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 constructed by them.
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 jority.
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 bill concerning the Map of Virginia
 (proposing to limit the price to one dol-
 lar for the large and fifty cents for the
 small map.) The bill was passed.

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 lottery for the benefit of Washington
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 people in this section of the Valley, and earnestly
 calls upon all who have prospect of enjoying the
 benefits, to put "their shoulders to the wheel,"
 and then call upon the State for aid.

THE UNDERWORLD.
 Having before us had in contemplation
 to remove from Charlestown in the
 evening, and having for some
 time been looking for a professional en-
 gagement, in cases which would require his
 attention at a period subsequent to the time
 fixed for his removal, and having lately at-
 tention to his determination, seems it proper
 to inform his clients, and all who may desire
 his professional services, that (for the present
 at least) he has abandoned the idea
 of changing his residence, and that he will
 continue to reside in the City of Washington,
 at the residence of Mr. J. T. DAUGHERTY,
 as well as in the courts of Jefferson, as
 usual in the courts of the Commonwealth.
 Having some time ago ceased to be the
 editor of the "Virginia Free Press," he will
 give his undivided attention to the business
 of his profession. He will usually be found
 at his office, adjoining his dwelling.
 J. T. DAUGHERTY.
 Charlestown, Va. Feb. 17.

Valuable Jefferson Land
FOR SALE.
 THE subscriber, as the agent and attor-
 ney of Thomas Fairfax, Esq. of Alexan-
 dria, offers for sale that valuable estate in Jef-
 ferson county, Virginia, called "The Har-
 pers-Ferry," consisting of
763 ACRES OF LAND,
 a large proportion of which is in timber of
 the finest quality. The advantages possessed
 by this property are very great. Lying
 near the Potomac and Shenandoah rivers, it
 is in the vicinity of the large mills erected on
 these streams, whilst all the facilities for trans-
 porting its produce to market, to be derived
 from the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, and the
 Baltimore and Potomac Rail Road, will be en-
 joyed by it in the highest degree. There is a large
 and constant stream of water running through
 the tract, of such magnitude that it supplies
 several valuable mills before it reaches this
 land. There are also several fine lime stone
 springs on the estate. The cleared land is in
 a high state of cultivation, and the fences are
 good. Possession can be had immediately.
 The terms will be accommodating, and if
 found advantageous to do so, the tract will
 be divided into two parts to suit purchasers.
 All applications to be made to the subscrib-
 er, residing at Charlestown, Jefferson county,
 Va. J. JOSEPH T. DAUGHERTY,
 Feb. 17, 1851.—H. F.

DOCTOR
WILLIAM J. R. HOOKER.
 HAVING located himself at Harpers-
 Ferry, offers his professional services
 to the inhabitants and its vicinity. He
 may be found at all times (when not pro-
 fessionally engaged) at the Trunk Store
 hotel, or at his office adjacent thereto.
 Jan. 19, 1851.—H. F.

PUBLIC SALE.
W. H. L. E. sold on Tuesday the 15th
 of the month of February, 1851, the
 personal property of said deceased,
 consisting of a large assortment of
 Household and Kitchen Furniture,
 Cooking Stoves and several 10 plate do.
 Wagons, Carriage, Ploughs, & Harrows,
 One portable six horse, 2000 lb. Agri-
 culture, in good order.
 A good team of wagon Horses & Gears,
 Farm Horses—one good young riding
 Horse, and Colts.
 Milch Cows and other boned Cattle,
 Sheep and Hogs.
 Carriage and Harness, with harness,
 And a number of articles too tedious to
 mention.
 Wheat, Rye, and Corn, by the bushel,
 Hay by the ton.
 Also, the growing Crop of Grain now in
 the ground, consisting of fall wheat
 and rye.
 A credit until the first of January next
 will be given on all sums above five dol-
 lars. Bond with approved security will
 be required. Sale to commence at ten
 o'clock, and continue from day to day, un-
 til all be sold.
 WM. MOORE, Auctioneer.
 N. B. The SLAVES belonging to the
 estate, will be hired for the balance of the
 present year. Also, the FARM for rent.
 Feb. 5, 1851. W. M. Adm'.

TRUST SALE.
 BY virtue of a deed of trust made to the
 subscriber by John Young to secure
 the payment of a sum of money in said
 deed mentioned, due to Daniel T. Craw-
 ford, which deed has been duly recorded
 in the county court of Jefferson, I shall
 sell, at public auction, on Saturday the
 26th day of the present month, (February),
 for ready money, all the Household and
 Kitchen Furniture of said Young, consist-
 ing of beds, bedsteads and bedding, dining
 table, chairs, and a great variety of other
 articles enumerated in said deed.
 The sale to take place at the residence of said
 Young, at Bolivar, early on the day above
 mentioned.
 FRANCIS ADELSPERGER, Trustee.
 Feb. 5, 1851.

FOR SALE,
**A HOUSE AND LOT in Shepherd-
 town.**
PURSUANT to a decree rendered by
 the Winchester chancery court, in the
 suit of Townsend Beckwith and others,
 complainants, against Michael Mohler and
 others, defendants, I shall sell, at public
 auction, to the highest bidder, on the pre-
 mises, on Monday the 17th day of March
 next, at noon, all the real estate, situated
 on German street, being the same
 property which Margaret L. Bennett sold
 to the said Michael Mohler. This property
 will be sold subject to the mortgage
 in favor of the said Michael Mohler, and
 the same to be given to secure the de-
 ferred payments. The sale will take place
 at 11 o'clock, A. M.
 JOHN S. MAGILL, m. w. c. r.
 Jan. 27, 1851.

LAND IN JEFFERSON
FOR SALE.
PURSUANT to a decree made by the
 Winchester Chancery District Court, in
 the suit of Betsy Downey and Samuel Dou-
 ney, complainants, against Wm. P. Flood
 Sheriff of Jefferson county, and such, ad-
 ministrators of William Downey, dead, and
 others, defendants, I shall sell, at public au-
 ction, to the highest bidder, on Wednesday
 the 23rd day of February, 1851, two valuable
 Tracts of Land in Jefferson county, con-
 taining
175 ACRES,
 adjoining the lands of Thomas Fairfax and
 Henry I. Hammond, and the other con-
 taining 500 ACRES. The latter tract was
 owned by Thomas Fairfax and the Retreat Farm. Terms
 of sale, one third of the purchase money to
 be paid in hand, and the residue in two e-
 qual annual payments—bonds and deeds of
 trust on the lands to secure the deferred
 payments. The sale will be made at the
 Mill belonging to Downey's heirs, near the
 lands to be sold, at 11 o'clock, A. M.
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LAND TO BE RENTED
AT AUCTION.
PURSUANT to a decree of the Winches-
 ter Chancery District Court, made in
 the suit of Robert Writers, complainant, against
 William Little, administrator of Daniel
 Alstet, dead, and others, defendants,
 I shall sell, for the term of one year from
 the 8th day of March, 1851; at the other con-
 taining 225 acres, 217 3/4 acres of which
 are cleared. This is the same land which
 was rented on the 8th day of March, 1850,
 to Adam Moler. The renter to give bond
 security to pay the rent, and not to
 commit or suffer waste to be committed.
 JOHN S. MAGILL, m. w. c. r.
 Feb. 3, 1851.

NOTICE.
 PERSONS who are in the habit of throw-
 ing down my fences and riding through
 my fields, are hereby cautioned from doing
 so in future, as I shall sue the law in force
 against them without respect to persons.
 HENRY T. M. BRISCOE.
 Jan. 27, 1851.

BLANKS,
 Of various descriptions, for sale at this
 office.

DEATH OF BOLIVAR!!!

The Jamaica Court, of the 6th Jan. contains
 the following official announcement of the Death
 of Simon Bolivar, the Liberator of South Ameri-
 ca.
 By DON JUAN FRANCISCO MARTIN, Prefect of
 the Department, M.

Citizens of Magdalena:—Penetrated
 with the greatest grief, I am over-
 whelmed with sorrow. The Father
 of our country is no more! The pub-
 lic calamities and the ingratitude of his
 enemies, have brought him to an un-
 timely grave on the 17th inst. at 1 P. M.
 His end has been hastened by his
 heroic sacrifices for his country, and
 the tears of his friends attest the
 sincerity of their grief for the loss of a
 hero, whose name must be forever em-
 balmed in the hearts of his country-
 men.

Citizens:—The Liberator has been
 devoted to you to the latest period of his
 existence. Hear his voice, and respect
 his decrees, which should be violated,
 the national ruin must be the infallible
 result, and the independence of Colo-
 mbia will die with the hero who gave
 her liberty.
 Citizens:—The Liberator has left
 us forever. We must be unanimous
 and go hand and hand for the good
 of the Union, and secure what he has
 already achieved for us—obeying the
 actual government, in order to liberate
 us from anarchy, and our conduct will
 correspond with the liberator's desires.
 Remain firmly united together, and
 swear on his grave to follow up the
 the dictates which his inspired mind
 laid down for the good of his country,
 and by this means, will we honor his
 memory, and discharge a heavy debt
 of gratitude.

J. DE F. DE MARTIN.
 Cartagena, Dec. 21, 1850.

The schooner Ned, at New York,
 from Rio Salado, brings information
 that Gen. Lamar, Ex-President of Per-
 u, died at Cartage, Central America,
 on the 15th November.
 [Baltimore American, Feb. 14.]

From the National Intelligencer.
MR. RANDOLPH.—From the follow-
 ing paragraph it appears that our Min-
 ister at Russia, residing in London, is
 a candidate for Congress at the elec-
 tion which is to take place in April
 next. He will doubtless be elected,
 for, as he himself has often said, ac-
 cording to Mr. Buren's quotation,
 "no man ever had such constituents as
 he."

LYNCHBURG, VA. FEB. 10.
**John Randolph a Candidate for Con-
 gress.**—A gentleman of this place, who
 has just returned from Charlotte Court,
 informs us, that JOHN RANDOLPH was
 announced as a Candidate for Con-
 gress, on Monday last. The announ-
 cement was authorized by Mr. Ran-
 dolph's friend, WILLIAM LEIGH, Esq.;
 and therefore there is no doubt it has
 been done at Mr. Randolph's instance.
 Thus ends the magnificent diplomatic
 career of JOHN RANDOLPH!

The Vice Presidency.—At a meet-
 ing in Downingtown, Pa. on the 7th inst.
 called through the "Chester County
 Democrat," the Hon. JAMES BUCHANAN,
 of Penn. was nominated as a
 suitable person to be supported as Vice
 President, at the next election.—[Lo-
 [Athay (New York) Argu.

NEW ORLEANS, JAN. 11.
 Sunday evening, about 6 o'clock, a
 man dropped down at the corner of
 Rampart and Dumaine streets, and in
 a few moments expired. He observ-
 ed to those that first came to him, that
 he had been stabbed; and on examina-
 tion it was discovered that he had been
 struck in three places, of which he
 died in a few moments. Judge Beau-
 regard, than whom we have no more
 faithful and zealous Magistrate, on
 hearing of the circumstance, repaired
 immediately to the place, and after
 some examination and enquiry he
 found that the deceased was a Span-
 ard, who had been killed in an affray
 with one of his countrymen. It seems
 that they had quarrelled, and went
 out to have a regular fight with knives
 —perhaps we should call it a duel—
 The deceased had walked about four
 squares after receiving the above men-
 tioned wounds, before he fell.

THE MARKETS.
BALTIMORE, FEB. 12.
FLOUR.—On Monday, the wagon price opened
 at \$5 75; on Tuesday and Wednesday it was
 at \$5 50; on Thursday it declined to \$5 25. On
 Friday, the accounts from Europe created an ad-
 vance of 37 to 50 cents per barrel. To-day no
 business has been done.
 Wheat 35 1/2; Clover Seed, at the beginning of
 the week, was about \$5 per bushel, but it has
 since gradually declined, and yesterday it was
 at 4 1/2; on Friday, the market advanced to 4 7/8
 for ordinary and inferior. Flax seed 1 1/2 to 1 3/4
 per bushel; Whiskey 25 to 30 cts.

ALEXANDRIA, FEB. 12.
WHEAT.—On Monday, the market opened
 at \$1 32 for No. 1; on Tuesday it was at \$1 34,
 and continued to be the ruling price
 yesterday, until the receipt of the intelligence
 from the Napoleon, when it immediately advanced
 to \$1 55, and in some instances a feeling more was
 paid. The excitement in the market was very
 great, and it is difficult to give quotations.
 Wheat 93 to 95; No. 2 90 to 92; Rye 60
 to 65; Oats 45 to 50; Whiskey 28 to 30; Butter
 90 to 95; Flour 45.

MARRIED.
 In Smithfield, on Thursday last, by the Rev.
 S. J. Hays, Mr. WILLIAM D. LAMB, to Miss
 JULIA COVINO, both of Frederick county.
 On Thursday last, by the Rev. Mr. Gillett,
 Mr. CHARLES CRUIKER, to Miss CAROLINE HOL-
 LAWAY, both of Smithfield.
 On the same day, by the Rev. Francis Moore,
 Mr. JAMES B. BRIDGES, of Berkeley county, to
 Miss CLARA LANE, of this county.
 On Friday last, by the Rev. Mr. Hutcheson,
 Mr. JOSEPH M. RICHARDS, to Miss MARY ANN
 TELLY, both of Smithfield.

MRS. DIXON.
WILL open school on the 1st of March.
 Her school was discontinued, during
 the winter months, in consequence of the ad-
 verse season. She hopes to receive
 encouragement from those who take her to-
 day patronized her.
 Music and painting will be attended to,
 and boarders received.
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