by W. EBY. s, Smoking and Chewing Tobac cortment for sale by SAUSAGE Cut October 12. reand Fillers, for sale by JAS. LAW. HOOFF

IMPROVED Double Sci October 12.

THE GOLD GAMBLING.

The New York Sun, a loyal paper, pub ishes the most positive evidence that Abel R Corbin, one of Grant's numerous brothers-inlaw, was deeply implicated in getting up and ofiting by the recent gold gambling raid in Vall street, and testimony is found going to show that the President himself was involved in the same infamous transaction, whereby hundreds were ruined. The Herald, in view of this development, makes the following pertinent inquiries:

"An indignant country demands it, and asks why the carriage of the cool-headed, sharp, keen President of the Eric road has been seen morning and night in West Twenty-seventh street, at the residence of the brother in law of the President? Perhaps the confidence of the shrewd Prince of Eric idential agent of the shrewd Prince of Erie, who has, in the last two weeks, made so many midnight journeys to Washington, Penn, might explain something about the matter. The frequent interviews of the Admiral with Gen. Grant at New York, Saratoga, Long Island Sound, and elsewhere are very significant. Whose influence was it that appe the present Sub-Treasurer of New York afout? and what kind of a bargain was made? How much money has been sent to Washington that was not used in furnishing the White House in the last week or two? Who cashed the \$100,000 check and the \$25,000 check handed to a member of the President's family.? Now what shall we say in the face of all this, and at whose door lies the blame of all this terrible evil?"

And now comes Mr. James Fisk, jr., who, in a card to the Sun dated Monday last, broadly intimates, (and has affidavits attached to sustain his assertion,) that Mr. Corbin, Grant's brother in law, was one of the leaders of the gold gambling raid, and that he, Corbin, acted under instructions from Washington, to the inmost secrets of which he had access by reason of his relationship. After a deal of lying, cringing and twisting to save the great Grant from complicity in this great scoundrelism, the truth comes out that Corbin was in the ring and represented the Grant family. Mr Fisk says :

"These statements, [Corbin's denial of his connection with the gold raid,] make it necessary for me to state that Mr. Corbin has constantly associated with me; that I have been in his house repeatedly since last sum-mer; that I visited him in the very afternoon of the day on which he made these statements, and that he spent more than one hour with me in the Eric Railway office on the afternoon of Saturday, September 25th, the day after the gold panic."

It is further proper for me to say that Mr. Corbin has been a party in interests with us, and others, whose names it is not now necessary to mention, in the recent gold speculation, and that he was constantly communicating with me respecting this gold speculation. In fact, Mr. Corbin was in this speculation long before I was. It had been organized and carried on by him and other gentlemen for some weeks before I knew of its existence. He is entitled to almost entire credit of originating the grand scheme for advancing the price of gold, and I willingly disclaim, in his favor, the honor so kindly imputed to me by the press in general, of having devised this bold and brillant operation. It was the fruit of Mr. Corbin's own suggestive mind; and long before I knew anything of it. Mr. Cor bin's representations concerning the powerful influence which he could bring to bear in favor of the speculation had interested in his support other gentlemen of means and capacity; and it is only just to say that Mr. Corbin's assurances on this point were fully carried out up to the 30th of September.'

MARRIED.

daughter of Henry L. Brooke, Esq., of Fichmond Va. No cards. On the 25th ult by the Rev. Randolph McKim Dr. CVRUS McCORMICK of Clarke county, Va., to NANNIE. daughter of Lawrence B. Taylor, Eaq.

On the 30th ult., by Rev W. D. Hanson, Mr. PHILIP WOLLET and Miss VIRGINIA SUTHER-LAND-both of Martingburg. · RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Proqidence permitting, Rev. WM. H. MEADE, will preach in the Methodist Episcopal Church, of this town, on Sanbath next, October 17th, 1869. The Third Quarterly Meeting for Jefferson Cir cuit, Baltimore Conference, M. E. Church, South, will be held at Kabletown, on the 16th and 17th instant. Preaching on Saturday at 11 o'clock. A. M. The Presiding Elder, Rev. W. S. BAIRD, will be in

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A CARD.

A Clergyman, while residue in South America as missionary, discovered a safe and simple remedy for the Cure of Nervous Weakness, Early Decay, Diseases of the Urinary and Seminal Organs, and the whole train of disorders brought on by Saneful and victous habits. Great numbers have been cured by this noble remedy. Prompted by a desire to benefit the afflicted and unfortunate, I will send the recipe for preparing and using this medicine, in a scaled envelope, to any one who needs it, Free of Charge Address JOSEPH T INMAN.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Virginia Hotel, STAUNTON, VA. FRAZIER & SALE, (Late of Rockbridge Alam Springs,)

THIS Hotel is located in the business part of the city. Twenty-five Thousand Bollars have been expended in remodeling and furnishing it with entirely new Furniture and Beds. Bathing Rooms, fine Bar, Billiard Saloon, and Livery Stables at

October 12; 1869-1y. ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

THE Notes given at the sale of the personal prop-erty of John C Wiltshire, deceased, were due on the 17th day of September last, and as but few of them have been settled, notice is hereby given that these and all other debts due said estate, must positively be paid by the 1st of November. All per-sons having claims against the estate will present them at once, properly authenticated, for settle-ment.

CAMILLA WILTSHIRE,

Administrative of Juo C. Wiltshire dec'd

CARPET WEAVING AND DYING.

I AM now working List and Rag CARPETING of good quality; persons wishing to purchase will please order the number of yards they may want as early as possible. Carpeting worked for customers at reduced prices. Dying of all kinds of Clothing done on reasonable terms. Carpet Rags of good quality, and Old Clothing, purchased at all times.

October 19, 1869, 21 October 12, 1869-3t.

REMARKABLE! T'S astonishing to witness the hourly arrivals of New and Fashionable Goods at No. 24. TRUS-SELL & LUCAS will be pleased to gratify the curious, if they will drop in as they pass along.

October 12, 1869.

FINE let of Cutlery, just received H YDRAULIC Cement, Calcin tern Pumps, just received, October 5, 1869. McC CRINDSTONES and Grinds Churns, and Horse-Buckets, for October 5, 1869. McCURI

GALVANIZED Iron and Japanned Coal Hode for sale by McCURDY & DUKE.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

PUBLIC SALE.

HAVING concluded to discontinue farming, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28th, 1869

Farming Implements.

SEVEN WORK HORSES, among which are bree Brood Mares and Three Barabear Leaders, our Colts from one to three years old.

SIX MILCH COWS. TWENTY FIVE HEAD OF CATTLE,
Fifty Merino Ewes, One Merino Buck,
Thirty-five Cotswold Ewes, Two fine do. Buck
Four Brood Sows, Twenty Shoats,
Two Road Wagons and Beds.

ONE TWO-HORSE SLEIGH One Cart, One Roller One Buggy Rake, One Telegraph Cutting Box, Two pairs Grain Shelvings, Three Three horse Barsbear Plows,

Three Three horse Barshear Plows,
One Two horse do.,
Six Single and Bight Double-Shovel Plows,
Two setts of Breechbands,
Four setts of Front Gears, (Furley's Traces,)
Two Fifth Chains, Spreaders,
Bridles, Collars, Halters,
Beven setts of Plough Gears, Log Chains,
Grain Cradles, Scythes, Forks, Shovels, Rakes
Single, Double and Treble-Trees,

ONE SETT BLACKSMITH TOOLS. Old Tire, Iron, &c. TERMS OF SALE .- A credit until the let day of

October, 1870, will be given on all sums over Ten-lollars, note and approved security required, the lotes to bear interest from date, but if paid prompt-y when due the interest will be remitted. Sums of the Dullars and under Cash, and no property to be moved until settled for.

10 Sale to commence at 10 o'ctock.
R. RION LUCAS.

G. D. McGliney, Auctioneer. October 12, 1869. Spirit copy - Register.

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MONSIEUR TONSON" has come again, to may that he can furnish OVSTERS to his friends, fully equal to those sent for the last few years. Those wanting FRUIT TREES, can see my Trees in bearing at Messrs. Wm. Engle's, Link's, R. V. Shirley's, Col. Crane's, and all about town, which I am not ashamed of.

SAMUEL CLARKE.

P. S.—Orders for Oysters or Trees may be left with Messrs. Howell & Bro, Charlestown, or Sam'l Clarke, P. M., Hicks' Whart, Matthews county, Va. October 12, 1869-1m.

GIVE THE PEOPLE A CHANCE! WAR UPON HIGH PRICES!

I MMENSE Stock of Fall and Winter Dry Goods, and Fancy Goods. Ladies and Gentlemen, consult your own interest and examine the Manmoth Slock just received and opened at J. GOLDSMITH'S ENPORIUM OF FASHION,

On Main Street, Charlestown. On Main Street, Charlestown.

Come and see the finest, handsomest and cheapest goods ever offered in this Valley, such as Calicow and Cattons of atl brands, Black and Golored Alpacas, Delains, Striped Lustre, Scotch Plaid, Ginghams, Balmorals, Plain, Figured and Opera Flannels, Canton Fiannels, &c., &c.

Especial attention is called to my fine stock of White and Fancy Counterpanes. Blankets and Crib Blankets. I have also added to my stock of Fancy Goods a full line of BIBBONS.

Gentlemen come and see the elegant Business Suits, fine Dress Suits, Boys' Clothing, and Furnishing Goods of every description, at prices lower than any store this side of Baltimore City.

My stock of HATS, CAPS, TRUNKS and VA-LISES, is complete in every respect.

J. GOI DSMITH, Adjoining the residence of Humphrey Keyes. October 12, 1869

GREAT PANIC! IN THE GOLD AND DRY GOODS Market.

IN consequence of the great decline in gold, I have been enabled to purchase my goods at a great sacrifice upon cost of importation. The tolders of these goods have been compelled to disprae of them at ruinous prices, and having taken advantage of that state of the market, I am prepared to sell them accordingly. Embraced in my stock will be found the following goods, viz:

Cocheco, Merrimach and other first class brands of Calico; Bleached and Brown Cottons, Brown and Bleached Canton Flamels; White, Shaker Opera, Plaid, and all other descriptions of Flamels; Checks and Stripes for Shirting. LADIES' GOODS. Striped Poplins, All-Wool Moushis in all colors, B. & W. Chene Satin Striped Poplins, Mouslin Diaines in all colors, figured and plain; Alpreasattention is especially railed to this line of goods, consisting of the celebrated Grand Duchers Alpaca; Cord do.; Pure Silk-warp Mohair do.; Velveteen for Cloaks, Grey Mohair for mourning, and Waterproof Cloaking. A full stock of Notions for Ladical

GENTLEMEN'S GOODS. Fine Foreign and Di mestre Cassimeres, best and cheapest grades of READY-MADE CLOTHING, consisting in part of fine Beaver Suits, French and Domestic Cassimere Suits, fine Beaver Overcoats, and English Walking Coats of every description.

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods. Shirts, Drawers, Socks, Gloves, Collars, Neck-Ties, Suspenders, &c. Also a full line of Hats and Caps, Values, &c.

10-1 have also added to my large stock a full line of GROCERIES, all of which will be sold for Cash or trade.

S. A. HAMBURGER.

JUST received a fine lot of extra Blankets.
October 12. S A. HAMBURGER,

UST received the latest style of Hoop-Skist.
October 12. S. A. HAMBURGER. JUST received Ottenhimer Prench Corset, at \$1. October 12. S. A. HAMBURGER. UST received the celebrated 500 White Shirts, also extra size Shirts for small men. October 12, 1869. S. A. HAMBURGER.

JUST received a full line of James M. Johnston's Factory Linsay, Kersey Plaids and Yorns. October 12, 1869. S. A. HAMBURGER. JUST received Geo. A. Clark's O. M. T. Spoof Cotton for machine sewing, in all colors. October 12, 1869. S A HAMBURGER. DSYCHOMANCY, or SOUL CHARMING. A PSYCHOMANCY, or SOUL CHARMING. A wonderful book; it shows how either sex can fascinate any one they wish, instantly. (All possess this power.) It leaches how to get rich. Alchemy, Dr. Dee's and Allen's Caballa, Bindings, Sorceries, Incantations, Demouology, Magic Mesmeriam, Spiritualism, Marriage Guide, and a thousand other wonders. Sent by mail for 25 cents—Address T WILLIAM & CO, Publishers, South Seventh Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

STATIONERY —Fools, Legal and Flat Cap, Com-mercial, Ladies and Billet Note, Mourning, Plain and Ruled Paper. Also White, Yellow, Buff, Pink and Red Envelopes. All will be sold cheaper than they can be purchased outside of the city— Call and examine. W. S. MASON.

SOAPS.—Glycerine, Bath, Brown Windsor, Hon-ey, Castile, and many more for Toilet and Shav-ing purposes, for sale by W. S MASON. OMBS. -Coarse, Fine, Ridding, Pocket and Round Combs, for sale by October 12, 1869. W. S. MASON.

STRINGS.—Violin, Basjo and Guitar Strings, for W. S. MASON. ITTERS. Hostetter's, Drake's, Cannon's, Hoof-land's, Morning Star and Schenck's Bitters, and thousands of articles, or in fact anything that can be had in the Drug, Book, Paint or Stationery line, for sale by W. S MASON. SULPHITE OF LIME—Used to arrest ferm tion in Cider, and thus to preserve its spa-chau pages properties, just received and for a

F you need a good Base-Burning Stove or Heater JAS. LAW. HOOFF. POCKET Corn Sheller, which will take all the grains off-either of boiled or raw Corn-a good Article for housekeepers, for sale by October 12, 1869. JAS. LAW. HOOFF. PHE Oriental Rase-Burning Magazine Cooking Stove—for Anthracite Coal- for sale by October 12, 1869. JAS. LAW. HOOFF. SINGLASS, for the Base Burning Stoven, for sale by JAS. LAW. HOOFF. POWDER, Shot, Gun Cape, and Cartridges of a kinds, for safe by JAS. LAW. HOOFF.

CHAMPION Churp, for sale by October 12, 1869. JAS. LAW. HOOFF. COLT'S, Allen's and Sharp's Pistole, for sale b October 12. JAS. LAW. HOOFF. CEMENT and Cistern Pumps, for sale by October 12. JAS. LAW. HOOFF GALVANIZED and Japan Coal Hode, for mile October 12. JAS. LAW. HOOF?

Spirit of Jefferson

LOCAL MISCELLANY.

A TRIP UP THE VALLEY .- The deep in terest which we feel, and have felt, in the extension of a railroad through this county, and on through the Luray Valley, induced us to attend the meeting held in Harrisonburg, on Wednesday last, in furtherance of this interest. The pressure upon our columns this week, prevents us from giving anything like a detailed description of our trip-which was extended to Staunton.

At Harrisonburg, we were the guests of our former county-man, Capt. JOHN M. LOCKE, who is at present the gentlemanly proprietor of the American Hotel in that town. Of what transpired there, and elsewhere on our route, we shall try to furnish a full account in our next issue. The trip throughout was a most delightful one, and greatly enjoyed by the delegates from this county.

All along the route we were most happy to notice the indications of thrift, which are particularly noticeable in the towns of the Upper Valley.

CHANGE OF LOCATION .- At a meeting of the stockholders of the Valley Fire Insurance Company, of West Virginia, held at Kearneysville, on Friday last, a vote was taken on the question of removing the office of the Company, from the above point to Charlestown. The motion for removal was warmly, and we understand ably supported by JOSEPH TRAPNELL, Esq., and we are glad to say, met with much less opposition than was anticipated-the decided advantages to result from a removal being well understood and apprecia ted by the stockholders in attendance. Arrangements will at once be made to open the office in this town, and we presume the company will avail itself of the banking franchises provided in its charter,

Whatever may be the result of this removal, great credit is due to the gentlemen who projected the enterprise, as without the energy and public spirit evinced by them, it is probable the company would have been with.

More Rascality .- Very recently a number of houses in this town have been visited in the night by parties attempting to gain entrance through the windows, either for the purpose of robbery or some other devilment. In several instances that have come to our knowledge, parties have attempted to effect entrance at the chamber windows of young and respectable ladies. We recommend to our citizens to keep a sharp lookout for these midnight prowlers, and at the very first opportunity give them a salute that will bring them to their senses, or ferminate their outrageous proceedings.

AN ELOQUENT SERMON .- It is not often that we enter the domain of the pulpit to fill the columns of our paper; but we make no apology for the publication of the admirable discourse of Rev. Mr. SUTER, on the occasion of his departure from the charge of the congregation of St. Paul's Church, Lynchburg. This sermon was first published in the columns of the Republican of that city, from which we Mr. S. is now in charge of Wickliffe, where many of his admirers of former years will have an opportunity of hearing him.

TEMPERANCE . A NNIVERSARY - Eureka Cohort, No. 1, Legion of Temperance, of this place, will celebrate their first anniversary on Monday evening, the 25th inst. Maj. C. C. Callan, Supreme Consul of North America, will deliver the address on the occasion. The ceremonies promise to be of a highly interesting character, the Temperance Orders of this and adjoining counties being invited to participate. The address will be delivered in the Methodist Church.

A GOOD THING .- The energetic fitm of Messrs. Weirick & Weller, of the Jefferson Machine Shops, have recently placed in their large cistern a substantial force-pump, and to this have just attached sevenly feet of hose, which will enable them, in case of fire, to throw water upon any part of their shops, and even upon adjacent buildings. It would be well if other of our establishments would provide themselves with like means of security.

ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING .- At Harper's Ferry, on Saturday last, Joseph Roderick met with a very painful wound by the accidental discharge of a gun he was carrying on his shoulder in a careless manner. The gun fell, and striking a stone was discharged, the contents entering his right leg about six inches above the ankle, inflicting an ugly flesh wound. Dr. O'Donnell rendered the ne assistatice.

IMPROVEMENT .- The old frame building attached to the Stephenson property, near the corner of Main and Charles streets, now the property of David Howell, Esq., is in the hands of the carpenter, and very soon this hitherto almost unsightly object, will be fitted up with a glass front, and store room, to be occupied by Mr. S. H. Wooddy. David H. Cockrell & Son are doing the carpenter work.

RETURNED .- On Sunday last, Supervisor Collins passed up the railroad with one hundred hands that had been temporarily removed to aid in repairing the breakage of the B. & O. R. R., caused by the recent flood-to resume work again on the Strasburg extension. We are informed that it is the intention of the company to complete this road at an early

PREPARE FOR WINTER.-In addition to the large and general stock heretofore on hand, the well known firm of Mil'er & Smith have just received direct from the manufac urers, the most select and varied assortment of Stoves, they have ever offered to the public. The selection embraces all the latest patterns of wood and coal, cook, ornamental and plain parlor, and a general assortment of the air-tight and ten-plate. Their advertisement will appear next week.

OYSTERS!-Ah, the season has arrived and the lovers of the rich bivalve may now indulge, if not to their hearts, at least to their stomach's content. The saloons of our town are preparing for the winter campaign, and soon the fight will commence. As a starter. Mr. Gustav Brown has treated the editor and his wife to a most delicious feast of oysters. and about every other week during the winter he expects to act as our commissary in that particular department. We wish him much success in so heavy'a contract.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS .- To Mr. Thadeus Baney we are indebted for a specimen of the largest sweet potatoes, that we have ever seen, and of which we partook with great pleasure One of these potatoes weighed 2 pounds 9 oz; another 2 pounds 61 oz; and another 2 pounds 21 oz. They were raised by Mr. B. in his los near Rippon, and indicate what may be done by those who have the disposition to pay attention to the cultivation of this superior

- We are also under obligations to Mr Mason Conklyn for a basket of the very finest apples we have seen this season. Among the ot was a number of the old Vestal variety. the finest fall apple ever raised in the Virginia

REMOVAL .- Mr. J. H. EASTERDAY has removed his Stove and Tinning Establishment, to the frame building in the rear of the Sappington hotel, on the "Market-House Square," where he will continue to conduct the business in all its various branches.

Correction.-We were unintentionally guilty of an error last week in stating that the tin roofing upon the house of Mrs. Lackland was done by Messrs. Miller & Smith. It was executed by Mr. E. R. Harrell, and is pronounced to be a No. 1 job. *

To Advertisers !- These of our yearly advertisers who expect their favors to appear n the succeeding issue of our paper, must have them in by Saturday morning, or otherwise they cannut be inserted.

A Post Office has been established at licks' Wharf, Mathews county Va. Sam'l Clarke appointed Post Master.

ROSADALIS!-It is a source of satisfaction o the Proprietors to announce that this truly aluable medicine has so won the public favor by its intrinsic n erit, that their predictions of is success wherever introduced, are fully veriied. Procure from your Druggist a Rosadalis Almanac for 1869. Incorporated in it will be tound a few of the hundreds of Certificates in possession of the Proprietors, from persons whose characters for veracity are unimpeachable. They are bona fide, and are in all respects the opinious of those by whom they are given; are not manufactured for the purpose of deceiving a credulous public, but are grateful acknowledgments of benefits derived rom a medicine which in many respects, and for many diseases, is superior to any ever discovered.

VALLEY ITEMS.

From our Valley exchanges we copy the following items :--The Valley Convocation of the Episcoal Church, will be held in Christ church Winchester, commencing on 20th inst. -It is rumored that the track of the W

& S. Railroad will be laid as far as Middletown by the 1st of November. The iron is now arriving at Winchester. -Mr. Upton L. Dorsey, of Winchester, proposes to organize a joint stock company

with a view to the purchase or crection of mills sufficient to supply the Valley demand for superphosphates. -The stage of Kemp's line, that runs be ween Winchester and Hamilton, met with

an accident on Wednesday week, near Berryville, in consequence of one of its wheels running off, by which several of the passengers it contained were severely, though not seriously injured. Among those hurt was a colored man from Alexandria, named Jeff. Brooks, a cook for one of the engineer, parties on the proposed extension of the Alexandria, Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad. -M. Dove, Esq , Postmaster at Sugar

Grove, Pendleton county, W. Va., was in Harrisonburg only the other day, and found himself under the disagreeable necessity of thrashing an impudent colored gentleman of that city. The colored gentleman, it is prosumed, had been imbihing the ardent rather freely, and meeting Mr. Dove, jostled him off the pavement. Mr. D. told him that was impolite, when the darkey struck him on the pose. Mr. D. then returned this compliment in real backwoods style, and gave the Harrisonburg colored gentleman a first rate thrashing .- Rock. Register.

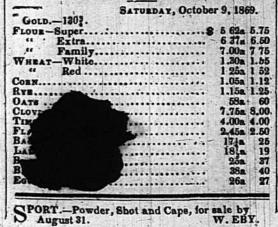
THIEVES .- Some daring thieves entered the store-room of Mr. Vorhees, on Main St., n Harrisonburg, on last Saturday night and stole a quantity of bacon, amounting to 125 pounds. They entered through the transom of the door, and afterwards opened the windowblind which was fustened on the inside. [Rockingham Register.

Mr. Vorhees was a former citizen of our town, and we regret his loss.

SALE OF FARM .- Major H. K. Douglas has sold the Douglas farm, on the Potomac, for \$65 per acre.

BALTIMORE MARKETS. REPORTED WEEKLY BY

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WANTED.—AGENTS FOR THE POCKET SEWING MACHINE AND AMERICAN QUILTER.—Specially designed for Quilting, Embroidering and Stitching. For quilting bedquilts, this machine stands without a rival in the world. It is simple, durable and practical. Weighs but six cunces, and occupies hardly more space than a scissors case. Moves over the fabric and follows any design stamped on the cloth. Retail price only \$6. Forwarded by return mail pre-paid on receipt of price. Very liberal inducements offered. Send for Circulars with terms to Agents. Call, or address REED, LEE & Co , Proprietors, 208 Broadway, N. Y. City. AGENTS! READ THIS!

WE WILL PAY AGENTS A SALARY OF \$30 er week and expenses, or allow a large co Address M. WAGNER & Co., Marshall, Mich. THE MAGIC COMB will change any colored hair or beard to a permanent Black or Brown. One Comb sent by mail for \$1. For sale by Merchants and Druggists generally. Address Magic Comb Co, Springfield, Mass.

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age, height, color of eyes and hair, you will receive by return mail, a correct picture of your future husband or wife, with name and date of mar-riage. Address W. FOX, P. O. Drawer, No. 8, Fultonville, New York.

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The Work is handsomely printed and bound; the Steel Engravings and Lithographed Maps are engraved in the most artistic style; and no expense nor care have been spared in its preparation to make it worthy alke of its subject and its author.

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No pains or expense spared in giving instruction. All Machines Warranted 3 Years. -00 TERMS TO SUIT EVERY ONE.

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"MRS. HENRY B. DAVENPORT."

NEAR HALLTOWN, July 19, 1369.
I have had one of Wheeler & Wilson's Sewing Machines in use for eleven years, and it has done well. Recently, Mr. Geo. Dutton, agent for this county, has added to it the late improvements, and I now consider I have one of the best machines in MRS WILLIAM SCHAEFPER. June 27, 1869-6m.

WANTED TO EXCHANGE,

MY STORE HOUSE, STOCK OF GOODS, and the Business which has been successfully conducted for years, in Boonsboro', Washington county, Maryland, for a small FARM, well improved, in the Valley of Virginia. Persons wishing to make such an exchange, will please make immediate application to me.

J. HORINE WEAST.

Boonsboro, September 28, 1869, Y STORE HOUSE, STOCK OF GOODS, and

NOTICE.

THE partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of Harrell & Gallaber, has been name and style of Harrell & Gallaber, has been dissolved this the last cay of September, 1869. All accounts due to this date will be settled by an agent mutually appointed, of whom further notice will be given:

The business will be continued at the old stand, by E. R. Harrell. A share of the public patronage is solicited.

E. R. HARRELL. September 28, 1869-3t.

LIME, LIME! LIME !! AM prepared to furnish the best MARYLAND BUILDING LIME, in bulk, at the Charlestown Depot; at 23 cents per bushel.

W. J. HAWKS,

Agent for M. J. Grove.

August 24, 1869—3m—F. P. copy.

A BARGAIN!

A NY one wishing to purchase a Second-Size Mc-CORMICK REAPER, in perfect condition, which has just gone through the present harvest, doing its work admirably, can have a bargain, and will be allowed him months credit on nearly all of the purchase money. Apply at July 13, 1869—if. THIS OFFICE.

LL persons it debied to McCURDY & TURNER, A LL persons it debied to McCURDI & TCANA, or to me, either by Note or Account, will please come forward and pay up. Longer indulgence cannot and will not be granted.

September 28, 1869—4t. G. H. TURNER. FERTILIZERS! FERTILIZERS!!

NOTICE.

TURNER'S Excelsior, Turner's Super-Prosphate
Maryland Phosphates, Burger & Butz's do.
Wilson's do., Soluble Silicate do., Bone Dust, or
hand and for sale by JAS. LAW. HOOFF. hand and for sale by August 10, 1869. MONEY.

RATONEY wanted for indebtedness, without delay September 14, 1869 W. EBY. NOTICE-HEED IT!

WANT money—can't carry on business without it. Wish those indebted to settle promptly.
October 5, 1869.
W. S. MASON. TOVES! STOVES!! STOVES!!!-We have D just received a stock of Cook Stoves, Base Burning and other Heating Stoves, and those in want would do well to look at our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

McCURDY & DUKE.

A GOOD second hand Gum-Spring Drill, and two new Bickford & Hoffman Drills, will be sold low, and on good terms, by October 5, 1869. McCURDY & DUKE. BAKER Fan Mills, Cutting Boxes, from \$10 to \$50, Scully's Improved Cider Mills, for sale by McCURDY & DUKE. CORN, Corn Meal, Offal, Oats. Screenings and Family Flour, for sale by October 5, 1869: McCURDY & DUKE.

S COOP Shovels and Corn Hampers, for sale by McCURDY & DUKE. SEAMLESS Cotton Grain Bage, for sale ty July 27. JAS. LAW. HOOFF. EDUCATIONAL.

HARLESTOWN FEMALE SEMINARY. will open on MONDAY, THE 13TH DAY OF PTEMBER NEXT, at the rooms of Major Kears-

TERMS: till be provided and further particular on application to the subscriber.

ROBERT T. BROWN

Charlestown, Jefferson count

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A SEPTEMBER 13th, 1869, and close on the LAST FRIDAY IN JUNE, 1870.

Being provided with competent Assistants, every advantage for a thorough course in English, the Languages, Drawing, Music on Piano and Organ, will be afforded. Particular attention will be paid to Music, and pupils will be required to play at the iffusical Soirces, when the friends of the pupils can have an disportunity to judge of their progress.

Vocal I susic will be taught in classes as well as by privat desson. by privat Jesson.
For Circ plars, Terms, &., apply to the Principal.
August 1869. Mss. A. M. FORREST.

LESSONS IN MUSIC. NSTRI CTION IN MUSIC ON PLANO will be I with the control of the control of the services in Charlestown or its vicinity. A class is now being formed.

REFERENCE.—Dr. L. C. Cordell, A. R. H. Ranson, P. H. Powers, W. W. B. Gallaher.

For terms, &c., make application to me by mail or otherwise at Charlestown.

August 10, 1863—3m. WM. BURNETT.

REAL ESTATE.

WALTON & CRAIGHILL. Real Estate Agents CHARLESTOWN, WEST VIRGINIA, A RE now prepared to enter and offer at PUBLIC OR PHIVATE SALE, FARMS, MILLS, STORES, MANUFAC-

TORIES, PRIVATE RESIDENCES. MACHINE SHOPS, &c. Our Catalogue, containing a full description of large number of farms and other properties, will be sent to all applicants. No charge for offering prop-erty for sale until sold. WALTON & CRAIGHILL. November 10, 1868-1f.

Valuable Building Lots IN CHARLESTOWN. At Private Sale. THE up ersigned is having several acres of land, adjoin a Charlestown on the South side; laid off into Bt. South will be disposed of privately. These lots are the most desirable in the town—bet tifully located, commanding a fine view of the country round, and in the most improving section. I articulars obtained by calling upon the subscriber.

W. N. CRAIGUILL.

March 23, 1869. FARM FOR SALE. HE subscriber offers for sale what he believes to be the most Valuable Farm of 250 ACRES in fierson County. It lies on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, about seven miles Fast of Martinsburg.
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August 3, 1869-tf.

October , 1569-3m.

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UBLIC SALE. THE upersigned, as Administrator of Adam L. Dem'y, deceased, will sell at Public Auction, at the rest ence of the deceased, on the "Shannon Hill" (Revie) Farm, on

THUR SDAY, OCTOBER 14th, 1869, Five Valuable Work Horses. Four fine Colts, Four Cows, Five Steers; Four Heifers, Three Spring Calves; One Brood Sow and Pigs, One Brood Sow;

One Reoper & Mower Combined (Russell's. One WHEAT DRILL (Willoughby's.)
Ploughs. Harrows, Rakes, Forks,
One Cutting-Box, Grain Ladders.
Grain Cradles, Mowing Scythes,
Log Chains, Shovels, &c.
One Wheat Fan, One Blacksmith's Bellows,
One act of Blacksmith Tools One wheat Fan, One Blacksmith's Bellic Que set of Blacksmith Tools, One Broad-tread Road Wagon and Bed, One Road Wagon, One One-horse Spring Wagon, Several sets of Wagon Gears, Plough Gears, Horse Collars, Halters, One Grindstone, &c., Halters, One Grindstone, &c., And many other Farming Impl

Fifty Acres of Corn. ONE LOT OF HAY, ONE LOT OF WHEAT. Also, at the same time. TWO HUNDRED HEAD OF SHEEP, TWENTY HEAD OF CATTLE—in good order; ONE MULE.

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of Ten Dollars and under, Cash; and a credit of Nine Months on sums over this amount. Terms to be complied with and satisfactory bonds executed, before removal of property.

Administrator of A. L. Demory, dec'd. October 5, 1869. [F. P.]

HAVING removed our Store to the corner known for many years as the Sts, henson corner, we will be happy to meet all our old customers and as many new ones as may please to give us their patronage, pledging ourselves to do all in our powerto give satisfaction.

HOWELL & BRO.

October 5, 1869. FOR RENT ..

THE undersigned, being desirous of removing from Charlestown, offers for rent, until the 1st of April, 1870, the well known HOLL HOTEL property. Any person, or persons, desiring to rent it, will call upon me at the house.

JOHN W DALGARN.

Charlestown. October 5, 1869—3t. Charlestown. October 5, 1869—3t.

TO THE LADIES.—If you desire beauty, you should use Mason's Bouge Powder. It gives a soft, refined, ruby-like texture to the complexion; removes Roughness, Blotches, Sunburn, Tan, Freckles, &c., and adds a tinge of rosy bloom to the plainest features. It brings the bloom of youth to the laded cheek, and changes old wrinkled faces to such ones as world challenge the sweet sixteen ones. In the use of this powder lies the truesecret of beauty. No lady need complain of her complexion, who will invest 25 cents in this delightful article.

October 5, 1869.

W. S. MASON.

HARPER'S FERRY TRADE;

GLORIOUS TIDINGS! GOOD NEWS FOR ALL!!

To the midst of the political excitement, JNO. L. SCHILLING continues to solicit the attention to the Public generally, to his well selected stock of CLOTHING AND GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES.
TRUNKS AND NOTIONS. All of which will be sold to give perfect satisfaction.

His stock of Sample Goods is calculated to please the most fastidious, and Suits will be made to order on the most reasonable terms, and warranted to fit.

Feeling thankful for past patronse, he would respectfully solicit the continuance of the influence extended by appreciative patrons, which he will endeavor to merit.

JNO. L. SCHILLING,

Opposite Shenandoah Hotel. Opposite Shenar Harper's Ferry. November 3, 1863.

ALL THE YEAR BOUND, AND particularly during these duff times, the subscriber is ready to buy for CASH, all kinds of Trash that nobody seems to care for, such as Rags of all kinds, Bones! Bones!! Bones!!!

Cast and Wrought Iron! Lead and Pewter! Brass and Copper! Iso COUNTRY PRODUCE of all descriptions

without exception.

For any of the above enumerated articles, you are at liberty to trade if you choose, in which case you will get more than the cash price.

The articles kept in the atore are generally known, but for the information of those who might not know, let it be said that we keep from a needle to an Anchor, or a hogshead of Sugar; by an Anchor of course we mean a Fish Hook.

Gold and Silver will be hought according to Ral-Gold and Silver will be bought according to Bal-

INFERNAL REVENUE STAMPS of all denomi nations constantly on hand; can be sent by letter on application. J. M. DECAULNE. on application. J. M. DECAULN Harper's Ferry; W. Va., June 15. 1869-3m.

JUST received, a large stock of Paints, consisting in part of Raw and Boiled Linsced Oil, Lewis' Maryland, Eagle and Cheespeake brands of Lead, Spirits of Turpentine, Patent Dryers, Coach, Furniture and Japan Varnish, with a nice assortment of Paint Brushes, which I will guarantee to furnish at as low prices as any house this side of Baltimore. Mixed Paint furnished by the pound, of any color desired.

C. B. BELLER. lesired. Harper's Ferry, September 21, 1869. LORNEY'S Celebrated Blood Cleanser or Pana-

Cea-prepared by Forney & Co., Greencastle Pa.—for sale by their agent, C. E. BELLER. Harper's Ferry, September 21, 1869. LETTER, Cap and Note Paper, with a variety of atyles of Envelopes; just received from Phila-delphia, and for sale at low rates, by Harper's Ferry, Sept. 21. C. E. BELLER.

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS AND PLANTERS

MERRYMAN & CO.'S RAW BONE SUFER-PHOSPHATE.

PRICE 845 PER TON. THIS Phosphate has proved itself to be the Cheapsurpassed by the highest prices Guanos. Its adaptation to

WHEAT, CORN, OATS, BUCKWHEAT, TOBACCO, GARDEN TRUCK, GRASS. ac., has been thoroughly and most satisfactorily tested. Finely ground and suitable for drilling.— Put up in bags of 167 lbs. each. O. P. MERRYMAN & CO.

MANUFACTURERS Warehouse, 54 South Gay Street, etween Lombard and Pratt streets, Balt. For sale at manufacturers' price, (cost of trans-GEORGE E CORDELL, Charlestown, West Va.

BREATHEDVILLE, WASHINGTON Co., Mp., August 5th, 1869.

Messrs. O. P. Merryman & Co.—Gentlemen:—We, the undersigned, used your Raw Bone Phosphate last Fall on our wheat crops, side by side with other Phosphates of higher price than yours, and we could see no difference in the wheat. We can recommend it to the farmers in general.

JOHN BOOTH,

HIRAM SHOW MAN,

W BREATHED,

J. W. BREATHED, GEO. SHAFER, JOHN H. JOHNSON.

CARROLL Co., Mo.: August 3d, 1869.

Messrs Menavan & Co.—Gentlemen I used your Phosphate on my wheat last Fall, I think not over 100 lbs. to the acre, and it made me a first rate crop: I was quite as well satisfied with it as with the most expensive Guanos I ever used.

LEWIS GREEN. August 31, 1869-2m. ATTENTION, FARMERS!

Bone Dust. Bone Dust! AT LOWEST MARKET RATES. Also, Gimes' Pat. Raw Bone Phosphate, ON SHORT TIME TO PROMPT PARTIES.

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THE past two years have fully realized this RAW
I BONE PHOSPHATE to be the Cheapest and
Best in the Market, and unsurpassed by the highest
priced Guanos. Its adaptation to Wheat, Corn,
Oats, Buckwheat, Tobacco, Garden Truck, Grasses,
&c, has been fully and most satisfactorily tested.
Finely ground and suitable for drilling, put up in
Bags of 167 lbs. each.
O. P. MERRYMAN & CO.,
Sole Manufacturers, 54 S. Gay St.,
BALTIMORE, MD.

GEO. E. CORDELL, Agent,
Charlestown, West Virginia.
March 23, 1869.

FARMERS LOOK TO YOUR INTEREST FARMERS, attend to your Wheat Drills in time.

We would advise those who wish to have Guano
Sowers put on their Drills, to bring them in at once,
as many were disappointed last season, by not
bringing them in time. We are putting on our

NEW PATENT GUANO SOWER, which we consider the best in use. on all Eight Tube
Drills for the low price of \$35. For the operation
of this Guano Sower, we refer you to the following
gentlemen, who used them last year:—Capt. Joseph
F. Abell, George Cockrell. Col. Thomas Hite, Sam'l
S Moore, Geo. W. Jones, Jacob Snyder, Augustus
Cain. Thos. E. Woodward, Henry Huntsberry, Edgar Allen, Dr. C. W. Goldsborough, Daniel Hefflebower, James Akins, Richard Morgan, Capt. Jas.
W. Gienn, and John C. Ware.

TO THOSE IN WANT OF NEW DRILLS, we would say that, if you apply early, we are still prepared to furnish the celebrated Martinsburg Drill, built by Samuel Fitz, which is universally acknowledged to be the best in use. WEIRICK & WELLER. Charlestown, July 20, 1869. F. P. NOTICE.

THE time has arrived for us to purchase our Fall and Winter Stock of Goods, and we must have the money now due us; and we give this notice to all persons who know themselves to be indebted to us, to call and settle their accounts, on or before the first day of October next. Any one failing to do this we will certainly refuse any longer credit, and will insist upon immediate settlement of their accounts.

To those of our customers who have paid us regularly, we tender our thanks for their patronage, and it will give us pleasure to continue business with them as heretotre. them as heretofore.

30 We intend to carry out the conditions of this notice fully, and those who do not settle by the time specified will be prepared for a refusal of further credit.

NOTICE. HAVING resumed the practice of LAND SUR-VEYING, ENGINEERING AND CONVEY-ANCING, and baving associated my son, J. M. D. Brown, with me in the business, we offer our services to my ott patrons of Jefferson, Clarke, Frederick, Berkeley and Loudoun, and all others. I will also teach Phonography wherever a class can be formed, or to individuals, on reasonable terms.

July 20, 1869—tf. JAMES M. BROWN.

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Summit Point, September 14, 1869.

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Th! dark, false friend, were all like thee Who proudly boast of gentle blood, I'd shun fore'er the haunts of men, And seek the prairies and the wood.

Heartless and base, ne'er in thy breast Did holy friendship make its dwelling; Worthless and mean, ne'er hast thou fe In thy black heart its pure tide swelling.

Go hide thy head, nor let me gaze
'Upon thy face through life again;
I would forger that God could give
To such fair form so black a brain.

For I have proved thee black as night;
Go! I forgive thee all thou'st done,
But never darken more my sight. Charlestown, Va., October 5, 1869.

HUMOROUS.

Billings' Best. Men mourn for what they have lost-wimmin for what they hain't got. I judg of a man's virtew entirely bi hiz pashions-it is a great deal eggier tew be a

good dove than a decent sarpent. There are menny ways to find out how brave and how honest a man may be, but thar ain't no way to find out the extent ov his vanity. A lie is liks a cat, it never comes to yu in

a straight line. Nature is a kind mother. She couldn't well afford to make us perfekt, and so she made us blind to our feelings. Study the heart if yu want to learn human

nature : there ain't no human nature in a Friendship iz simply the gallantry of self-

interest. Beware ov the man with half-shut eyeshe ain't dreaming.

Experience makes more timid men than it duz wise ones. Advice is a drug in the market; the supply always exceeds the demand.

One of the safest and most successful tallants i kno ov iz to be a good listener. Fools are the whet stones of society. Better make a weak man your enemy than

your friend. Curiosity is the instinct of wisdom. Those who becum disgusted and withdraw from the world, mustn't forgit one thing, that the world will forgit them, a long time before

they will forgit the world, Put down man (for me) as a vain and selfish critter, all his talk and ackshuns to the contrary, notwithstanding, nevertheless, towit, verily, amen.

Wise men laff every good chance they kan git. Laffin iz only a weakness in phools. I give the world credit for a great deal morr honesty than it can show.

When i find a real handsum woman engaged in the "wimmin's rights bizzeness," then i am going to take mi hat under mi arm and jine in Gratitude iz a debt, and like all other debts,

is paid bekause we are all obliged to, not bekause we love to. Praise that ain't deserved is no better than

There iz three kinds of phools in this world, the natural ones, the common, every day phool, and the dagham phool. - Tom Hood wrote to his butcher that it

was necessary, for the sake of cheap literature and the interest of the reading public, that he should furnish him with meat at a very trifling percentage above cost price. Mr. Stokes replied: "Sir, Respectin' your note Cheap literater be blowed. Butchers must live as well as other pepel-and if so be you or the readin' public wants to have meat at cost price, you must buy your own beastesses and kill yourselves."

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- A Missourian informed a traveller, who enquired about his corn, that each stalk had nine ears on it, and was fifteen feet high .-"That's nothing to our corn," replied the traveller. "Up in Illinois, where I came from, we always had nine ears to each stalk, and a peck of shelled corn hanging to each tassel; but we could never raise any field beans with it." "Why?" "Because the corn grew so fast it always pulled the beans up."

-Imaginashun, tew much indulged in soon is tortured into reality; and this is one way that good hoss thieves are made; a man Jeans over a fence all day, and imagins the hoss belongs tew him, and sure enuff, the fust dark night, the hoss does.

- A country editor, in speaking of a steam boat, says, "She had twelve births in her ladies" cabin," "Oh, life of me! (exclaimed an old lady, on reading the above), what squalling there must have been !"

-"Mother," said Ike, Partington; "did you know that the iron horse had but one ear?" "One ear? merciful gracious, child, what do you men?" "Why, the engineer, of course.'

- 'Did you know,' said a cunning Gentile to a Jew, that they hang Jews and jackasses together in Portland?' 'Indeed!' retorted Solomon, 'den it ish vell dat you and I ish not

-"How does that look, eh?" said Mr. Cramp, holding out his brawny hand. "That," said Ames, "looks as if you are out of seap."

_"Bob," said a young fellow at a fancy fair, "you are missing all, the sights on this side." "Never mind, Bill" retorted Bob, "I am sighting all the misses on the other."

- A fool in a high station is like a man on the top of a high mountain-every thing appears small to him, and he appears small to every body.

-The lady who burst her sides a laughing, had them mended by her husband coming into her front parlor with muddy boots.

- In an Illinois cemetery is a tombstone bearing only this simple, touching epitaph, "Gone up."

- Dyers are as liable to err as anybody else. They are but hue-men. - Editors ought to be able to live very cheap-they "bored" for nothing.

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April 27, 1869.

A. W. CRAMER. SPEAR'S Fruit Preserving Solution, for preserving all kinds of Fruits, Jellies, Spiced Fruits, Tomatoes, Cider Wine, Milk, &c. One bottle will preserve 128 lbs. of fruit. It saves the expense of preserve 128 lbs. of fruit. It saves the expense of scaling or air-tight jars or cans. This preparation was extensively used in this county last season, and gave universal satisfaction. For sale by

June 8. AISQUITH & WASHINGTON. VEAST Powder, Baking Soda and Cream Tartar, W. EBY.

MECHANICAL.

McKnight & Bro. CHARLESTOWN team Saw, Planing & Sash Factory

ALL ARTICLES IN WOOD FOR BUILDING PURPOSES. SASU, DOORS, BLINDS, FRAMES, MOLDINGS, &c.,

rencing Plank, Oak and White Pine Shi Laths, &c. A LARGE LOT OF WALNUT PLANK AND SCANTLING, On hand; also a large qua STAVES AND BARREL HEADING Sawing of Every Description

CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS Are earnestly solicited to give us a call, as we are enabled by the use of Machines of the Latest Patents, to get up work in a neat and workman-like manner. Our work is made of the best quality of Lumber, well seasoned.

The management and supervision of the establishment is in the hands of Mr. William Langdon, an experienced workman, who will give prompt attention to all orders left at one office.

Terms Cash, unless by Special Agreement.

June 1, 1869.

McENIGHT & BRO.

SASH FACTORY. THE undersigned are now prepared to furnish FRAMES, DOORS, BLINDS, SASH, FLOORING, MOULDINGS, BRACKETS, or any kind of Scroll Sawing, and everything needed in the way of woodwork about the building of Houses, at our

"BLOOMERY SASH FACTORY." on the Shenandoah river. 21 miles above Keyes Ferry, 3 miles below Shannondale Springs, and 3 miles from Charlestown.

As this is a home enterprise we look for the patronage of our own people, and if they do not encourage us it will not be on account of either our prices, quality of work, or spirit of accommodation LUMBER OF ALL KINDS, either Rough or Dressed, kept constantly on har for sale. Post office, Charlestown, Jefferson courty, West Va.

WILLIAM PHILLIPS, Manager.

DAVID H. COCKRILL J [JOSEPH H. COCKRILL & SON, ARCHITECTS & BUILDERS Charlestown, Jefferson County,

VIRGINIA. OUR experience in the business which we advertise to conduct, and our theroughacquaintance with it in all its branches, enable us to assure the public that any work entrusted to us will be executed in the most workmanlike manner, and with the utmost dispatch. Having stood to their posts in the Confederate army during the four years' struggle which it so mantally encountered, they have located in their native county, where their services are offered in building up the waste places, and in carrying out practical reconstruction.

Particular attention given at all times to the drawing of plans and specifications; and in the construction of

GEOMETRICAL STAIRWAYS. where calculation is required, they are confidenthat they cannot be surpassed by any workmen in the Valley of /irginia. Geng well known in the community, they deem itunnecessary to say more, than that orders left for them will receive prompt itention.

April 7, 1863—ti.

SAMUEL MYERS. CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER CHARLESTOWN, W. VA., W ILL take contracts for BUILDINGS OF ALL KINDS, and will furnish all necessary ma terial for same, it desired.

Being a practical mechanic, he feels satisfied that he can give satisfaction in all business entrusted to May 25, 1869. Free Press copy tf.

JNO. N. WHITTINGTON.] [JAS. N. SMALL. WHITTINGTON & SMALL, HOUSE, SIGN AND ORNAMENTAL PAINTERS.

CHARLESTOWN, W. VA. THE undersigned would respectfully announce to the public that they have entered into copartnership with the view of conducting the above named business, and from their experience they feel well satisfied of their ability to give satisfaction to those who may favor them with patronage, in any branch of the PAINTING BUSINESS. FURNITURE Re-Painted and Varnished, and Cane-Sent Chairs Ro-Bottomed.

13-A call is respectfully solicited.

June 15, 1869—tf.

BLACKSMITHING & WAGON-MAKING BROWN'S CROSSING, B. & O. R. R.

THE undersigned having formed a copartnership, in the above business, under the name and firm of BROWN & BRO, take this method of informing the farmers and others, of Jefferson county, that they have facilities for furnishing every description of

WORK IN THEIR LINE. Being practical workmen them-selves, and designing to give their personal supervision to every piece of work turned out of their shops, they have no hesitation in guarantee-ing satisfaction to all who may favor them with patronage None but the best material will be used in either branch of business and Ploughs and Wagons will be furnished to order in a style unsurpassed by any other establishment in the county.

FRANK M BROWN,
June 8, 1869—tf. JOHN W. BROWN.

1869. Spring and Summer, 1869 ASE the attention of my customers and the public to the large and well selected stock of Spring and Summer Goods, just opened, which I shall sell as low as the lowest. My stock of Ladies' Dress Goods embraces the following:

STRIPED SERGE, JAPANESE PRINTED CAMBRIC, GRAND DUCHESS BLACK ALPACA, SILK WARP ALPACA. I would ask the attention of the Ladies of Charle two and vicinity to my large stock of Notions and White Goods, consisting in part of Kid Gloves, Ho siery, Laces, Cambric and Swiss Edging, Ruffling, Coventry Marseilles, Grecian Bend Fluting, Parasols, Ribbons, Plain, Barred and Striped Cambric, Barred Imperatrice, and many other articles too

Barred Imperatoric, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Black and White and Colored Berage Shawls, Shetland Shawls, Real Lama Lace Shawls, Black Cashmere Shawls, Table Linen, Wool Table Cov-ers, White and Golored Honey-comb and Marseilles Spreads; also Calicos, Cottons, Checks and Stripes at the lowest prices. My stock of Clothing, Hats, & Gents' Furnishing Goods, consists of the Largest and Best Selected in the county; also Cloths and Cassimeres, White Linen. Brown Linen and Cahco Shirts in great varieties.

My-Call and judge for yourselves, at
S. A. HAMBURGER'S
Charlestown, May 11. Cheap Cash Store.

POULTRY POWDERS. OR CHICKEN CHOLERA MEDICINE. Is a prepare tion of our own manufacture, which has been thoroughly tested by many of the most reliable and practical citizens of Clarke and Jeffer A CURE FOR CHICKEN CHOLERA. We would not offer it to the public until it was proved to be a most valuable preparation, and we WARRANT IT TO CURE,

ncident to Fow la We are prepared to furnish it on liberal terms to dealers by the gross or dozen, and offer it to consumers, at our Store, for Twanty-Five Cants pepackage.

LIPPITT & ANNAN, Druggists,
Bérryville, Va., July 27, 1869- tf. A Link & Co, Duffield's Depot.

C. E: Belles, Harper's Ferry.

Henry M. Billings, Shepherdstown.

Alsquire & Washington, and W. S. Mason

t Charlestown. July 27, 1869—tf. ADIES GAITERS AND CHILDRENS' SHOES.

We have just received a nice assortment of Ladies Gaiters and Childrens' silver tipped Morocco Shoes, all of which we warrent not to rip.

Aug. 17. KEARSLEY & SHEERER.

CALL and examine the Willoughby Grain Drill before buying any other. For sale by August 10, 1869. JAS. LAW. HOOFF. VIDER Mills for sale by JAS. LAW. HOOFF. July 6. CHAMPION Churn, for sale by August 10, 1869. JAS, LAW. HOOFF

SHEPHERDSTOWN TRADE.

HENRY M. BILLING ID THE TELEVISION "ENTLER'S BOTEL BUILDING," SHEPHERDSTOWN, W. VA. PS constantly on hand a large and well-cted stock of French, English and Americ RUGS MEDICINES, CHEMICALS,

ERFUMERY, SOAPS, FANCY GOODS. Store. Physicians' Prescriptions and Family Recipes compounded at all hours of day or night.

GO Persons wishing to purchase, will do well to call and examine my stock and prices before purchasing elsewhere, as I am existince that I can sell as chiap, if not cheaper than any house in the county.

Very Respectfully,

HENRY M. BILLINGS.

Lumber, Lumber: Eundersigned is now receiving another lot of hoice LUMBER of every description. He wi antly keep on hand, at his Lumber Yard i perdstown, a large and general assortment of WHITE AND YELLOW PINE PLANK. JOIST AND SCANTLING,

TRIME SEASONED POPLAR PLANK,
of all widths and thickness, suitable for Cabinet
purposes. &c. Also, HOOP FOLES, CYPRESS
AND OAK SHINGLES; all of which will be sold on
reasonable terms for Cash.

Tebruary 2, 1969— if. TOWNER SCHLEY.

DUFFIELD'S TRADE

GREAT EXCITEMENT AT Cheapside No. 1. HAVING just returned from the Eastern market with a new and complete stock of MERCHAN WE CAN OFFER BARGAINS

to any who may favor us with a call. If Low Prices are any inducement, we know we will be in—
It is useless to enumerate the articles we have for sale, as every body knows what is kept in a Country Store, and those who may not know we will be happy to show what we have. No trouble to show goods at this establishment. Give us a call, everybody, and be at once convinced. We certainly feel grateful for past favors, and respectfully, solicit a share of public patronage. Respectfully.

A. LINK & CO.

Duffield's Depot, May 25, 1569. FARMERS LOOK TO YOUR INTERESTS nd ber the best HORSE RAKE in existence

THE "CLIPPER." They be made of the best material and put up by good irkmen, and warranted in every respect.

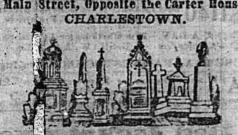
Can be dily operated by a child old enough to manne horse. We are agents for this celebrated Rake any feel safe in recommending it to Farmers. A model take can be seen by calling on A LINK & CO.,

May 11, 1869. Duffield's Depot.

LAST NOTICE.

THOSE knowing themselves indebted to the late firm of Snyder, Link & Osburn, will accept this as THE LAST NOT! E to come forward and settle their accounts. BY PAYMEN! They must be actiled by the 15th day of August, or we shall be compelled to place them in the hands of an officer for collection. SNYDER, LINK & OSBOURN. Duffield's, July 20, 1869-tf.

MARBLE WORKS. CHARLESTOWN MARBLE WORKS. Main Street, Opposite the Carter House CHARLESTOWN.



Michide Bro MANUFACTURERS OF MONT HENTS, TOMBS, HEAD & FOOT ST INES, MANTLES, STATUES. AND CARVING,

business. All orders promptly filled at the lowest rate, and shortest notice, and all work delivered and put ap, and guaranteed to see the contract of the con rate, and shortest notice, and all work delivered and put fip, and guaranteed to suit purchasers.—
If not, to sale. Please call and see, and judge for yourselves before purchasing elsewhere, and patronize flome Manufacturers.

The subscribers have also in operation their shop in Martinsburg, where they will give prompt attention to all work entrusted to them. Charlestown. Feb. 19, 1867—od May 15, 1866.

To the Public. HAVING purchased available treet of timber lard, and located a Saw-Mill upon it with a capacity of sawing forty thousand feet of Lumber weekly, I will be prepared to furnish nearly

EVERY VARIETY OF LUMBER.

Such as Pine Plank, Joists, Rafters, Studding, Plastering Lath, Chestnut Palings, Oak Fencing Plank, &c. Lumber will be kept constantly on hand at the Mill, 1‡ miles above Kearsley & Sheerer's Planing Mill, on the Shenandosh river, and at Jas. Law. Hooff's Lumber yard at Charlestown.

Persons contemplating building will promote their interests by calling upon the subscriber in person, or Jas. Law. Hooff, before going elsewhere, GEO. W. EICHELBERGER.

August 11, 1868—1y.

Homsher & Drawbaugh, KEARNEYSVILLE, VA., HAVE just received another full stock of SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, which they are offer-ing at greatly reduced prices, for Cash, or in ex-change for Country Produce.

LADIES' DRESS GOODS. In Great Varieties; BLACK & COLOR'D ALPACAS, LAWNS, DELANES, &c.

A full line of WHITE GOODS, NOTIONS & TRIMMINGS. Their stock of Domestics is full and complete, consisting of Calicos, Brown and Bleached Costons Ginghams, Crash, Furniture, Checks, Striped Cottons, Denims, &c. MEN'S AND BOYS' WEAR.

Cassimeres, Tweeds, Cottonades, &c.; Hats, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, Queensware, Hardware, &c. Their Groceries are choice, being selected with great care. Please give them a call, for they warrant astisfaction.

AT They also respectfully request those of their old customers who have failed to settle their old bills, to square up.

Kearneyaville, April 20, 1869.

THOROUGH-BRED DURHAM STOCK THE subscriber offers for sale, upon his farm ad joining Charlestown YOUNG SHORT-HORN DURHAM CATTLE. of both sexes, of the purest European and Kentucky wedigree. This Stock is of choice Kentucky selec-tion, and the Kentucky pure blood Short-Horns are considered the linest cattle in the world. considered the finest cattle in the world.

The subscriber respectfully invites farmera in this and other counties and States, to come and see his herd, the fully grown animals of which are unsurpassed in point of size and beauty. A rare opportunity is thus afforded to improve in a high degree the prevailing breed of cattle, which improvement is so much needed throughout this entire section of country.

JAS M RANSON

NOTICE. HAVE a STEAM SAW-MILL on the bank of the Shenandoah river, near Luray, Page coun-ty. in fine running order, and am prepared to fur-ANY AMOUNT OF PINE LUMBER. of the very best quality, at short notice. Those wishing to make large contracts will apply immediately. My Poet Office is Luray, Page county.

August 3, 1869—4m. DAVID HUFFMAN.

[Spirit of Jefferson will copy the above and send bill to this office.—Page Courier.]

JAS. M. RANSON,

country. May 11, 1869-6m.*

THE FASHIONS FOR SPRING AND SUMMER. HAVE the latest styles and am prepared to cut, fit and make Ladies' and Children's Dresses, Wrappings, Sacques, Basques, &c., or to furnish Patterns for the same. Infant Wardrobes made complete. Pinking and Stamping done to order Thankful for past favors, I respectfully solicit a continuance of patronage.

May 25, 1869—16

BISCOTINE food for invalids and infants; Jume Burmuda, Arrow-root, Corn Starch, Gelatin, and Flavoring Extracts.

Aug. 17. AISQUITH & WASHINGTON,

C August 31.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

E WILLIS WILSON. F14年2月15日1日 1881日 SHEPHERDSTOWN, JEFFERSON CO.

WEST VIRGINIA. Will practice in the Courts of this and the adjusting Counties.

85-Office, one door north of the Register office.

Aug. 17, 1869-1y.

N. S. WHITE & TRAPNELL, Attorneys at Law,
Charlestown, W. Va.
WHL Practice in the Courts of Jefferson and adjoining Counties of Virginia and West Virginia. Prompt attention given to all business entrusted to them.
January 12, 1869—17.

THOS. C. GREEN.] [DAN'L, B. LUCA). GREEN & LUCAS, Attorneys at Law. HAVING associated ourselves as pariners, w 05-Offices at Charlestown, Shepherdstown and

September 22, 1868-tf. ISAAC FOUKE, Attorney at Law, Charlestown, Jefferson County, PRACTICES in the Courts of Jefferson, Berkeley and Morgan Counties, W. Virginia, and in those of, Loudoun, Frederick and Clark Counties, Virginia; also in the United States District Court in cases in Bankruptcy.

(6) Office in Hunter's Law Row, next door to the Carter Fune. July 30, 1867—1y.

WM. H. TRAVERS. ATTORNEY AT LAW, Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia,
LVILL practice in the District Courts of the UniW ted States for the District of West V.rginia.—
Particular attention paid to cases in Bankcuptcy.
July 30, 1867. EDWARD C. FREEL,

Attorney at Law PRACTICES in the Courts of JEFFERSON, BERKELEY, and MORGAN Counties. He will have the advantage of consultation with and advice of Messrs. GREEN & UCAS, in all business entrusted to him.

| Office, opposite Entler's Hotel Shepherds town, West Va.
| November 6, 1867—tf.

G. M. BELTZHOOVER. ATTORNEY AT LAW. SHEPHERDSTOWN, W. VA. Of Particular attention given to collection of Claims in Jefferson and adjoining counties, and all remittances made promptly.

March 30, 1869—tf.

I HAVE just finished receiving my suprly of ing, &c, It is the most handsome instyle and lower in prices than ones her Dental Notice: DR. J. F. HARTGROVE. Mechanical and Operative Benjist, ATE of North Carolina, offers his Profession Services in J fferson and su rounding counties and will be pleased to share the public patronage.

OF Persons wishing it, can be served at their respective residences, and farther information of tained by addressing me at my office, at Harper

DR. McGORMICK will visit Charlestown
Professionally, the Second Monday of
April, (12th.) May 10th, June 10th, Joly
12th, August 9th, September 13th, October 11th
November 8th, and remain a week each time.
CHARGES MODERATE. Of Office at the Sappington Hotel.
April 6, 1869.

DENTAL NOTICE.



DR. J. V. SIMMONS. ING permarently located in Charlestown, Va. D offers his services in every branch of life pro-fession. Freezing or Narcotic Spray used in ex-

60-Charges very moderate. July 23, 1367-1y. DR. C. T. RICHARDSON. PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON. CHARLESTOWN. 63- Messages left at his residence, or at the Drug fore of Aisquith & Bro., will receive prompt at-

December 24, 1867-6m.

April 6, 1869-if

PROFESSIONAL CARD. DR. JAS. G. WILTSHIRE. OFFERS his services as Physician and Surgeon, to the citizens in the vicinity of Duffield's Depot, where he will always be found, except when

HOTELS. SHENANDOAH HOUSE MARTINSBURG, W. VA. JOHN FELLER, PROPRIETOR.

THE Proprietor of this excellent Hotel, not hav-ing succeeded in selling his property, will, as heretofore, continue to keep the House, but is still disposed to sell, if an acceptable offer be made him. The Shenandoah House is one of the most conveniently arranged and comfortable hotels in Mar-tinsburg, and the Proprietor will spare no trouble or expense to render the stay of his guests pleasant The fine stock of Liquors, Wines, &c., with which his Bar is supplied, will be kept up, and persons who may patronize him in this department, can rely upon getting the very best article.

The Shenandoah House is pleasantly situated on North Queen Street, near the Railroad.

August 10, 1869.

Spirit of Jefferson copy. - New Eta. JOHN M. LOCKE. MRS. MARY C. LUPTON American Hotel.

HARRISONBURG, VA. THIS well-known Hotel has been entirely ren afford. and the new Proprietors promise that Guests shall receive every comfort which well-stocked Larders, clean fieds, and attentive Servants afford. TERMS, \$2.50 PER DAY. November 17, 1868-3m

ENTLER HOTEL.

SHEPHERDSTOWN, WEST VIRGIA July 17, 1866-16. 60 TO TRUSSELL & LUCAS'S. No. 24 Cor. Main & Lawrence Sts. ND purchase your HARVEST GOODS for Case you will save money. They keep

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Ve be and Brown Sugars,
Syrups and Molasses,
Coffees and Teas,
Spicer of all kinds,
G. A. and Fine Salt,
Potomac and Eastern Herring,

Mackerel by bbl. or kit,
Flour and Corn Meal,
No. 1 Kerosene Cil,
Rappee and Scotch Snuff,
Mason's Blacking and Brushes Mason's Blacking and Brushes, Harvest Gloves, A very cheap lot of Men's Shoes for harvey We ask an inspection of our stock. Tinware at manufacturers' prices Call and inspect our Goods.

(37-The Book Keeper hasn't returned, June 15, 1869.

DOWAN'S INFALLIBLE CEMENT. prepare only by W. S. Mason, Druggist, Charlestow Ne plus ultra. It is one of the best articles ex offered in this community for mending China, Glass, Marble, Porcelain, Bone, Ivory, Wood, Meer schaum, Leather, or anything that is broken. Fire and water proof. A child five years old can use it. Never known to fail. It requires no string to hold the parts together. Every bottle warranted: Call and examine, at W. S. MASON'S

September 7, 1869.

CARBOLIC ACID for this preparation is in the year for the sick romoving stenches from pre-W, EBY. TO TRAVELLERS.

WINCHESTER AND POTOMAC R. R. TIME TABLE.

TRAINS GOING WEST. Leave Opequon Bridge at 3 48 & Leave Stephenson's at 9 04 & M an Arrive at Winchester at 9 25 & M an Thaiss Going Est

rrive at Harper's Ferry 11 45 A M and 6 00 P M WINCHESTER ACCO

A. B. WOOD, Agent, Harper's Ferry.
JOHN L. WILSON,
May 9, 1869.
Master of Transportation BALTIMORE & O. R. R. COMPANY. SCHEDULE of Passenger Trainsarriving and de-parting at the Harper's Forry Station: TRAINS BOUND EAST.

5 40 A. M. 5 41 A. M. 2 56 P. M. 2 57 P. M. ast Line, TRAINS BOUND WEST. Mail Frais. Express Train, 1 34 A. M. 1 35 A. M.

Office open at all hours for trains. Through Tickets sold to all the principal cities of the Union.

For further Information inquire at the Office.

A.B. WOOD, AGENT.

Harpers Ferry, May. 9, 1869. COMPETITION DEFIED J. GOLDSMITH'S CHEAP STORE.



Terms positively Cash! Don't forget the place-adjoining the residence of Humphrey Keyes. May 11, 1869. J. GOLDSMITH. THE WILLCOX & GIBBS'

NOISELESS. FAMILY SEWING MACHINE. WE claim for the WILLCOX & GIBB'S the ful-

We claim for the WILLCOX a GIBB'S the fullowing points:

The "twisted loop stitch" made with one thread
directly from spool, making a more elastic and durable stitch than is made by any other Machine,
thus simplifying it by doing away with bobbine,
shuttles, circular needles, under spools and their
attendant complications.

The impossibility of setting the needle wrong,
owing to patented device for adjusting the same.

The case and rapidity of motion, and not being
able to turn backward by the foot, and non liability to get out of order.

The great range of work—Heming, felling,
braiding, hinding, gathering, cuiting, cordingtucking, embroidery, sewing from finest lace to
heaviest muslins or cloths without changing Machine.

Agents for Jefferson and Clarke Counties.

April 21, 1863.

HARNESS, SADDLES AND BRIDLES, MANUFACTURED OR REPAIRED.

At Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia. THE undersigned respectfully announce es to the citizens of Charlestown and vicinity, that he is constantly making and repairing Carriage, Gig, Buggy, Coach and Wagon HARNESS, SADDLES, BRIDLES, HALTERS, &c., in the most durable manner, and the mest modern style of workmanship, and abshort actics and upon "living" terms. My work commends itself. All I ask is a share of the public patronage.

(15 Call upon me at my establishment on Market-House Square.

IIENRY D. MIDDLEKAUFF.

November 7, 1866—19

November 7, 1866-19 PREPARE FOR COLD WEATHER. WE have the most extensive and complete as-sortment of STOVES over in this market, to which we call the attention of the public. Our

Extension-Top Cooking Stove—with Cast-Iron Boiler and Tin Heater attachee; Improved Egg Stove—Open or Air. To hi; Gas Burner Stoves—for Heating one 63 tico Rooms; Oriental Store-all sizes; Morning Glory—all sizes;
And a great variety of other Stoves for Wood or Coal. Those desiring Stoves will please leave or dersearly.

Charlestown, September 3, 1868

CO-PARTNERSHIP. THE undersigned have entered into a Co-Part-nership under the firm of STARRY & LOCK, for the purpose of conducting the Produce Com-mission and Forwarding Business at the Charles-town Depot.

J D. STARRY. own Depot. Jan: 15, 1867. To the Farmers, Millers and Others

I AVING associated ourselves in bus Wheat, Flour, Corn and all othes kinds of Produce the highest market prices in Cash, or will receive and forward on Commission, making sales and returns in the abortest time STARBY & LOCK. Charlestown Depot, Jan, 15, 1867.

AVIS' LIQUOR STORE,

Spirit Building, Charlestown, W. Va.

IN THE

COUNTIES OF JEFFERSON & CLARKE:

THE BAR of this establishment is kept constant-ly supplied with the PUREST LIQUORS to be had, and the proprietor desires to call special atten-tion to the HOME-MADE WHISKEY manufactured by his father, at the Distillery on the Shenandoah river. This whiskey is entirely without adulteration, and is as pure an article as ever, came from the still. It is offered in any quantity that purchasers may desire, and is warranted to be just as represented.

As-The proprietor would positively notify those who are in the habit of patronizing his bar, that he will hereafter sell exclusively for CASH, without respect to persons, and no one need ask for credit.

March 20, 1869—tf.

JOHN R. AVIS.

ATEST arrivals of Ladies' Pashlonable Pollah Front-Lace Guiters—beautiful styles. Call at to. 24 and examine them. August 10, 1869: TRUSSELL & LUCAS. OASTED Coffee-fresh-just received and 15 and by