



From the Winchester Republican. ORATION. Delivered in the Episcopal Church, Winchester, February 22d, 1852, by JOHN P. GARDNER, D.D.

Friends and Fellow-Citizens—The day on which we are assembled has been consecrated, by the general consent of the American people, to historic recollections, and to the commemoration of events which relate to the noblest and most illustrious of the human race.

It is a proud thought, my countrymen, that those institutions do indeed flourish in all their pristine vigor. It is an elevating reflection that we have fulfilled the sinister predictions of Europe, and vindicated, in the eyes of all the world, the capacity of the people for self-government.

When our independence had been achieved, the politicians of Europe foretold that our democratic liberty would speedily degenerate into licentiousness, that licentiousness would lead to anarchy, and that for the intolerable evils of anarchy no remedy would be found but the ruthless domination of the sword.

But the union of the States, which they styled "the rope of sand," was the favorite topic of their derision. And yet, that rope of sand, through the blessing of heaven, and the unbroken strength of the star-spangled banner, the emblem of that union, is still unfurled in every sea; it still waves triumphantly—may we not proudly say it—"over the land of the free and the home of the brave?"

It was the soul and the cherished hope of his patriot soul, that the union of these States might endure forever; it was his political creed that our liberties would not long survive it. From the commencement of the war which first united the people of the various colonies in a common purpose, the expectations of Washington embraced them all.

Blessed, thrice blessed, be the memory of George Washington, the great and the good, hero, statesman, patriot, benefactor of the human race!—And his memory was blessed, and embalm'd in a nation's tears. Never, no never, shall I forget the shock produced by his sudden death on those who lived around him, and knew him best, and therefore loved him most. Greater grief was not in Israel when their first-born were slain by a ruthless tyrant.

the Hercules, and the hollows, have but followed, at a humble distance, the example of the most splendid of usurpers. But it is in the long lapse of ages, that the glory of Washington will be found in the green and the gold of the human race.

But if the example of Washington has been thrown away on the victorious generals of the day, the success of the political revolution in which he was the principal actor has not been lost on mankind. The celebrated saying of Camille, in '57, "the war of the two principles is about to commence," was a political anachronism, arising, in part, at least, out of the habit, common to all European statesmen, of regarding Europe as the world.

The love of liberty and equality had grown with the growth and strengthened with the strength of the colonies. In the fullness of time it declared war, not only against the power of the king, but against the privilege of the noble, and laid the deep foundations of the American republic on the sovereignty of the people and the equality of men.

A period of confusion ensued, but not of long duration. The felicitous combination of the federative principle with the original elements of the revolution, produced a scheme of government of a character so imposing as soon to attract the notice of the civilized world. Its splendid and early success, for which under heaven, we were mainly indebted to the wisdom and firmness and well-earned popularity of Washington, produced a marked and decided effect on the popular mind of Europe.

Religion sustained without a hierarchy—showing no reverence without a standing army—an executive without a sceptre, or a body of hereditary nobles around it—the whole frame of government upheld at an expense to them inconceivably small—these were, indeed, striking and imposing novelties, even to the most ardent and ardent of the nations of Europe.

From the moment that all these things were seen and heard and understood in Europe, did the leaven of democracy begin to ferment in the minds of the more enterprising nations. The excesses of the French revolution retarded, but did not arrest the progress. But for those excesses, and the splendid talents which the oligarchy of England enlisted in its cause, the spirit of democracy would, thirty years since, have embraced the political institutions of England.

But this consummation, so devoutly to be wished, is to be attained by premature explosions of popular fury. The retard, instead of advancing the cause of liberty. The time has not yet arrived for converting the war of opinion into the war of the sword. The press is at work, and the schoolmaster is abroad; they are undermining the fortress of despotism, which is yet too strong to be assailed by open violence.

THE LEGISLATURE.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT. RICHMOND, FEB. 22.

At this period of the session, it is difficult to note the great variety of local subjects which are daily despatched—many of them in a very summary manner. Petitions continue to be presented—and as long as these are received, the business of the house must of necessity be extended.

On Saturday the 18th, in the House of Delegates the bill establishing branches of the state banks at Scottsville and Farmville, caused some debate upon a reconsideration; but it was eventually rejected—ayes 54, noes 79. The house then went into committee of the whole on the police bill, containing amendments.

The resolutions protesting against the removal of the remains of Washington, were received from the Senate, with amendments. Some of the amendments were agreed to, and eventually the resolutions were passed. The bill, extending the jurisdiction of justices of the peace, was read a third time—and its expediency ably advocated by Mr. Ghoslin, Mr. Knox, and Mr. Marshall.

On Tuesday, a large number of bills received their first and second readings—and many reports of committees were disposed of. Eight or ten engrossed bills were passed; and some discussion arose upon a bill concerning the appointment of county officers by the Executive—requiring nominations to be acted upon within three months. The latter bill was rejected—ayes 34, noes 69.

Mr. Carter of P. W. offered several resolutions—approving the decision of John A. Washington in withholding his assent to the removal of the remains of his illustrious kinsman—and proposing to erect a fabric of granite over the tomb at Mount Vernon; for the expense of which the Washington monument fund, and an additional sum, to be appropriated. A committee was appointed to bring in a bill accordingly.

On Wednesday, neither house met, having agreed to adjourn over, to join in the celebration of the centennial anniversary. The morning was ushered in by a salute at dawn, and a number of guns at sunrise. The uniformed companies were early in motion; and about 11 o'clock a procession was formed, consisting of the governor and council, the judges, the clergy, members of the Legislature, citizens, and soldiers.

On Thursday, after the disposal of matters of minor interest, a discussion arose on a bill to incorporate the Black Heath company of colliers—which bill was finally rejected. Some debate also arose, on a resolution, submitted by Mr. Parriott on Tuesday, proposing the appropriation of the revenues of several counties on the Ohio river, for the purpose of repairing roads and bridges destroyed by the late tremendous freshet in that quarter. The subject was referred to a select committee.

SCARLET FEVER.

FOR THE FREE PRESS. SCARLET FEVER.

This disease has ever been considered, by the scientific physician, the quick, and the public, as one of the most unmanageable, distressing, and fatal, to which frail humanity is subject. No matter whether appearing in the densely populated city, or the sparsely inhabited mountain top, it sinks into a premature grave, in a few numbers, its devoted victims.

It is in such a spirit, that the faithful, though philanthropic and talented HANSEN, was led to his ingenious experiments with BELLADONNA, by which (happily for the world) he discovered that even in infinitesimal doses, it fortifies and protects the system against this disease.

Under such circumstances, what should be the course of the enlightened, liberally educated, honorable, conscientious physician?—of him, who would not wish to feed upon the sufferings of his fellow creatures, but acting in accordance with the sacred principles and duties of his noble profession, he indeed the benefactor of mankind?

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THE FLOOD.

CINCINNATI, OHIO, FEB. 14. THE FLOOD!

The Ohio since our last notice has continued to rise rapidly. Early on Sunday morning it took a fresh start, and continued during the day to rise at the rate of about 3 inches per hour. Yesterday it rose at the rate of about one inch per hour, overflowing the greater part of the third and fourth wards.

The destruction of property is immense—cellars filled with water, board-yards swept of every stick of timber—and some houses already on the move. Since writing the above we have been out reconnoitering the premises on the rise—people moving in every direction—some from the first to the second stories—others from the second escaping in boats. It is undoubtedly the greatest rise ever known.

The number of houses about must present a singular spectacle. They are not generally worth much, though their absence at this time must occasion considerable suffering. Both yesterday and to-day the weather has been raw and disagreeable. Charity will find objects worthy of her kind services.

The above was written for the American, which we hope to publish this morning; but it is impracticable. Our printing office can only be reached by boat. The composition room being in a separate building, (intending soon to move) renders it impossible to issue the paper for the present.

The above land, if not sold at private sale before the 2d of April next, will be offered at public auction, on the premises, to the highest bidder. Terms of sale—two thirds of the purchase money in hand, the balance in 12 months.

For Rent, or Sale. A liberal offer, of the Dwelling House in Charlestown lately occupied by me. Possession can be had immediately. J. T. DAUGHTERY. Charlestown, Feb. 23, 1852.

Shooting-Match at Halltown. WILL be shot for, on Friday the 23d day of March next, at the Joseph Roberts Tavern, Prime Beef by the quarter, well with the situation of marksmen. HENRY D. GARNHART, JAMES MOORE. Feb. 23, 1852.

PUBLIC SALE.

WILL be sold, to the highest bidder, at the first Court-house door, in Charlestown, that

TRACT OF LAND, lying on the Shenandoah river, adjoining the lands of the late Thomas Keyes, Stephen Dalgarn and others, upon which Thomas Will now resides, and which belongs to the heirs of Martin Sheeler, dec'd. There is upon it a never failing spring of excellent water, and the improvements are in good repair.

TRUSTEE'S SALE. By virtue of a deed of trust executed to me on the 22d of Feb. 1851, by Joseph Deleplane, (which deed has been duly recorded in the clerk's office of the county court of Jefferson,) to secure the payment of a sum of money in said deed mentioned, due to Wm. Hayman, I will sell, before the Court-house door of Jefferson county, on Monday the 19th day of March next, being court day, all the right, title, interest, and claim of said Deleplane, in and to a certain tract of land situate in Jefferson county, on Elk Branch Run, containing 240 acres, more or less, being his life estate in an undivided fourth share of the land of which Samuel Hinkle died seized and possessed.

Valuable Town Property FOR SALE. The subscribers will offer at public sale, on Saturday the 3d day of next month, (March) that valuable BRICK HOUSE and LOT, late the property of Mrs. Catharine Motter, dec'd. The above is very desirable property for a private family. Any person wishing to purchase such property, will do well to call and view the premises.

VALUABLE LAND FOR SALE. I WISH TO SELL MY FARM, situate near Halltown, on the "Graded" road, and nearly equidistant from Harpers Ferry and Charlestown, containing about 343 ACRES, First rate limestone land, mixed with one, certainly inferior to none in the country, and about one-fourth in timber, and thirty acres of prime bottom.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1832.

The present No. is the commencement of the sixth volume of the Virginia Free Press and Farmers' Repository.

Our exchange papers are teeming with the most interesting accounts of the loss of property and lives, occasioned by the late unprecedented rise of the Ohio river and its tributary streams.

PUBLIC SALE.

Will be sold, on the 1st day of March, before the Court-house door, town, that

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FOR THE FREE PRESS.

THE BIRTH-NIGHT BALL.

We are happy to state that the Centennial Anniversary of the Birth-day of the illustrious Washington did not pass by unnoticed by the people of Jefferson.

IMPORTANT.

We learn that the legislature of Maryland have repealed the act which rendered it obligatory on the Baltimore and Ohio rail-road company to carry their road through the counties of Frederick, (Md.) Washington and Allegany.

THE MARKETS.

BALENTINE, FEB. 24. FLOUR.—The wagon price opened on Monday at \$4; but within the last 2 or 3 days the rate has generally been paying \$4 75, and that rate may be considered the current price to-day.

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ALEXANDRIA, FEB. 25. FLOUR.—Thursday the current price from wagon was \$4 50, one or two loads were taken at \$4 75 or \$4 75. Yesterday (Friday) there was no material change, the current price from wagon being \$4 50.

DEED.

On Tuesday morning last, in the 54 year of her age, Susan CATHERINE, daughter of Mr. James Jones, of this place.

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On the 20th ult. Mrs. ANN KIM, of this county, in the 7th year of her age. She had been bereft of her husband upwards of fifty years ago, and left with two little sons, whom she raised to be of respectable standing among their fellow-citizens.

W. & S. B. ANDERSON.

HAVE on hand, and intend keeping a good supply of BACON & LARD, to be sold cheap.

O YES! O YES! O YES!

JOSEPH WATKINS, Auctioneer. RESPECTFULLY tenders his services to the discharge of the duties they may assign him, with a faithful regard to their interests.

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MOST BRILLIANT SCHEME!

Virginia Free-Road Lottery, THIRD CLASS, FOR 1832. To be drawn on the A. B. C. plan, in Danville, Pittsylvania county, Va. on Tuesday the 20th day of March, 1832.

ONE CENT REWARD.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, a short time since, WILLIAM FURNESS, an apprentice to the Brick Making Business.

STRAY COLT.

RESIDENCE near Leetown, about the middle of January last, a Black Mare Colt, a year old this spring—no particular marks recollected.

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VALUABLE MILLS FOR SALE.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

THE undersigned has again procured a fine blooded HORSE, from the lower part of the State, which he intends standing the ensuing season.

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A CARD.

It has become necessary for the undersigned to correct the impression, very generally prevailing, that he is about to retire from the practice of the Law.

PERSONS indebted to the late firm of JOSEPH NEWMAN & CO. will confer a favor by calling and paying their respective dues without delay.

To my Friends & the Public. I WILL be in Charlestown and the vicinity about the 1st of March, with a drove of from 20 to 30 PRIME HORSES.

Charlestown Felling & Carding Mill. THE subscriber wishes to procure a competent person to take charge of his Felling and Carding Mill near Charlestown.

TO FARMERS. THE subscribers have their CLOVER MILL in operation for Shelling and Cleaning Clover seed. GEO. & A. EICHELBERGER.

\$20 REWARD. LOST or stolen, on Sunday the 19th of the present month, at the White House, a pocket book containing...

Houses in Charlestown FOR RENT. THE HOUSE at present in the occupancy of the Rev. Seelye Bunn, is for rent.

FOR RENT. THE OREGON PULPING MILL, on the Oregon Creek, is for rent for a term of years.

Carding Machine for Sale. THE subscriber, living near Harpers Ferry, has for sale a first-rate CARDING MACHINE.

Rye and Corn. I WISH to purchase a quantity of RYE and CORN. HUMPHREY KEYS.

NAPOLEON. A THOROUGH bred horse, rising five years old, of fine figure and size.



WRITING.

THE subscribers of Messrs. Egan and Co. are requested to take notice that Mr. SHERIDAN intends, in a few days, to introduce to them his new and superior system of Writing.

Jefferson Land for Sale. THE subscriber, intending to remove to the Western Country, offers for sale a FARM in Jefferson county, near Keyes Ferry, containing 215 ACRES.

JEFFERSON LAND FOR SALE. I WILL SELL the farm on which I now live, at the Old Furnace, containing 265 ACRES.

Valuable Jefferson Land FOR SALE. THE subscriber wishes to sell his farm in Jefferson county, near Haines Mill, commonly called the STEPHY FARM.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE LANDS. BY virtue of a Deed of Trust, executed to the subscriber by Ferdinand Fairfax, one of the county of Jefferson, to secure the payment of certain sum of money.

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FOR SALE. 1000 Acres of Valuable Kentucky LAND. THIS tract lies in Hopkins county, formerly Christian, and 7 miles from Madison Willey, now the county town.

FOR HIRE. A NEGRO WOMAN, until Christmas next. Enquire of H. KEYS.

Seven Houses & Lots, &c. &c. AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

WILL be sold, on Monday, the 19th of March next, at the subscriber's residence in Bolivar, the following valuable property, viz:

One house and lot, in the town of Bolivar, Jefferson county, Va. near the U. S. Navy, occupied by James S. Roach, as a tavern, and is considered a valuable tract, on account of its advantages for water, and being on the new turnpike road.

Storehouse and Dwelling FOR RENT. THE house on the main street in Smithfield, formerly occupied by Daniel Fry, dec'd, and more lately by Thomas Timberlake, is offered for rent.

AGAINST Rachel Lock, William Lock, and Elizabeth his wife, Harrison Goran and Nancy G. his wife, late Nancy G. Lock, George W. Lock, Mary Lock, Martha Lock, Joseph Morrow and Randolph Lock, Elizabeth Lock, John Lock, Rebecca Lock, Hamilton Lock, Juliet Ann Lock, John Lock, Nancy Lock, Harriet Lock, Thomas Lock, George Lock and Jacob Foreman and Eliza his wife, late Eliza Lock, the said Eliza, Juliet, John, Nancy, Harriet, Thomas and George, being children and heirs of James Lock, deceased.

THE defendants, Elizabeth Lock and William Lock, not having entered their appearance and given security, according to the act of assembly and the rules of this court, and it appearing by satisfactory evidence that they are not inhabitants of this Commonwealth, it is ordered, that the said defendants do appear here on the first day of the next March term, and answer the bill of the plaintiffs, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in some newspaper printed in this county, for two months successively, and posted at the front door of the Court-house of this county.

PLEASE ATTEND TO THIS! THE undersigned being very much in want of MONEY, to enable him to fulfil engagements necessarily incident to his business, respectfully requests those indebted to him to pay at least a part of their respective accounts and obligations, if they cannot conveniently pay the whole.

DOMESTIC GOODS. GEORGE CAREY, Corner of Baltimore and Charles Streets, Baltimore. HAS for sale a General Assortment of DOMESTIC GOODS, consisting, in part, of "Walkum," "Appleton," "Loell," "Hamilton," "Marian," "Ester," "Avery," and "Pittsfield" manufactures, which will be sold on favorable terms by the Package or Piece.

Watches, Jewelry, &c. HOLT, Jr. has just received a neat assortment of Watches, Jewelry, and Fancy Articles, which he is determined to sell on as good terms as can be had at any shop west of Baltimore.

Sports of the Turf.

FOR some years past, the attention of many of our farmers of this and the adjoining counties, has been turned to the improvement in the breed of that noble animal which is of so much usefulness in the plough, the stage, and the troop.

THE undersigned has just received a large supply of WINTER GOODS, which, added to his former stock, makes it unusually large, to which he invites the attention of the public.

FOR SALE OR RENT. THE Brick House lately occupied by Mr. Nathaniel Buckmaster, and adjoining Captain Cleveland's New Store.

SWEEPSTAKE RACES. A five dollar entrance, half forfeit, for three years old colts and fillies, will be run for on Samuel Strider's course, on the 2d Tuesday in May next.

DISSOLUTION. THE partnership heretofore existing at Harpers Ferry, under the name of "WERNWAG & SHANNON," consisting formerly of Lewis Wernwag, sen, John Wernwag, Joseph P. Shannon, Lewis Wernwag, jun, and William Wernwag, but more recently of the three first named above, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of January last (1832).

STONE COAL. THE subscriber has just received a large supply of Stone Coal, of an excellent quality, which he will sell at a reasonable price.

JOHN T. COOKUS & CO. RESPECTFULLY beg leave to inform their friends and customers, that they are now receiving at their Store in Shepherdstown, and also at their Store at Bedding, in Berkeley county, a fresh supply of New and Cheap Goods.

W. & S. B. ANDERSON. HAVE just received a new supply of HARNESS, made by Mr. David Eckes, in his best style, and of the best materials, consisting of Wagon Breech-bands, double and single, Hip-straps, Bark-bands, of various breadths, Belly-bands, neck and head halters, Trace Pipes, Side-straps, leading and padded Collars, Blind-bridles, Leading, ditto, Hame Strings, Leading Strings, Wagon Saddles, Wagon Whips, Cart Whips, Cart Saddles, Cart Breeching, a few good Riding Saddles and Bridles, Saddle-bags, &c. To be sold at low prices.

Notice to Stockholders.

Charlestown, Feb. 15, 1832. THE Stockholders of the "Smithfield" Charlestown and Harpers Ferry Turnpike Company, are respectfully notified, that an instalment of \$2.50 per share of the stock of said company (being the 3th instalment) is required to be paid to HERRMANS KEYS, Esq. on or before the 15th day of March next.

FOR RENT. THAT large and commodious Store House on Shephard street, Harpers Ferry, formerly occupied by Maslin & Co. and recently by Ford & Chapman. The situation is central, and well adapted to mercantile business.

AN ADDITIONAL SUPPLY OF WINTER GOODS. THE undersigned has just received a large supply of WINTER GOODS, which, added to his former stock, makes it unusually large, to which he invites the attention of the public.

FOR SALE OR RENT. THE Brick House lately occupied by Mr. Nathaniel Buckmaster, and adjoining Captain Cleveland's New Store.

DE LA MONTAGNE'S Columbian Vegetable Specific. FOR the cure of Consumptions, Asthma, Spitting of Blood, and Pulmonary Affections of every kind.

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Young Jack Sopus. THE subscriber is now receiving at the following places, to wit at Mr. M. D. Verhart's, two and a half miles from Charlestown, on the road from Charlestown to Harpers Ferry, two days in each week, and also at the stable of Mr. Thomas Hill, two days in each week, and the remaining three days of each week, at the subscriber's farm, near Lees-town.

Cheap Cloths. HUMPHREY KEYS has on hand a large assortment of CLOTHS, which were purchased at auction and will be sold cheap.

CABINET WARE.

THE subscriber respectfully calls the attention of the citizens of Jefferson county, and others to his ware-room, in order that they may judge for themselves. I have had a long experience of your good taste and liberality, but we often find that it is necessary to have exhibited to our view, articles of comfort and real utility, in order to provide for a respectable and comfortable existence.

DRUGS & MEDICINES. THE subscriber has received a fresh supply of the following, with a Great variety of other articles, which she will sell cheap:

Various Essences: Balm of Tolu, Vanilla, Yellow Ocher, Prepared Chalk, Laudanum, Paragoric, Copal Varnish, Lyoth, Myrrh, "Horse Liniment", "Horse Powder", "Famous Worm-seed Oil", The various kinds of Bark, Orice Root, Quinia, Blue Ointment, Ith Ointment, Basilicon, Spanish Flies, Blistering Ointment, Sticking Plaster, Assafetida, Anisomy, Ink Stands, Tincture of Myrrh, "of Steel", "of Castile", Patent Medicines, Anti-Bilious Powders, Large and small Syringes, Cinnamon & Cloves Nutmegs, "Sassafras", "Alpico", "Ginger", "Benz", Nipple Bellet, Carbonate of Ammonia, Spirits of Ammonia, Elix. of Compound Pulv. of Cal. Rosellus, Hoffman's Anodyne, Seltzer Water, Super Carbonate of Soda, Russian Castor Oil, Vitriol, Red Lead, Chromia Yellow, Cream Tartar, Sugar Lead, Emplastum Rubeum, Symp. Satis, Worm seed Oil.

ISAAC N. CARTER respectfully announces to the citizens of Shepherdstown and the public generally, that he has opened a Large and General Assortment of Seasonable Goods.

NAILES, & C. FROM 33y to 204y flooring and casing, Brads, Fencing, and other Nails, for sale by JOSEPH L. RUSSELL.

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One house and lot, in the town of Bolivar, Jefferson county, Va. near the U. S. Navy, occupied by James S. Roach, as a tavern, and is considered a valuable tract, on account of its advantages for water, and being on the new turnpike road.

Storehouse and Dwelling FOR RENT. THE house on the main street in Smithfield, formerly occupied by Daniel Fry, dec'd, and more lately by Thomas Timberlake, is offered for rent.

AGAINST Rachel Lock, William Lock, and Elizabeth his wife, Harrison Goran and Nancy G. his wife, late Nancy G. Lock, George W. Lock, Mary Lock, Martha Lock, Joseph Morrow and Randolph Lock, Elizabeth Lock, John Lock, Rebecca Lock, Hamilton Lock, Juliet Ann Lock, John Lock, Nancy Lock, Harriet Lock, Thomas Lock, George Lock and Jacob Foreman and Eliza his wife, late Eliza Lock, the said Eliza, Juliet, John, Nancy, Harriet, Thomas and George, being children and heirs of James Lock, deceased.

PLEASE ATTEND TO THIS! THE undersigned being very much in want of MONEY, to enable him to fulfil engagements necessarily incident to his business, respectfully requests those indebted to him to pay at least a part of their respective accounts and obligations, if they cannot conveniently pay the whole.

DOMESTIC GOODS. GEORGE CAREY, Corner of Baltimore and Charles Streets, Baltimore. HAS for sale a General Assortment of DOMESTIC GOODS, consisting, in part, of "Walkum," "Appleton," "Loell," "Hamilton," "Marian," "Ester," "Avery," and "Pittsfield" manufactures, which will be sold on favorable terms by the Package or Piece.

Watches, Jewelry, &c. HOLT, Jr. has just received a neat assortment of Watches, Jewelry, and Fancy Articles, which he is determined to sell on as good terms as can be had at any shop west of Baltimore.

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