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Clarke Coach Factory,
BERRYVILLE,
CLARKE COUNTY,
Virginia.

THE subscribers, thankful to the public for the very liberal patronage they have received, will continue to give attention at their

Coach Factory,

in Berryville, to manufacturing and repairing *all sorts of Carriages.*

By the purchase of the Steam Saw Mill, we have facilitated for the manufacture of Carriages possessed by no other establishment in the State. We not only manufacture

SPOKES AND FELLIES

for our use, but a so for Carriage Makers in Baltimore and Philadelphia. We can now manufacture Carriages in the best style and at the low prices of the Eastern cities. We will compete with the best Establishments of the land in the three essential particulars of substantiality, cheapness and tasteful perfect satisfaction will be issued in every case of purchase.

Owing to the constant changes and improvements going on, we have constant communication with the best establishments in the Eastern Cities and are prepared to furnish, gratis to all who may come to purchase Carriages

DRAWINGS executed in the best manner the latest styles and Improvements.

Patent Wheel

We have just purchased the most valuable patent that has ever been issued, for the saving of labor, money and time and for the convenience of those using Carriages. The Patent Wheel is so constructed as entirely to do away with a hub, and is only half of the ordinary weight, while it has more strength, simplicity, durability and taste than any that has ever before been invented. It will be exhibited and explained at our Factory to any one wishing to see it.

The firm Coach Makers in the United States have been using it and have used no other for the last three years. And nothing could induce one to use the old Wheel who has ever tried the patent one. It is needless to mention some of the firm names in the United States engaged in this business, such as Clapp, Demster and others who have recommended its use. The patent will recommend itself to all judges.

N. B. We warn all persons against infringing upon the Patent Wheel, secured to us entirely for the County of Clarke.

RICHMOND & STOLLE.

Oct. 13, '59—1y.

TO THE

Farmers of Virginia.

DR. JAMES HIGGINS, for ten years, the STATE AGRICULTURAL CHEMIST OF MARYLAND, offers to the Farmers of Virginia

Higgins' Super-Phosphate of Lime,

manufactured from the best materials by experienced workmen under his direction. Also,

Higgins' Per-Manipulated Guano,

composed of the best Peruvian as the best Baltimore Guano, thoroughly combined by accurate machinery.

The combination, some dealers in manures in this city, claim to have introduced within the last years. The fraud is, it has been proved by my predecessor, clearly used for more than six years. In my last report, written in 1854, as state Agricultural Chemist, I pointed out its advantages. Of this document 19,000 copies were ordered to be printed by the General Assembly of Maryland for general circulation. If anything additional could be needed to show my earlier knowledge of its uses I would refer to the following testimonial signed by many, who, years ago, applied it under my direction.—Dr. Dr. S. Ridout, St. Margaret's P. O., Anne Arundel County; Dr. Wm. H. Worthington, Ellicott's Mills; Dr. Tyson, Linthicum, Hillsville, Md; N. E. Benj. Coombs, merchant Baltimore, and Mr. Goodall Applebat at the Custom House.

He will also furnish, at the lowest prices, any standard manures that may be offered for sale in the Baltimore market.

Manures have been offered for sale purporting to be under the guaranty of my name. This is absolutely incorrect. During my term of office I never was concerned directly or indirectly, in the manufacture of any manure whatever. On some occasions, prominent men have requested me to purchase manures for them, and to examine them as to their purity. This I always did, but without compensation from Dealer or Purchaser.

A practical experience for more than ten years in the analytical examination of all the manures sold in our market and the witnessing of their effects in all Vegetables so soon as such usage time ought to give assurance of a competency to furnish purchasers with the *best, purest,* and therefore, the *cheapest* manures.

Inasmuch as the ordinary inspection of manures furnish no guaranty to the purchaser—all manures sold by me will be fully analyzed.

Persons wishing to purchase are requested to send their orders as early as convenient.

TERMS:—Cash, or accepted city paper.

Address,

DR JAMES HIGGINS,
Analytical and Consulting Chemist,
Aug. 18, '59.—tf. Second St., Baltimore.

HOWARD ASSOCIATION
PHILADELPHIA.

A Benevolent Institution established by special Endowment for the Relief of the Sick and Distressed, afflicted with Virulent and Epidemic Diseases.

The HOWARD ASSOCIATION, in view of the awful destruction of human life, caused by these dreadful diseases, and the deceptions practised upon the unfortunate victims of such diseases by quacks, several years ago directed their Consulting Surgeon, as a charitable act, worthy of their name, to open a Dispensary for the treatment of this class of diseases, in all their forms, and to give medical advice gratuitously, to all who apply by letter, with a description of their condition, (age, occupation, habits of life, &c.,) and in cases of extreme poverty, to FURNISH MEDICINES FREE OF CHARGE. This needfull act of the Association commands the highest Medical skill of the age, and will furnish the most approved modern treatment.

The Directors of the Association, in their Annual Report upon the treatment of Sexual Diseases, express the highest satisfaction with the success which has attended the labors of their Surgeon in the cure of SPERMATORRHŒA, SEMINAL WEAKNESS, GONORRHŒA, GLEET, SYPHILIS, the Vice of ONANISM, or SELF-ABUSE DISEASES OF THE KIDNEYS and BLADDER, &c., and order a continuance of the same plan for the ensuing year.

The Directors, on a review of the past, feel assured most their labors in this sphere of benevolent effort have been of great benefit to the afflicted, especially to the young, and they have resolved to devote themselves, with renewed zeal to this very important and much despised cause.

An admirable Report on Spermatorrhœa, or Seminal Weakness, the vice of Onanism, Masturbation, or Self-Abuse, and other Diseases of the Sexual Organs by the Consulting Surgeon, which will be sent by mail, (in a sealed envelope,) FREE OF CHARGE, on the receipt of TWO STAMPS for postage. Other Reports and Tracts on the nature and treatment of sexual diseases, Diet, &c., are constantly being published for gratuitous distribution, and will be sent to the afflicted. Some of the new remedies and methods of treatment discovered during the last year are of great value.

Address for Report or treatment, Dr. J. SKILLIN HOUGHTON, Acting Surgeon, Howard Association, No 2 South Ninth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. By order of the Directors.

EZRA D. HEARTWELL, Pres't.
Geo Fairchild, Secretary.
Sep. 29, 1859—1y

"THE ADAMS HOUSE,"

SITUATED AT THE CORNER OF HANOVER AND PRATT STREETS,

BALTIMORE, MARYLAND.

THE location of the ADAMS is central, healthy, and desirable being equally square from the Camden Station of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, and the same distance from the Steamboat Landings. The internal arrangements of the house are superior to any hotel in the city, with all the modern improvements, large and airy Rooms; from the Observatory it commands a magnificent view of the City, River and surrounding country. The proprietor is determined to please all who may favor him with their patronage, not only in the very low prices charged, but at the Table, and in every department of his house. The carriages you will find at the depot, with an efficient porter, who will take charge of your baggage, and show you every attention necessary; and he is determined to make the guests at the house the friends of the ADAMS.

D. M. ADAMS,
(Late of the Adams House, Chicago, Ill.) Proprietor.
June 30, 1859—1y.

N. B.—Price of Board per day $1 50; per Week or Lodging, 50 cts. per week as per agreement.

Direct from New York.

JOHN R. A. REDMAN

HAS received direct from New York his spring Supply for GENTLEMEN'S WEAR—French, English and American Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, of the most fashionable style. A few select Cassimere Linen Barpen Cloth Business Coats of New York make. A variety of Shirts, Collars, &c. He invites the inspection of the public [May 12, '59.

Especial Notice.

ALL persons indebted to the late firm of Hardesty & Co., are hereby notified that unless payment is made by the 15th day of March, their suit will be immediately instituted without respect to persons. Parties interested are requested to observe this notice.

WM. G. HARDESTY.
February 23, 1860—6

The Virginia Free Press.

Office on Second Story of Market House.

☞ The Free Press is published weekly at Two Dollars and Fifty Cents per annum; if paid in advance, Two Dollars.

☞ Whenever payment is deferred beyond the expiration of the year interest will be charged.

☞ Subscriptions for six months, One Dollar and Twenty-five Cents, to be paid invariably in advance.

RATES OF ADVERTISING.

☞ The terms of advertising are, for a square of ten lines, One Dollar, for three insertions—larger squares in the same proportion. Every continuance Twenty-five Cents per square.

☞ No advertisement to be considered by the month or year unless specified on the Manuscript, or previous agreement made between the Parties.

☞ An advertisement not marked on the copy for a specified number of insertions will be continued until ordered out, and payment exacted accordingly.

☞ Business Advertisements—To avoid any misunderstanding on the part of the Annual Advertisers, it is proper to state explicitly, that their privilege is confined to their immediate business. Real Estate, Legal and all other Advertisements set by them to be an additional charge and no variation.

☞ All transient advertisements must be paid for in cash.

GALLAHER & CO.

PRESCOTT & SELBY,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL

FURNITURE WAREROOMS,

No. 27, Hanover Street, Balt., Md.

Where purchasers can be supplied with every Style and Quality of

CABINET FURNITURE.

The stock embraces very Rich and Plain DRAWING ROOM AND PARLOR SUITS, CHAMBER FURNITURE OF OAK, CHESTNUT, WALNUT AND MAHOGANY, in solid and otherwise, at high and low prices, ENAMELLED COTTAGE SETS, HALL SETS, DINING ROOM and KITCHEN FURNITURE in every variety.

Our assortment is so complete in detail and so large in quantity as can be found in any city in the Union, and every article will be sold at the lowest possible prices, and warranted as represented.

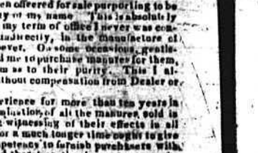
We are the only manufacturers of TOLMAN'S PATENT SELF-VENTILATING BEDS, which are the most healthy and comfortable Beds ever invented, combining at once all the advantages of SPRING and HAIR MATTRESSES, and the comfort of FEATHER BEDS, without their disadvantages, and are sold at less prices than common HAIR MATTRESSES.

Our stock of CHAIRS is the largest and most varied in this market.

Merchants and others are invited to call and examine our stock.

[Sept. 29, '59.—1y.

Frederick Female Seminary.



FREDERICK CITY, MD.,

THE scholastic duties of this Institution will be resumed on Monday the 5th of September next. For Board and Tuition, including furnished Rooms, Lights, Fuel, Washing, &c., $200 per Scholastic year; payable half yearly in advance.

For Circulars and other particulars, address

H. WINCHESTER,
President.

Aug 11, '59.

John A. McDonough,

TAILOR,

HAVING rented the room in the rear of the "Sappington House," and am prepared to execute every description of work pertaining to the

Tailoring Business.

In the execution of all work I shall have an eye to durability, style and promptitude, and my terms shall be reasonable.

I solicit the patronage of the citizens of Charles-town and vicinity, and promise that my efforts to please in every particular shall be a success.

Parents and others having children and servants Clothing to cut can command my services at their houses by calling on me.

JOHN A. McDONOUGH.

June 14, 1860.

BALTIMORE
WINDOW SHADE
MANUFACTORY.

MICHAEL & BRO.,
124 Baltimore Street,
(Door West of North,)
BALTIMORE,

MANUFACTURERS and Wholesale Dealers in

Window Shades,	Upholstery Goods,
Furniture Oil Cloths,	Cords, Tassels,
Paper Hangings,	Brass Cornices,
Curtain Bands,	Shade Fixtures,
&c. &c.	&c. &c.

☞ Every description of

Gold Bordered and Painted
WINDOW SHADES
—Made to Order—

☞ Orders by mail promptly attended to.

March 29, 1860.—1y.

Plastering Laths, &c.

THE undersigned has on hand, and will constantly keep, a supply of the following articles.—

50,000 Plastering Laths; 3,000 Palings;
A large quantity of fine and coarse Salt;
25,000 prime Hemlock; 2,000 Shad;
tons of Plaster in the lump; Coal constantly on hand; a large supply of Whiskey and other Liquors, together with

GROCERIES, &c., &c.

Store on Shenandoah Street, Harpers-Ferry.

April 19, 1860. JAMES McGRAW.

☞ Winchester and Mirror, Leesburg, insert to the amount of $2 00 and send bill to advertiser.

Change of Days.

ON AND AFTER JULY 9D, 1860

THE Steamer ANNIE LOFT, Captain S. F. Wells, Carrying the United States Mail, between Georgetown and Six Mile Ferry, will run as follows:

LEAVES Georgetown every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 A. M.

Leaves Harpers-Ferry every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 6 A. M.

S. F. WELLS.

Harpers-Ferry, June 21, 1860.

Peruvian Guano.

THE subscribers having made arrangements with Messrs. P. Baneda & Bro., to receive their supply of Guano this season DIRECT FROM THE CHINCHA ISLANDS are thereby enabled to offer the article to their agricultural friends at lower prices than it can be procured in any other market in the State.

They are daily expecting the ships Zephyr and Castilian from the Islands. Those who desire to do so can now engage to be delivered from these ships on their arrival.

POWLE & CO.

Alexandria, July 16, 1857.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

BUSINESS MES' CARDS.

Insurance Agency.

B. W. HERBERT. JOHN P. BROWN.

B. W. HERBERT

HAS associated John P. Brown in a partnership in his Insurance Agencies.

As Agents for the Hartford Fire Insurance Company, and the Insurance Company of the Valley of Virginia, and being incorporated with the most reliable Companies in the Union, they are prepared to effect Insurance against loss or damage by fire, on every species of property, at the lowest rates, compatible with the interests of the assured.

Orders addressed to them at Charlestown, Jefferson County, Va., will receive prompt attention.

B. W. HERBERT & BROWN.

Sept. 15, 1859.

COUNTRY INSURANCE.

[B. W. HERBERT.] [JOHN P. BROWN.]

ALL kinds of Farm or other Property in the country may be insured in the Old Hartford and Insurance Company of the Valley of Virginia, companies which combine the cheapness of the mutual system, with security of a cash capital and surplus of $850 000. The former company has maintained the highest character for half a century, and the latter since its institution ten years ago. For terms and forms of application, address

HERBERT & BROWN,
Charlestown, Va.

☞ Jan. 12, '60—6m.

ALBEMARLE
LIFE AND FIRE
INSURANCE COMPBNY,
Charlottesville, Va.

W. T. Early, Pres't. John Wood, jr., Sec'y.

Cash Capital and Surplus $208,810.04

TAKES Fire Risks in town and country, and insures THE LIVES OF SLAVES. The business transactions are conducted upon the most liberal principles and its obligations promptly met.

B. W. HERBERT & BROWN,
Agents, Charlestown, Va.

April 5, 1860.

SAM'L J. C. MOORE,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

BERRYVILLE, CLARKE COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

PRACTICES in the Circuit and County Courts of Clarke, Jefferson and Frederick Counties.

☞ Office with G. W. Brafferton, Esq.

May 31, 1857.—1y.

LAWSON BOTTS,

Attorney at Law,

COMMISSIONER IN CHANCERY FOR THE CIRCUIT AND COUNTY COURTS OF JEFFERSON, AND COLLECTOR OF CLAIMS, OFFERS HIS SERVICES to the Public. He will practice in the Courts of Jefferson, Berkeley and Clarke.

☞ Office next door to R. H. Lee's Office—with entrance from same passage.

Nov. 23, 1858.

ISRAEL ROBINSON,

Attorney at Law,

MARTINSBURG, VA.,

WILL practice in the Courts of Berkeley, Jefferson, and Morgan Counties.

May 26, 1859.

E. I. LEE & SON,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

Shepherdstown, Va.,

WILL practice in the Courts of Jefferson, Berkeley and the adjoining counties.

July 28, '59.—tf.

JOHN REED, JR.,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

Shepherdstown, Va.,

WILL practice in the Counties of Jefferson, Berkeley and the adjoining Counties.

☞ Office in Towner's building, formerly occupied by Dr. John Brisben.

July 21, '59.—1y.

DANIEL B. LUCAS,

Attorney at Law,

RICHMOND, VIRGINIA,

Will Practice in all the Courts held in RICHMOND CITY AND HENRICO COUNTY.

☞ Office in the Whig Building, corner of Franklin and Governor Streets, formerly occupied by R. T. Daniel, Esq.

November 3, 1859.

SAMUEL STONE,

Commissioner in Chancery of the Circuit and County Court of Jefferson County.

OFFICE in the Court-House, (upstairs,) in the room for many years occupied as an office by the late Robert Worsington, Esq.

Entrance (except Court days) at the eastdoor.

July 13, 1854—tf.

GEO. W. CHAMBERS,

DEALER IN

Brandies, Gin, Scotch Whiskey,
WINES, &c.

Junction Balt & O. and Win. & P. Railroads,

HARPERS-FERRY VIRGINIA.

The following BRANDIES, &c., always on hand:

Hennessy, Pale (A. Shuster,)
Martell, Brown,
Otard, Dupuy & Co.) Dark (J. J. Dupuy & Co.

Wesley and Schiedam Gin,

Scotch Whiskey, Paisly, Islay and Cambelltown Pure Rye and BURBON WHISKEY.

Scotch Ale & London Porter in Bottles. Cigars &c.

March 24, 1859.

Baltimore Safe Manufactory.

MILLER'S

Improved Salamander Safes,

THOUSANDS of Dollars in all kinds of Property saved annually, in these Safes that never failed to preserve their contents.

FACTORY:

Dorance St, Providence, R. I.
and 159, North St., Balt.

Sales Room, No. 16, South Charles St.

For sizes and Prices send for a Circular.

All Safes warranted to give satisfaction.

MILLER,

No. 16, South Charles St., Balt.

October 20, 1859.

S. V. YANTIS,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer,

MANUFACTURED

TOBACCO, SEGARS & SNUFF,

(SIGN OF THE INDIAN GIRL,)

Opposite the United States Hotel,

HARPERS-FERRY, VA.

November 29, 1855.

RIDDLEE & ARDINGER

Dealers in English and American

Hardware and Housekeeping

Articles, Iron, Stoves, Nails,

&c. &c.

Burke Street, Martinsburg,

Virginia.

Dec. 1, 1859.

Dr. C. E. LIPPITT,

OFFERS his professional services to the citizens of Charlestown and vicinity.

☞ Office on Main street, three doors East of the Bank—where he may be found day or night.

March 8, 1860—tf.

Rock Powder

AND Fuse, for sale by W. EBY.

June 14.

Salt.

G. A. and Fine for sale by W. EBY.

June 14.

Hay and Grain Forks,

FOR sale by W. EBY.

June 14.

IRON

tons English refined Iron, all sizes; just received and for sale by

BIDDLE & ARDINGER.

June 21st 1859.

BALTIMORE LOCK HOSPITAL.

Dr. Johnston,

THE FOUNDER OF THIS CELEBRATED Institution offers the most Certain, Speedy, and only effectual remedy in the world for

SECRET DISEASES.

Gleets, Stricture, Seminal Weakness, Pains in the Loins, Constitutional Debility, Impotency, Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Affections of the Kidneys, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsia, Nervous Irritability, Disease of the Head, Throat, Nose, or Skin; these serious and intricate Disorders arising from the destructive habits of Youth, which destroys both body and mind. Those secret and solitary practices more fatal to their victims than the song of the Syrens to the mariners of Ulysses, blighting their most brilliant hopes or anticipations, rendering Marriage, &c., impossible.

YOUNG MEN,

Especially those who have become the victims of solitary vice, that dreadful and destructive habit which annually sweeps to an untimely grave thousands of young men of the most exalted talents and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have entranced listening Senates with the thunder of eloquence, or waked to ecstacy the living lyre, may call with full confidence.

Dr. J. addresses young men and all who have injured themselves by private and improper indulgences.

There are some of the sad and melancholy effects produced by early habits of youth, viz.: Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Pains in the head, Dimness of sight, Loss of Muscular Power, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsia, Nervous Irritability, Derangement of the Digestive Functions, General debility, Symptoms of Consumption, &c.

MELANCHOLY—The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded; Loss of Memory, Confusion of Ideas, Depression of Spirits, Evil Forebodings, Aversion to Society, Self Distrust, Love of Solitude, Timidity, &c., are some of the evils produced.

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

ORGANIC WEAKNESS

immediately cured and full vigor restored.

This dreadful disease is the penalty most frequently paid by those who have become the victims of improper indulgencies. Young persons are too apt to commit excesses from not being aware of the dreadful consequences that may ensue. Now, any person who understands the subject will pretend to deny that the power of Procreation is lost sooner by those falling into improper habits than by the prudent. Besides being deprived the pleasure of healthy offspring, the most serious and destructive symptoms to both body and mind arise. The system becomes deranged, the physical and mental powers weakened, nervous debility, dyspepsia, palpitation of the heart, indigestion, a wasting of the frame, cough, symptoms of consumption, etc.

MARRIAGE.

Married Persons, or Young Men contemplating marriage, being aware of physical weakness or organic debility, deformities, &c., should apply immediately.

He who places himself under the care of Dr. J. may religiously confide in his honor as a Gentleman and confidently rely upon his skill as a Physician.

OFFICE, No. 7 SOUTH FREDERICK ST., 2 DOORS FROM BALTIMORE STREET, EAST SIDE, UP THE STEPS.

☞ Be particular to observe the Name and Number, or you will mistake the place.

DR. JOHNSTON,

Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, London, graduate from one of the most eminent colleges of the United States, and the greater part of whose life has been spent in the first Hospitals of London, Paris, Philadelphia, and elsewhere, has effected some of the most astonishing cures that were ever known, many troubled with ringing in the head and ears when asleep, great nervousness, being alarmed at sudden sounds, and bashfulness, with frequent blushing, attended sometimes with derangement of mind, were cured immediately.

CERTAIN DISEASE.

When the mind is led and imprudent votary of pleasure finds he has imbibed the seeds of this painful disease, it too often happens that an ill-timed sense of shame, or dread of discovery, deters him from applying to those who, from education and respectability, can alone be trusted, and delaying till the constitutional symptoms of his horrid disease make their appearance, affecting the head, throat, nose, skin, &c., progressing on with rapidity, till death puts a period to his dreadful sufferings, and sending him to "that bourne from whence a traveller returns." It is a melancholy fact that thousands fall victims to this terrible disease, owing to the unskillfulness of ignorant pretenders, who by the use of that deadly poison, mercury, ruin the constitution and make the residue of life miserable.

YOUNG MEN,

who have injured themselves by a certain practice, indulged in when alone, a habit frequently learned from evil companions, or at school—the effects of which are nightly felt, even when asleep, and if not cured renders marriage impossible, and destroys both mind and body, should apply immediately.

What a pity that a young man, the hope of his country, and the darling of his parents, should be snatched from all prospects and enjoyment of life by the consequences of deviating from the path of nature, and be unfitted for the duties of life. A young man hesitating from the fatal effects of his youthful indiscretion, contemplating MARRIAGE, reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote conjugal happiness. Indeed, without these the journey through life becomes a weary pilgrimage, the prospect hourly darkens to the view; the mind becomes shadowed with despair, and filled with the melancholy reflection that the happiness of another becomes blighted with our own.

DR. JOHNSTON'S INVIGORATING REMEDY FOR GENTIAL DEBILITY.

This great and important remedy has restored strength and vigor to thousands of the most nervous and debilitated, many of whom had lost all hopes of being ever dosed to die. By its complete invigoration of the Nervous System, the whole faculties becoming restored to their proper power and functions, and the fallen fabric of life raised up to a state of vigor, constancy and duration, upon the ruins of as associated and premature decay, is sound and pristine health. All impediments to

MARRIAGE,

Physical or Mental Disqualification, Nervous Irritability, Trembling and Weakness, or Exhaustion of the manifestful kind speedily cured by Dr. Johnston.

TO STRANGERS.

The many thousands cured at this institution within the last fifteen years, and the numerous important Surgical Operations performed by Dr. Johnston, witnessed by the reporters of the papers and many other persons, notices of which have appeared again and again before the public, besides his standing as a gentleman of character and responsibility, is a sufficient guarantee to the afflicted.

THE ONLY PHYSICIAN ADVERTISING.

Dr. Johnston is the Only Regularly Educated Physician in Baltimore advertising in a manner to distinguish, ignorant and worthless Quacks, swarming these large Cities, with innumerable and inexhaustible artifices—the principle of which is small Pox for packages of useless and nauseous compounds, and mercury, and expensive professional quack-shops, so that the unfortunate stranger escaping one is sure to tumble headlong into the other—copy Dr. Johnston's advertisements and call themselves regularly educated physicians.

Thousands of persons falling victims to these cruel and contemptible Pretenders, are not the wise and intellectual, who capable of discovering at a glance the true sons of the Star-eyed Science, from the ignorant and lying quacks, who infest the public dwellings, who do not value their health or lives as long as they can get medical advice for a trifle.

Or the unsuspecting stranger, unacquainted with their various modes of trickery, attracted by small fees, different assumed Names, &c., quickly falls into the snare set for him, but finds, alas! when too late, that instead of being cured he has not only lost both time, money and patience, but that his future health has been inevitably ruined by the sticky and poisonous compounds of an impudent and illiterate Impostor.

How can it be possible for an individual, destitute of knowledge, name, or character,—whose life has been spent at the most degrading and menial employments, either as a barber, tinker, or as a cobler's lap-stretcher, or as a shoe-store, or carving $5 per week as a scullion, sweeping out and trimming the lamps of a little Quack Shop—be capable of understanding that most difficult and complicated of all Sciences, the noble and beautiful science of medicine. A single glance at these vile and unlearned pretenders, will convince the most simple and inexperienced, that they are both bodily and mentally incapacitated to be any thing else than what they are, a set of base and paltry cheats, whose disgraceful and unworthy existence is spent in doping by their low bred cupidity, the afflicted, the unfortunate, and the unsuspecting. Unable to cure, they keep you trifling month after month, taking their filthy and deadly compounds, or as long as the smallest fee can be obtained, and in despair leave you with ruined health to sigh over your galling disappointment.

Poisonous Doses and Pretending Quacks can try these impostors, be ruined in health, and be convinced.

Dr. Johnston wants no Patients, but those fully capable of appreciating and distinguishing the services of a regular thoroughly educated Physician from the paltry, designing and ignorant Quack.

To those unacquainted with his reputation, the Doctor deems it necessary to say that his Credentials or Diplomas always hang in his Office.

His remedies and treatment are entirely unknown to all others. Prepared from a life spent in the Great Hospitals of Europe and the First in this country, viz: England, France, the Hinckley of Philadelphia, &c., and a more extensive practice than any other Physician in the World.

☞ No Letters received unless post-paid and containing a Stamp to be used for the Reply. Persons writing should state Age and send that portion of advertisement describing symptoms. [April 26, 1860.

Direct from New York.

JOHN R. A. REDMAN,

HAS received direct from New York his spring Supply for GENTLEMEN'S WEAR—French, English and American Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, of the most fashionable style. A few select Cassimere Linen Barpen Cloth Business Coats of New York make. A variety of Shirts, Collars, &c. He invites the inspection of the public

Harpers Ferry National Historical Park Microfilm Collection

POETRY.

HIDDEN GRIEFS.

Every heart has its secret sorrow, which the world knows not.

Aye, within each breast is hidden
Far from sight, some secret woe;
There it tarries all unbidden,
And the world can never know.
What could bring the cloud of care,
To the brow we seem so fair.

Smiles may wreath the brightest faces,
Joy may beam from flashing eyes
Merry words in jest be spoken,
All this on the surface lies;
But down deep, within the heart,
Bides a grief ne'er to depart.

Some may say, when they are gazing
In a face all clear and bright,
"That one never knew a trouble,
Her life burden has been light—
Ne'er a thought upon to-morrow,
Ne'er a dream of aught like sorrow."
Hers has been a path of roses,
Growing brighter every day."
Alas! to those, amid the flowers,
Thorns were scattered by the way,
And deep in her soul lies stinging,
All her joys to sorrow bringing.

Then judge not by outward seeming
Which may all be calm repose,
'Tis the veil that is but screening
From the world its hidden woes.
Perfect happiness and love
Only can be found above.

MISCELLANY.

A WIFE TO HUSBANDS ONLY.

LOVE A WIFE AND CARE FOR A WIFE.

I wish every husband would copy into his memorandum book this sentence, from a recently published work: 'A word said, a line written, and we are happy; omitted, our hearts ache, as if for a great misfortune.—Men cannot feel it or guess at it, if they did, the most careless of them would be slow to wound us.'

The grave hides many a heart which has been stung to death, because one who after all, loved it after a certain careless fashion, was deaf, dumb and blind to the truth in the sentence we have just quoted, or if not, was at least restive and impatient with regard to it. Many men, marrying late in life, being accustomed only to take care of themselves, and that in the most erratic, rambling, exciting, fashion—eating, drinking, sleeping and waking, whenever their fancy or good cheer or amusement, questionable or unquestionable, prompted—come at last, when they get tired of this, with their selfish habits fixed as fate, to matrimony.

For a while it is a novelty. Shortly, it is strange as irksome, this always being obliged to consider the comfort and happiness of another. To have something always on the arm which used to swing free, or at most, but twist a cane. Then they think their duty done if they provide food and clothing, and refrain (possibly) from harsh words.—Ah, is it? Listen to that sigh as you close the door. Watch the gradual fading of the eye, the paling of the cheek, not from age—she would yet be young—but that knowing pain at the heart, born of the settled conviction that the great lifelong craving of her soul so far as you are concerned, must go forever unsatisfied. God help such wives, and keep them from attempting to slake their soul's thirst at poisoned fountains.

Think you, husband, how little a kind word, a smile, a caress, to you, how much to her. If you call these things childish, and 'beneath your notice,' then you should never have married! There are men who should remain forever single, you are one. You have no right to require of a woman her health, strength, time and devotion, to mock her with the shadowy, unsatisfying return, a new bonnet, a dress, a shawl, a watch, anything, everything, but what a true woman's heart most crave—sympathy, appreciation, love. She may be rich in everything else, but if she be poor in these, and is a good woman, she had better die.

There are hard, unloving, cold monstrosities of women (rare exceptions) who neither require love or know how to give it. We are not speaking of those. That big hearted, loving, noble men have occasionally been thrown away upon such, does not disprove what we have been saying. But even a man thus situated has greatly the advantage of a woman in a similar position, because, over the needle, a woman may think herself into an insane asylum, while the active out door turmoil of business life is at least a sometime reprieve to him.

Do you ask me 'are there no happy wives?' God be praised, yes, and glorious, lovable husbands, too, who know how to treat a woman, and would have her neither fool nor drudge. Almost every wife would be a good and happy wife were she only loved enough. Let husbands, present and and prospective, think of this.

"SPOT" LINCOLN.

Lincoln is known throughout Illinois by the sobriquet of Spot Lincoln, on account of a long and foolish set of resolutions he introduced into Congress when he first took his seat, calling on the President for certain information relative to the 'spot' of land on which the first blood was shed in the Mexican war. They were so ridiculous that they never came to a vote at all, even where his own party was in the majority. Since then he has been 'spotted' by the people of Illinois whenever he has asked for office, which has been nearly every year, and he will be 'spotted' now by the whole country.

[*Detroit Free Press.*

ABOUT GIRLS.

The best thing about a girl is cheerfulness. We don't care how ruddy her cheeks may be, or how velvety her lips; if she wears a scowl, even her friends will consider her ill-looking, while the young lady who illumines her countenance with smiles, will be regarded as handsome, though her complexion is coarse enough to grate outmeage on. As perfume is to rose, so is good nature to the lovely. Girls, think of this.

A Lesson in Arithmetic.—John supposes I were to shoot at a tree with five birds on it, and kill three, how many would be left?

John—Three, sir.

T.—No, two would be left, you ignoramus.

J.—No there wouldn't though; the three shot would be left, and the other two would be dead away.

T.—Take your seat, John.

THE CONTENTED FARMER.

Once upon a time, Frederick, King of Prussia, surnamed 'Old Fritz,' took a ride, and espied an old farmer plowing his acre by the way side, cheerily singing his melody.

'You must be well off, old man,' said the King. 'Does this acre belong to you, on which you so industriously labor?'

'No, sir,' replied the farmer, who knew not that it was the king.

'I am not so rich as that; I plow for wages.'

'How much do you get a day?' asked the king further.

'Eight groschen,' (about twenty cents) said the farmer.

'That is not much,' replied the king, 'can you get along with this?'

'Get along and have something left.'

'How is that?'

The farmer smiled and said—'Well, if I must tell you; two groschen for myself and wife; and with two I pay my old debts; two I lend away, and two I give away for the Lord's sake.'

'This is a mystery which I cannot solve,' replied the king.

'Then I will solve it for you,' said the farmer. 'I have two old parents at home, who kept me when I was weak and needed help, and now they are weak and need help, I keep them. This is my debt, to cards which I pay two groschen a day. The third pair of groschen, which I lend away, I spend for my children, that they may learn something good and receive a Christian instruction. This will come handy to me and my wife when we get old. With the last two groschen I maintain two sick sisters, whom I would not be compelled to keep—this I give for the Lord's sake.'

The king, well pleased with his answer, said—

'Bravely spoken, old man. Now I will also give you something to guess. Have you ever seen me before?'

'Never,' said the farmer.

'In less than five minutes you shall see me fifty times, and carry in your pocket fifty of my likenesses.'

'This is a riddle which I cannot unravel,' said the farmer.

'Then I will do it for you,' replied the king.

Thrusting his hand into his pocket, and counting him fifty bran new gold pieces into his hand, stamped with his royal likeness, he said to the astonished farmer, who knew not what was coming—

'The coin is genuine, for it also comes from our Lord God, and I am his paymaster. I bid you adieu.'—*German Reformed Messenger.*

A Tale of Unrequited Love.—The editor of the Eureka Union relates as follows how he once got in love and got the mitten:

'We were never, let reader, desperately in love' but once, and that was with a red, no, auburn-haired girl, with a freckled complexion, who had but few protensions to beauty; but then she had such really beautiful eyes, deep liquid orbs through which her soul in moments of tenderness looked out in passionate fervor, and in joyous mirth danced and sparkled with the light of a thousand dew drops—diamonds, we were going to say—but we never saw a thousand diamonds. Her name was Laura, which, when breathed softly by a very soft lover, is a very sweet name—and we did—fancying we could hear the sound of her footfall, we would hasten to her side by side with them upon their favorite platform. In his speech at the Tippecanoe battle ground in 1856, and in another at Lexington, Ky., after his election to the Vice Presidency, he unhesitatingly planted himself upon the Cincinnati platform, with the Douglas interpretation. Upon the last mentioned occasion he clearly and distinctly announced himself opposed to Congressional intervention with the subject of slavery in the Territories."

Personal Appearance of Abraham Lincoln.—The Cleveland (O.) Plain Dealer gives this biographical sketch of the Republican nominee: 'In personal appearance Mr. Lincoln is long, lean and wiry. In motion he has a great deal of the elasticity and awkwardness which indicate the rough training of his early life, and his conversation favors strongly of Western idioms and pronunciations. His height is six feet three inches. His complexion is about that of an octoroon. He has dark, bristly, short hair, singed with gray, a good forehead, small eyes, a long, penetrating nose, and mouth which, aside from being of magnificent proportions, is probably the most expressive feature of his face. A correct likeness of Mr. Lincoln would be condemned as a caricature by any one who did not know it was true.

As Continuous Railroad from Maine to Louisiana.—The gap in the Mississippi railroad is finished, and the connection through to New Orleans is now complete. The time between New Orleans and Baltimore by this route will be about 75 hours. By the completion of this link there is now a continuous railroad from Bangor, Maine, to New Orleans, except three short ferries—at Hudson river, Susquehanna and the Potomac rivers. The vast chain of railways is composed of eighteen independent roads, costing in the aggregate for 2,848 miles of road 92,304,024, or nearly one-tenth of the whole railway system in the United States, of which 1,996 miles are used in this continuous line.

The Richmond Whig says that the Seceders' rat fication meeting held in that city on Tuesday night, was a grand failure, and that no one scarcely listened to Mr. Yancey. The Virginia index on the other hand, declares that an immense assemblage was gathered, that immense enthusiasm was manifested, and that the addresses of Mr Yancey and others were received with unbounded applause.

The following Democratic newspapers in Massachusetts will probably support the Breckinridge ticket: Boston Post, Lowell Advertiser, New Bedford Times, Greenfield Democrat, Barnstable Patriot, Salem Advocate, Essex County Democrat, Lawrence Sentinel, and Pittsfield Sun—whose editors are generally office holders.

☞ As Illinois editor challenges the State to produce a wife equal to his for smartness and music. Among the many things equally bad which she easily performed one morning before breakfast was: Whipping the editor, spanking nine children, kicking over the table and breaking all the dishes, swinging a neighbor's cat for interfering, cutting off a dog's tail and throwing the colored girl into the cistern. Such a wife is a jewel.

SKELLINGS OF DEMOCRATIC HARMONY.

Just to keep their hands in, and prevent spoiling, two of the 'harmonious' got up a row at the Committee on Credentials appointed by the Democratic Convention. It is said there were many unpleasantries, but the most disreputable event of the evening transpired between Hon. T. C. Hindman, of Arkansas, and Mr. Hooper from the same State. Mr. Hooper is a contestant for a seat in the Convention, which fact originated a difference between them, and the lie was given, which was followed by a blow and the dr

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THURSDAY MORNING,

JULY 12, 1860.

OUR PLATFORM.

THE CONSTITUTION OF THE COUNTRY,
THE UNION OF THE STATES,
AND
The Enforcement of the Laws.

FOR PRESIDENT,
JOHN BELL,
OF TENNESSEE.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
EDWARD EVERETT,
OF MASSACHUSETTS.

ELECTORS.

Districts
1st. L. H. CHANDLER, of Norfolk City.
2d. TRAVIS H. EPPES, of Northway.
3d. THOS. BRUCE, of Halifax.
4th. JOHN T. THORNTON, of P. Edward.
5th. JAMES F. JOHNSON, of Bedford.
6th. W. C. SCOTT, of Powhatan.
7th. LEMUEL J. BOWDEN, of Wm'sburg.
8th. JOS. CHRISTIAN, of Middlesex.
9th. B. H. SHACKELFORD, of Fauquier.
10th. ANDREW KENNEDY, of Jefferson.
11th. A. H. H. STUART, of Augusta.
12th. W. R. STAPLES, of Monogalia.
13th. WALTER PRESTON, of Washington.
14th. J. J. JACKSON, Jr., of Wood.
15th. A. B. CALDWELL, of Ohio.

"PRINCIPLES, NOT MEN."

This has been the cant phrase of the self-styled *Democratic* leaders, when an effort has been made to deceive the masses of their party, for the sake of the spoils. They meet in Convention, and after separating upon mere abstraction, and then adjoining themselves overwhelmingly defunct as a *National* party, an effort is now being made to bring together the discordant elements by a union of the Seceders and the Douglasites by supporting the same electoral ticket, through which a deep-laid fraud is to be practiced by the schemers upon the *masses* of their party. If they separated upon *principle*, how are they to unite upon *principle* in supporting the same electoral ticket?—The *spoils* may induce them to unite, but not *principle*. As the Richmond Whig remarks,

There can be no union of the two wings of the Democracy in Virginia or in any other State, in support of the same electoral ticket, without the most shameless faithlessness and abandonment of principle on the part of either the Seceders or the Douglasites.—The thing is simply impossible.

IN A QUANDARY.

Our rizibles have been considerably exercised in hearing a few aspirants—few in fact—who have become impatient for the loaves and fishes, trumping up excuses for eschewing all their former notions of governmental policy. Without the honesty to come out like men and tell what they want, they affect to see ahead great disasters to befall our glorious country. But we have no fears—BELL and EVERETT will take the reigns of government the 4th of March, and after hanging a few of the rebels North and South, peace will be restored. But if any of those who have hitherto acted with us politically think proper to go off now either to Douglas and Johnson or to Breckenridge and Lane, let them go, and we shall feel as the man did who said to his sympathisers when his wife ran away from him, "how I pity me till she comes back again."

USEFUL INVENTIONS.

Among the numerous patents issued from the United States Patent Office July 2d, is one granted to John B. Norris Esq. of Berryville, Clarke county, Va., for an improved mode of stringing and tuning Pianos, which is considered the great *desideratum* by judges, being so simple, effectual and expeditious in its application, as to enable the most ordinary musical ear to tune the Piano with the greatest possible accuracy and facility; the two strings of one note, being put in most perfect unison, at the required pitch at one and the same time, and dispensing with the ordinary vertically inserted tuning pin or peg, which in course of tune, becomes so loose as to cause much trouble in keeping an instrument in good tune.

The patent for this great improvement was obtained through the successful agency of John S. Gallaher, Junior, Washington City, D. C.

THE HARVEST.

The grain harvest is finished and many of our farmers are busy hauling in. The grain is generally of a good quality, and we trust the farmers will be remunerated by fair prices. To count by *acres* the present crop is perhaps the largest for many years.

The Corn generally looks flourishing, and with seasonable weather a large crop may be expected. The Oat crop also bids fair.

A HIT.

A locofoco editor in North Carolina in referring to *fugitives* from the old Whig creed, says—

"A horse that has jumped the fence once may jump it again and ought not to be trusted without a halter."

This is our opinion. We have an utter contempt for this class of animals.

BOARDING SCHOOL.

We call attention to the advertisement of the Rev. Mr. BILLINGS' Boarding School. The location of this school is a pleasant one, being accessable by railroad, and being surrounded by a country and population unsurpassed anywhere.

☞ The *Bolter's* Convention which nominated Breckenridge and Lane was represented by one hundred and five delegates, fourth of which number were from Virginia!—What a *National* body it was!

☞ Middleway, in this county has a population of 309 inhabitants according to the account of the present census taker. Slaves 96—total 405.

☞ Mr. Breckenridge has formally accepted the nomination for the Presidency.

"THE NORTH CAROLINA INDEPENDENT."

Mr. Chapin, the editor of the 'Independent,' has doffed his neutrality, and come out manfully for Bell and Everett. This is as it should be, and most heartily do we welcome Mr. Chapin as an able and efficient companion in arms. This is no time for neutrality, when the country is threatened with all the disasters of sectional strife. The Democracy have split into sections, the Black Republicans are sectional, and but one National, conservative ticket is presented to the country, and that ticket is Bell and Everett, standing on the platform of the Constitution and the Union.—*Raleigh N. C. Register.*

The following is from the last 'Independent'

OUR POSITION.—We this week unfurl the National Banner to the breeze, inscribed upon its ample folds the name of Tennessee's favorite son John Bell, as the candidate for President of the United States, and that of Edward Everett, the Orator, Statesman, and Patriot, of Massachusetts, for Vice President.

In view of the recent demonstration of the Democratic party at Charleston, and with the split in the party, and the nomination of two tickets at Baltimore last week, it must become evident to every mind that the Constitutional Union Party is the only National party now in existence, and as such it becomes the duty of every patriot and good citizen to rally to the support of the candidates of that party, the only hope of arresting the progress of the Black Republicans, with the view of defeating them, and thus bring back to our Government that state of peace and harmony which ought to prevail between sister States. We shall support the nomination with our whole heart, believing that the idea of November will bring us a glorious victory. The names of Bell and Everett will awaken a degree of enthusiasm that will sweep the country from one end to the other, and strike terror into the corrupt and reckless politicians that for so many years have misruled and debauched the nation.—Let our watch-word be, 'Bell, Everett, Union and victory!'

ANDREW HUNTER, ESQ.

We are glad to understand that this gentleman, long the leader of the Old Whig party and their most eloquent and influential elector in this Congressional district, has expressed his determination to support the Breckenridge and Lane ticket. When such man as Mr. H., come to the support of the National Democratic ticket, small Opposition minows had best keep close to shore.

[The above we clip from the last *Independent*. The editor may speak by authority, for all we know, or for all that is important to the interests of the Union candidates. Mr. Hunter is a private citizen and only has rights guaranteed to the humblest individual. The effect of "his determination to support the Breckenridge and Lane ticket" will be to give those gentlemen *one* vote, that of himself. As Mr. H., has been for some time in a state of "betweenity," and having voted for John Letcher for Governor, the "Old Whig party", who have adhered to their principles through all its adversities, have nothing now to fear from a party, as Roger A. Pryor said has "no longer an existence—is perfectly impotent, and so enveloped by corruption that it absolutely needed to be chastened by defeat and privation," no matter who may choose to desert.]

AT A STAND STILL.

The Maryland *Union*, printed in Frederick city, Md., is at a stand still in regard to the Presidential candidates—the senior editor being for Breckinridge, and the junior for Douglas. Negotiations are pending for a dissolution of partnership, in which event the readers of that journal will learn which one of the candidates is the Simon Pure representative of the "*only National* Democratic party."

The "*Citizen*" editor of that city is an office-holder under President Buchanan, and of course espouses the cause of Breckinridge—Douglas being especially obnoxious to the "Powers that B."

LAMENTATIONS.

The Locofoco organs, so anxious to perpetuate places, are willing to form any coalition by which the spoils can be retained.—Principles do not weigh a feather with many of them, and an effort is being made to form a coalition ticket, headed Breckenridge and Douglas. This is another evidence of lack of principle. They would swallow the devil for the sake of the spoils.

☞ The Assistant Marshal of the Census, Maj. J. O. Coyle, of this county, desires us to say that in consequence of the short time allowed to take the census; that heads of families should prepare a list of their property according to the published list of interrogatories. This would facilitate his work, as he finds in some cases a great deal of difficulty in obtaining the desired information. We hope our citizens will attend to this matter.

☞ The Clarke Journal, Breckinridge organ, says:

"If Lincoln or Douglas is elected the gulf States will inevitably secede. The same violation of principle which caused them to secede from the Douglas tent in Charleston and Baltimore will cause them to secede from the Union, if Douglasism comes into power."

What do the advocates of the double-headed ticket say?

☞ Gen. Jos. Lane, the candidate of the Secession party for the Vice-Presidency, voted in favor of the Homestead Bill, by which it was proposed to give away to settlers the public lands.

Notwithstanding the veto of President Buchanan, he voted to pass it over his head.

☞ A patent has been issued to Messrs. W. A. & J. F. SUDDITH, of this town, for improved cotton seed planter. These gentlemen are the patentees of several valuable implements, among them the wheat drill with attachments, &c. It gives us pleasure to record these evidences of the mechanical skill of our townsmen. They should be encouraged.

☞ Joseph A. Waddell, Esq., has been appointed by Judge Thompson, Commissioner in Chancery for the Circuit Court of Augusta county, vice Capt. W. S. H. Baylor, resigned.

DEFINING HIS POSITION.

It will be seen by the following that the Hon. H. L. Hopkins, of the Petersburg District defines his position, and that is is his purpose to support the "regular" candidates of the party, Douglas and Johnson:—

☞ Col. HENRY L. HOPKINS, of Petersburg, one of the Democratic Electors for Virginia, has written the following letter to the Richmond *Enquirer*:

PETERSBURG, June 29, 1860.

Gentleman:—In your semi-weekly issue of this morning I find the following announcement:

"*National Democratic Ticket.*
For President of the United States,
JOHN C. BRECKINRIDGE, of Kentucky.
For Vice-President of the United States.
GEN'L JOSEPH LANE, of Oregon."

And underneath you publish the names of the Electors composing the "National Democrat Ticket." As my name appears in that connection amongst them, silence would imply my acquiescence in the announcement, and so produce a wrong impression. I deem it due to the friends of these distinguished candidates, therefore, to define my position, promptly and candidly. I was appointed the Elector of the Second Electoral District, to support the nominees, as I understandut, of the National Democratic Convention, *regularly assembled* according to the *usages* of the Democratic party. I cannot regard the "*Secession Convention*" that nominated Messrs. Breckinridge and Lane, as a *regular* Democratic Convention, any more than I would regard a fragment of the two Houses of our Legislature seceding from the regular bodies, and organizing themselves *elsewhere* to pass laws, *a regular Legislature*.

If I should be told the Constitution of the State requires a majority of each House to form a quorum for business, so, I reply, the *principles* and *usages* of Democracy (*its constitution*) concedes to the *majority* the right to rule in conventions. Nor can I comprehend how it is that such a convention as *never before assembled* in all the history of our national Conventions, can claim *usage* or even *precedent* for its validity. On the contrary, regarding Stephen A. Douglas as the *regular* nominee of the *regular* Democratic National Convention, I shall support his nomination most willingly and cordially, not only on that ground, but because of his life-long Democracy, his ripe experience, his great abilities, and the large amount of valuable public services he has rendered his country. Indeed since Gov. Wise withdrew, he has been my *choice* for the Presidency.

It is my pride that I have always been with my party, in its *defeats* as well as its *triumphs*. And now, that its difficulties are greater than ever, I mean to evince my devotion to its principles and its integrity by the best services I can render it, whether I be with a *majority* or a *minority* in the end. I dislike to differ with my friends, and especially with you, Messrs. Editors, but the path of duty is plain before me, and I must pursue it firmly. Ever truly yours,

H. L. HOPKINS.

THE TENTH LEGION.

The following extracts we copy from the Valley *Democrat* one of the organs of the Douglas party in the Tenth Legion:

WHICH WAS THE NATIONAL CONVENTION?—One of the most impudent assumptions we have ever seen exhibited is the claim set up by the Breckenridge supporters that the Convention which nominated Breckenridge and Lane was a National Convention. To explode such pretensions, it is only necessary to refer to the *facts* and *figures*. The Convention which nominated Judge Douglas, was composed of delegates representing *two-thirds* of the Electoral vote of the whole Union, while the bogus and unauthorised concern that nominated Breckenridge and Lane was composed only of delegates representing 165 electoral votes, and many of those votes being represented in violation of positive instructions. Judge Douglas was nominated in accordance with the *usages* of the Democratic party, while the nomination of Breckenridge was in violation of every principle and usage which the Democratic party has regarded as sacred and inviolate. And yet this bogus concern which met without authority, composed of the disunion element of the South, the lick-spittles and hirelings of Buchanan and spavined grubs of the public crib from the North, is held up to the Democracy of the South as the National Convention of the Democracy, when it is known by every man familiar with the facts, that it was a miserable sectional romp Convention, without the shadow of Nationality or legality.

Such miserable attempts to deceive and hoodwink the honest voters of the land, shows the utter desperation of the supporters of the bogus Convention and its nominees.

KEEP IT BEFORE THE PEOPLE.—That the National Democratic party has been demoralized and broken up by unprincipled and scheming politicans and not by the honest masses of the Democratic party.—Will the people, the honest voters, sustain these politicians, or will they rally around the standard of Douglas, and uphold the time-honored principles of the Democratic party, the Constitution and the Union? Let our battle-cry be, "Douglas and Johnson, the Constitution and the Union."

"March on, march on, all hearts resolved,
To victory or to death."

☞ At the break up of the Democratic party, a former Whig (General Cushing) presided over the recno, and another ancient Whig (Mr. Russell, of the old Dominion) was the oracle of dissolution on the occasion. Let the heavens be hung in black.

UNDECIDED.

A number of our Virginia cotemporaries of the Democratic stripe have not yet decided under which banner they will fight. In reviewing the difficulties under which the party are now encompassed the Romney *Argus* says—

"If either one of the democratic candidates have half the strength in the opposite section that his friends confidently claim for him the inevitable consequence must be, that Lincoln will carry every Northern, and Bell and Everett, every Southern State. Should Lincoln carry the free states, he will receive 183 electoral votes, when 153 is all that is necessary to elect him.

Of the democratic papers in Virginia, which have defined their positions so far as we are informed, 14 are for Breckinridge and Lane, and 8 are for Douglas and Johnson. In view of these facts, is there a sane man in Virginia, who can entertain the idea for a moment that Bell and Everett will not carry the State, by an overwhelming majority? It is an admission that we are paleed to make, but it is folly, and madness, to console ourselves with impossibilities.

☞ The Louisville Journal inhumanly recommends the Democratic papers to publish just now a few elaborate articles upon their favorite proposition, that the Democratic party is the only *National* Party in the country.

THE FOURTH.

The 4th was celebrated by a portion of our citizens. The Jefferson Guards, Capt. ROWAN, and the Letcher Cadets, Captain CAMPBELL, paraded. After assembling at the Court House, prayer was offered by the Rev. J. H. WAUGH. The Declaration of Independence was read by Mr. B. F. BEALL, followed by an Address by ANDREW HUNTER, Esq. At the conclusion of the Address the military and others partook of a fine dinner prepared by Mr. J. F. BLESSING.—Speeches were made and toasts given.

REGULAR TOASTS.

1. *The Day we Celebrate*—The great day of deliverance and liberty—its earliest glory was freedom to us—its last will be freedom to man.

2. *The Signers of the Declaration of Independence*—Highest upon the scroll of fame, among the pure and disinterested benefactors of mankind.

3. GEORGE WASHINGTON—His career like the sun in his course—splendid in his rising—brightest in his meridian and glorious in his setting.

4. *The Heroes of 76*—Like the setting sun—they die but to rise again and live in the memory of their grateful countrymen.

5. *Virginia*—Most precious earth—whose bosom holds the mouldering bones of the man who was, is now, and ever shall be "first in the hearts of his countrymen."

6. *The States of our Union*—Distinct as the billows, but one as the sea.

7. *The Army and Navy*—Their deeds are as illustrious as their glory is imperishable—a grateful country gives honor to both.

8. *Political Equality*—A problem patiently demonstrated in the American Revolution and defined to be the common birthright of man.

9. *The President of the United States.*

10. *The Conservative Spirit of our People*—The rock upon whose top, like Ararat of old, the ark of human hope must rest.

11. *Our Citizen Soldiery*—Brave, self-sacrificing and true—the genuine bulwark of our national safety.

12. *Free Governments*—

Speed them in their onward course
Till o'er the nations they resistless rush
And touch the limits of the failing world.

13. *Woman*—The pride and beauty of our land—her charms and virtues are the only sovereigns to which American hearts owe allegiance.

The following letter from Col. JOHN T. GIBSON, was also read, and the sentiment with which it closes, was warmly applauded:

ALTONA, July 3d, 1860.

Messrs. D. H. COCKRELL and others Committee,

Gentlemen:—Your kind invitation to be present "with the Jefferson Guards" on the Fourth inst., was gratefully received. It would give me great pleasure to participate with the "Guards" in the celebration of our national birthday, but as I am in "the harvest" it will be absolutely impossible. I hope that the spirit of '76 will be revived in the "Jefferson Guards" and that they will ever be ready to resist tyranny and oppression, from whatever source they may come. In these significant times it were well that we contemplate the heroes of our Revolution, and from them, learn to be jealous of our rights and our liberties.

I would give you the Union, with the Constitution, preserved intact.

I am very respectfully yours,

JNO. THOS. GIBSON.

In addition to these, a number of volunteer sentiments were offered, and several speeches made.

About two o'clock the company left the board and the "Guards" paraded through the town, and fired a number of salutes. Everything went off pleasantly, and with the exception of the morning rain, nothing occurred to mar the enjoyment of the day.

A CALUMNY REFUTED.

The Washington *Star*, of Monday, contained a paragraph stating that it is *rumored* in political circles that Hon. J. J. Crittenden had declared his intention to support Breckinridge and Lane. The *Star* adds:

"Tradition assigned by this venerable statesman for such action is *said* to be that the National Union Convention would have selected Mr. Breckinridge as their nominee, if they had supposed that the National Democratic Convention would have made the same choice, and that all they desired was a national, conservative, honest man, all of which requisites, he thinks, Mr. Breckinridge possesses."

This is a foul and unadulterated calumny. It is an unmitigated Roorback. The *Star* has been vilely imposed upon by some evil designed person, who is anxious to back up the forlorn prospects of the disunion candidate for the Presidency at the expense of truth. There never was a more complete falsehood than this rumor. It is utterly without foundation and false in every particular. So far from declaring or even entertaining any intention to support Breckinridge and Lane, Mr. Crittenden is at this moment earnestly, actively and zealously, devoting all his great influence to the cause of the Union party, of which he is the founder, and is giving his best energies to the promotion of the success of Bell and Everett.

Nor is there a particle of truth in the statement that the Union Convention would have chosen Breckinridge if it had been supposed that he would have been nominated by the Democratic Convention, or any part of it. Mr. Breckinridge was never thought of as a candidate of that Convention, and could not have secured any support whatever in it. This rumor is manufactured of the whole cloth, to arrest if possible, the numerous defections from the Democratic party, and the increase of the ranks of the Union party in the South. We pronounce it false in all its details, and we trust the journals that have given it circulation will have the common honesty to publish the correction.—*Baltimore Clipper.*

☞ Every democratic paper published in this Congressional district, with the exception of the *Spirit of Jefferson* and Berryville *Conservator*, has hoisted the flag of Breckinridge and Lane, and warmly and enthusiastically supports the ticket.—*Ind. Dem.*

[At the writing of the above paragraph our cotemporary of the *Independent* might have advised himself in regard to the *facts*. Neither the last issue of the Romney *Argus* or Loudoun *Mirror* had "hoisted the flag of Breckinridge and Lane" and our neighbor might have availed himself of the truth in the case instead of attempting to deceive his readers.

☞ The Old Line Democrats are beginning to curse the *fugitive* Whigs who have normed themselves into their ranks, and who have broken up their party. They now see that these aspirants for the spoils would

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SUICIDE.—John Hughes, a wealthy citizen of Gloucester county, Va., worth $100,000, and one of the most honorable and estimable men in the county, committed suicide on Thursday last. It appears that about two weeks previous to the commission of the deed he lost his youngest son, which had a powerful influence on his mind, and he frequently reminded those around him that he did not care to live. In exemplification of this statement he took laudanum, but the dose did not fulfill his purpose, and on the day mentioned he repaired to one of the outhouses on his farm, where he sat down and, as is supposed, deliberately cut his throat with a razor. His whereabouts were discovered too late to prevent the act, he was found just as he was gasping his last breath.

THE TWO DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES.—The Louisville Journal says:

It was immensely funny on Saturday night to mark the rejoicings of the Douglas Democrats over the nomination of Douglas and Fitzpatrick and the rejoicings of the Anti-Douglas Democrats over the nomination of Breckinridge and Lane. The two factions, both knowing that they had no chance in the world, tried which should kindle the biggest bonfire, which should utter the noisest shouts, and which should shoot the noisest cannon. They reminded us of two bantam cocks trying to outcrow each other in the barnyard, or two rival dinner bells trying to outring each other at an eating station upon a railroad.

☞ Messrs. Francis E. Rives, Thos. Walisee, Thomas Branch and A. M. Keiley, of Petersburg, a committee of the friends of Mr. Douglas, have issued an address to the Democracy of the State, in reply to the address recently put forth by the Seceding delegates from Virginia. They intimate that a "barren abstraction" has caused the disruption of the party, and that the Secession at Baltimore is only a preliminary step to "Secession" on a larger scale—and they ask the Democrats to "sell themselves to no such fatal and wicked scheme."

☞ The Lynchburg Republican says:—"The Rockingham Register, Valley Democrat, and Staunton Vindicator have each hoisted the name of Judge Douglas for the Presidency. These are the three leading and ablest Democratic papers in the Tenth Legion, and may be taken as an index of popular opinion in that important quarter of the State. Without the vote of the Tenth Legion Democracy, Breckinridge will be hopelessly defeated in the State."

☞ The conflict between Douglas and Breckinridge in Georgia, was opened on Monday, week, at Atalanta, by a scathing speech from Gov. Herschel V. Johnson. He poured hot shot into the ranks of the Disunionists. The Atalanta *Confederacy* and the Augusta *Constitutionalist* have hoisted the flag of the Little Giant, and are raking the enemies of toleration and free speech, the treasonable faction of Calhounists, fore and aft.

BELL AND EVERETT.—A Mississippi contemporary notes it as a remarkable fact—a singular and admirable coincidence—that should arrest the attention of every patriot in the land, that of all statesmen belonging to the South, John Bell has most of the respect and confidence of the people of the North. And of all Northern statesmen, no one is so much beloved and trusted in the South as Edward Everett.

——Mr. Humphrey Marshall gains neither credit nor renown, for his sudden whirl into the ranks of the supporters of Mr. Breckinridge. His speeches are not potent in argument, nor weighty in matter, nor brilliant in oratory. His new allies, moreover, do not exactly like these halts, and baulks, at going the *whole* for the *Democracy*. Let them be patient. It will come to that probably, by and by.—*Alexandria Gazette.*

RATIFICATION MEETING IN RICHMOND.—A grand and glorious rally came off in Richmond on the Capitol Square on Saturday night week. Wm. H McFarland, Raleigh T. Daniel, Marmaduke Johnson, A. Judson Crane, and Littleton Tazewell, made speeches. The *Whig* says it was the greatest political meeting ever held in the city. Ratification meetings are being held throughout the country;

☞ The Lynchburg Republican, although it hoists the flag of Breckinridge, says that the address of the Virginia delegates who seceded from the Democratic Convention, "is about as good a defence as they could make for their course in breaking up the Democratic party, but a *very poor defence* at that."

☞ It is a great point with the Douglas wing of the Democracy, that the Breckinridge movement is a preparatory effort to bring about secession and disunion. If this be so, and they really think so, how can they, with any consistency or propriety, countenance, unite upon, or *fuse* with, those who are engaged in the movement?

☞ At North Elba, N. Y., the insurrectionists had a grand glorification on the 4th to reaffirm over the grave of John Brown, their unabated madness. The survivors of the family of John Brown attended the celebration. John Brown, Jr., the eldest son, read the Declaration of Independence, and Solomon, the youngest son, read the Sermon on the Mount.

☞ The Montgomery Confederation, one of the most influential Democratic papers in Alabama, and published right under Yancey's nose, announces its intention to support the nomination of Douglas and ex-Governor Johnson, of Georgia.

☞ The National Intelligencer says, however necessary two organizations may be to convince the hitherto incredulous that the Democracy are "the only national party," it cannot be denied that this species of political reduplication threatens to become onerous in a journalistic point of view."

☞ The Charleston Courier says that the friends of Mr. Breckinridge are in great danger of *suffering from* the active friendship and interposition of the President, whose opposition to Mr. Douglas has been a great element of strength to that gentleman.

☞ The New Orleans Crescent, Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle, and Athens (Ga.) Watchman, heretofore neutral, in the present contest, have hoisted the flag of Bell and Everett. All these papers are influential, and will do noble work for our candidates and our cause.

☞ We have received information, says the Augusta (Ga.) Chronicle, coming direct from a friend of Texas, that the hero of San Jacinto has declared for the only national ticket, Bell and Everett.

☞ The Bank of the Valley, in Virginia, has declared a semi-annual dividend of 4½ per cent—4 per cent. to be paid to the Stockholders; the ½ per cent. bonus to the State.

☞ The granite quarries of Hugh L. Gallaher comprise 19 acres of James River Bluffs on the bank of the canal, 4 miles above Richmond. The hands employed are about 125. The stone for Fort Calhoun, at the mouth of the river, is now being got out.

THE VOTES OF THE STATES IN 1860.

The following table shows the number of votes which each State will cast in the Presidential election this year:

Alabama	9	California	4
Arkansas	5	Connecticut	6
Delaware	3	Illinois	11
Florida	4	Indiana	13
Georgia	10	Iowa	4
Kentucky	12	Maine	8
Louisiana	6	Massachusetts	13
Maryland	8	Michigan	6
Mississippi	7	Minnesota	4
Missouri	9	New Hampshire	5
North Carolina	10	New Jersey	7
South Carolina	8	New York	35
Tennessee	12	Ohio	23
Texas	4	Oregon	3
Virginia	15	Pennsylvania	27
		Rhode Island	4
		Vermont	5
		Wisconsin	5
	146		183

Total Electoral vote	303
Necessary for an election of President	152

☞ The surviving editor of the Lynchburg Virginian, Mr. C. W. BUTTON, publishes a feeling address to his friends and patrons of the paper, in consequence of the late terrible affair in Lynchburg, which resulted in the death of his brother, Mr. JOSEPH BUTTON, at the hands of the brothers HARDWICKE. He concludes his address as follows:

Let all learn from this terrible event, the importance of restraining even the remainder of wrath, and being more forbearing towards their fellow men. This lesson has been deeply engraved, as with an iron pen on the heart of the editor.

☞ But there is a party we can compromise with, and that is the Bell and Everett party.—*Forsyth's Speech at Philadelphia.*

MARRIED.

In Winfield, New York, on the 17th of March, 1860, by the Rev L. C. Brown, WM. KITZMILLER, of Harpers Ferry, Va., to Miss CLARA SHERMAN of Richfield Springs, Otsego county, New York.

On the 21st ult., by Rev. J. H. Waugh, CHAS. B. STINGER and SARAH J. McDONALD, daughter of David McDonald—all of Jefferson county.

In Middleburg, Va., on Wednesday, 27th June, by the Rev. O. A. Knsolving, GEORGE LEE, Esq., of Nashville, Tennessee, and LAURA F. youngest daughter of Gen. Asa Rogers, of Loudoun county, Va.

At Richmond, Va., on Tuesday, the 3d inst., by Rev. Thomas E. Carson, Rev THEODORE M. CARSON, of the Baltimore Annual Conference, and Miss V. ELLEN ALLISON, youngest daughter of the late William Allison, of that city.

DIED.

In Martinsburg on Sunday, the 1st inst., Mr. ANDREW GRAZIER, Sr., aged 79 years 4 months and 16 days.

On Wednesday, June the 20th, in the 13th year of her age, FANNIE STROTHER, youngest daughter of Daniel and Margaret G. Magruder of Frederick county. Her sufferings were protracted and severe, yet she was notorious heard to murmur or complain, and often expressed a willingness to die and be with Jesus.

On Sunday, June 10th, at Mountain Falls in Frederick county, JAMES HENRY, son of Wm. and Rachel V. Russell, aged two years and one month.

Baltimore Prices Current.

FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 9, 1860.
Reported Weekly by
RANDOLPH & LATIMER
66 SOUTH STREET.

CATTLE	On the Hoof.		
	Navy,	from 3.00	to 4.25
		4.25	6.12
TIMOTHY SEED.		2.25	3.00
CLOVERSEED		4.25	5.00
FLOUR	City Mills,	5.37	5.50
	Ohio,	5.37	5.50
	Howard Street	5.37	5.50
WHEAT	Red, good to prime	1.15	1.25
	White,	1.30	1.50
HOGS	Live,	7.00	8.00
BUTTER	Western, in bbls. and kegs	8	10
	Roll, good to prime	10	14
CORN	White, Old,	68	74
	Yellow, "	64	70
LARD		11½	12
OATS		34	36
RYE	Penn'a per bush. 56lbs	68	72
	Maryland & Virginia	68	72
WOOL	Unwashed	20	22
	Washed	30	34

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GREAT REMEDIES:

To cure a severe Cough or Cold use
Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry

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These remedies perform all they promise.—They relieve suffering, cure disease, restore health, thus affording consolation and comfort to the sick and afflicted, where discouragement, and suffering existed before.

CLYDE, Wayne Co., N. Y., March 10, 1857.

Messrs. S. W. Fowle & Co: I am happy to state that I have used the Oxygenated Bitters in my practice for the last three years in the treatment of Dyspepsia General Debility, Indigestion and affections of the Liver, with the most satisfactory results; and would cheerfully recommend to those suffering from these distressing diseases to give this valuable medicine a trial.

Respectfully yours,
J. R. SMITH, M. D.

EXETER, Me., Sept 30.

This certifies that I have recommended the use of Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry for Diseases of the Lungs, for two year's past, and many bottles, to my knowledge, have been used by my patients, all with beneficial results. In two cases where it was thought confirmed Consumption had taken place, the *Wild Cherry* effected a cure.

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Physician at Exeter Corner.

The only genuine Balsam has the written signature of "I. BUTTS" on the wrapper.

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JOSEPH E. CLAGETT, *Harper's Ferry.*
WM. MOULDES, *Shepherdstown.*
And by Dealers everywhere.

July 12, 1860.—4t.

A CARD TO THE SUFFERING.

☞ The Rev. WILLIAM CONNORS while labouring as a missionary in Japan, was cured of Consumption, when all other means had failed, by a recipe obtained from a learned physician residing in the great city of Jeddo. The recipe has cured great numbers who were suffering from Consumption, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Coughs and Colds, and the debility and nervous depression caused by these disorders.

Desirous of benefitting others, I will send this recipe which I have brought home with me to all who send it, free of charge.

Address,
REV. WM CONGROVE,
429 Fulton Avenue,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

May 17, '60—3m

☞ Rev Mr. BILLINGS will preach at Leetown on the 4th Sabbath of July, or the 22d day of the month, at 11 o'clock A. M.

COMPANY NOTICE.

THE members of the Leetown Company will meet at Leetown on the 21st of July, 1860, at half past 3 o'clock, P. M., to elect a Captain.

By Command,
JOHN T. GIBSON,
Col. 55th Regiment.

July 12, 1860.

PAY UP.

PERSONS for whom the undersigned made and received Grain Cradles, now that the Harvest is over, are requested to call and make payment, as I am much in want of money.

July 12, 1860. ALFRED GRANTON.

VIRGINIA to-wit.

IN the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, May 29, 1860.

Wm. C. Worthington, and Richard Henderson, Trustees, } Plaintiffs.

vs.

George Eichelberger, William Moore, Wm. Crow, Wm. Grove, Wm. T. Washington, Adam Moler, Joseph Shewalter, Leonard Sadler, Joseph F. Abell, Joseph Crane, E. M. Gatling, Adam, or Robert Waters, Jacob Allstadt, Jas. R. Flagg, Wm. Brookes Jr., Adam of Thomas W. at Saul, Boler, Jr., George L. Harris, Jas. T. Harris, Joseph Cockrill, Jacob Moler ——— Brown, David H. Coxe and Jonathan Painter, Mrs. Wiard, Benj. Kendrick, Dawson & Dudge, John Lock, Richard Wysong, James Burr, Jr., King & Pickrell, Henry P. Baker, Israel Bennett, John Merritt, Henry D. Garnhart, J. S. Payne, Brazier Davenport, Daniel Ott, George Backhouse, Jam s M. Brown, Lewis W. Washington, Francis Deane, Saml Builder, Wm. S. Nicholas, P. McCormick, Charles McCormick, John Moler, Andrew Moler, Wm. Ingram, Elias Shaw, Ross & Garrett, Kemp & Poole, Saml. McPherson, C. D. Hicks & Co., Grafton & Co., Stevens & Lanck, Martins & Hardesty, Jas. Roper, Saml. Howell, James A. Brown, C. W. Abernathy and Daniel Snyder, Defendants.

It appearing to the Court, that Wm. C. Worthington and Richard Henderson, the Plaintiffs in the cause are bankrupt, it is ordered that the cause be revived and further proceeded with in the names respectively of Samuel Ridenour, Administrator of Wm. C. Worthington, and David E. Henderson, Executor of Richard Henderson, dec'd.

And it is further ordered that this cause be recommitted to Commissioner Boyd to make further settlement of the accounts of the late Trustees, Wm. C. Worthington and Richard Henderson, and make proper distribution of any funds that may be found due from their respective representatives, and in carrying out this order the Commissioner may give the proper notice by advertisement in one of our newspapers published in Charlestown—the same to be equivalent to personal service of notice on the respective parties.

A Copy—Teste,
R. T. BROWN, Clerk.

July 12, 1860—5t.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Charlestown.

The parties interested in the above decree are hereby notified that on Saturday, the 11th day of August, 1860, at my Office in Charlestown, I will proceed to execute the above decree, at which time and place they are required to attend.

LAWSON BOYD, Com'r.

Virginia to-wit.

A rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, on the 24 day of July, 1860.

James W. Campbell, *Plaintiff.*

IN CHANCERY.

Against Lydia A. Hockensmith, and Isaac Fenby, *Defend'ts.*

The object of this suit is to attach the lower interest of Lydia A. Hockensmith, in a House and Lot in the town of North Bolivar, in the County of Jefferson, of which her husband the late John S. Hockensmith, died seized; or her interest in the proceeds of the sale of said House and Lot in the hands of the heirs of Defendant, Isaac Fenby, when he shall have made sale of said property, under the decree of May 23d, 1860 of the said Circuit Court, in the case of Geo. W. Stephenson and Wm. McCoy, against John B. Hockensmith, Adm'r, &c. pending in the said Court: to satisfy the Plaintiff's claim when a decree shall be obtained for the same. It appearing by an affidavit filed in this suit, that the Defendant, Lydia A. Hockensmith is not a resident of this State, she is hereby required to appear within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this matter.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Virginia *Free Press*, a newspaper printed in the County of Jefferson, and posted at the front door of the Court-House of said county, on the first day of the next County Court.

A Copy—Teste,
R. T. BROWN, Clerk.

July 12, 1860—5t.

Virginia to-wit.

AT rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, on the 3rd day of July, 1860.

Thomas West, as Trustee, and in his own right, Anne West, Wm. West, Sally West, and Juliet Ann Burgess, } *Plff's.*

IN CHANCERY.

Against Lewis Fry, late Executor of Thomas West, dec'd, David Fry, John A. Tacoma, individually, and as Executor of Joseph Smith, deceased, Paul Smith, Wm. G. Hardesty, Van's Bell and Warner A. Thompson, Adm'r. *de bonis non* with the will annexed of the said Thomas West, dec'd. } *Defts.*

The object of this suit is to compel a settlement of the executor's account of Lewis Fry, as Executor of Thos. West, dec'd. It appearing on affidavit filed in this suit, that the Defend

VIRGINIA to-wit:

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It appearing to the Court that Wilmore Worthington and Richard Henderson, the Plaintiffs in this cause are bankrupt, it is ordered that the same be revived and further prosecuted with the name of Wm. C. Worthington, Administrator of Wm. C. Worthington, and David E. Henderson, Executor of Richard Henderson, dec'd.

And it is further ordered that this cause be recommitted to Commissioner Boley to state further evidence of the debts of the late Trustees, Wm. C. Worthington and Richard Henderson, and make proper distribution of any funds that may be found due from their respective representatives, and in carrying the decree into effect Commissioner may give the proper notice by advertisement in one of the newspapers published in Charlestown, or by a copy of the same personal service of notice on the respective parties.

A Copy—Teste.

R. T. BROWN, Clerk.

July 12, 1860—5t.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, Charlestown, July 5, 1860.

The parties interested in the above decree are hereby notified that on Saturday, the 11th day of August, 1860, at my Office in Charlestown, I will proceed to execute the above decree, at which time and place they are required to attend.

LAWSON BOTTS, Com'r.

Virginia to-wit

A Trustee sold in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Jefferson County, on the 24 day of July, 1860,

James W. Campbell, Plaintiff.
IN CHANCERY.
Against Lydia A. Hockensmith and Isaac Foulke, Defend'ts.

The object of this suit is to attach the dower interest of Lydia A. Hockensmith, in a House and Lot in the town of North Bolivar, in the County of Jefferson; of which her husband the late John S. Hockensmith died seized; or her interest in the proceeds of the sale of said House and Lot in the hands of the home Defendant, Isaac Foulke, who he shall have made sale of said property under the decree of May 22d, 1860 of the Circuit Court in the case of Geo. W. Stephenson and Wm. McCoy, against John S. Hockensmith, Adm'r, &c. pending in the said Court; to satisfy the Plaintiff's claim when a decree shall be obtained for the same. It appearing on affidavit to be the fact that the Defendant, Lydia A. Hockensmith is not a resident of this State, she is hereby required to appear within one month after publication of this order, and do what is required to protect her interests in this suit.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Virginia Free Press, a newspaper printed in the county of Jefferson, and posted at the front door of the Court House of said county, on the first day of the next County Court.

A Copy—Teste.

R. T. BROWN, Clerk.

July 19 1860—5t.

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vs.
Andrew Lewis Fry, late Executor of Thomas West, dec'd, David Fry, John A. Fry, both individually, and as Executors of Joseph Sim b, deceased, Paul Smith, Wm. G. Hardesty, Van's Bell and Warner A. Thomson, Admr. de bonis non of the will annexed of the said Thomas West, dec'd. } Defts.

The object of this suit is to compel a settlement of the executorial account of Lewis Fry as Executor of Thos West, dec'd. It appearing on affidavit filed in this suit, that the Defendant, Lewis Fry is not a resident of this State, he is hereby required to appear within one mth after publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

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R. T. BROWN, Clerk.

July 19, 1860—5t. R. T. BROWN, Clerk.

TO FARMERS OF THE Valley of Virginia.

WE take pleasure in informing farmers that the universal success of

RHODES' SUPER PHOSPHATE,

THE

STANDARD MANURE,

Induces us to make extensive arrangements for the manufacture thereof, for which purpose we have established a Depot at Alexandria, and have appointed Messrs. Cazenove & Co., our sole Agents, who will have a large stock on hand at all times.

We also refer Farmers to Mr. James Sowers, of Millwood P. O., Clarke county, Va., who will visit them and procure their orders—and whose made arrangements with Mr. Chas. Chare, at the Depot, Winchester, Va., to receive orders to any amount.

From a large number of certificates, we select the following from Dr. D. B. Funkstown, a well known Farmer near White Post, Clarke county, Va., who used 25 tons last season. He says:

"Rhodes' Super Phosphate has stood admirably during this season in this neighborhood—indeed, but I do not think it has been the season, there will have been a failure of the Wheat crop. Wheat, I now compare favorably with that of either of the two last years. I have heard of no one who has used the Manure, who is not satisfied with the result. Indeed I cannot but hope it will be established fact, that Rhodes' is the best Manure for our soil—and that we will be indebted to our enterprising friend for it."

B. M. RHODES & CO.,
Office 84, Howard's Wharf, Baltimore.
July 12, 1860—3m.

Bush Meeting.

THE 3d Quarterly Meeting for Shannondale Circuit, Baltimore Conference, M. E. Church, will be held in a beautiful Grove near Shannondale Springs to commence

On Friday the 3d of August,

and continue several days. Rev. Wm. G. Eggleston, the Presiding Elder of the District will be present at the commencement of the meeting and will probably remain to the close.

Preachers and people are cordially invited to attend.

Other papers please copy.

July 1st, 1860. A. ROBEY.

BOARDING SCHOOL

FOR YOUNG LADIES

At the Parsonage, Duffield's Depot, Jefferson County, Va.

CONDUCTED BY Rev. S. BELLEROS AND DAUGHTERS.

BOARD and Tuition $75, per Session of Five Months—half pay in advance.

MUSIC AND FRENCH extra.

☞ Next Session will commence on the First Monday in September.

July 19, 1860—10t. [Spirit and Int. copy.

NOTICE.

THE Taxes for the present year are now due, and circumstances will compel me to close up my business as speedily as possible. I regret, therefore, all keeping themselves indebted, but particularly those whose accounts are of long standing, will come forward without delay and settle, as I no longer indulgence cannot and will not be given.

ROBT LUCAS, Jr.

July 19 1860 [County papers copy.

VIRGINIA to-wit:

In the Circuit Court of Jefferson County:

The President, Directors and Company of the Hargerstown Bank,

Plffs.

IN CHANCERY.

Against Samuel Butler, Wm. Lucas, Lydia Miller, Executrix of Henry Miller, deceased, Samuel Ritenour, Adm'r of Wm. C. Worthington, dec'd, Geo. Buckhouse Pleasant Buckhouse, Ann Lafferty and Edmund I. Lee, Defts.

And on a petition of Meredith Helm, Ex'r of Isaac Snyder, dec'd.

And on a petition of E. S. White and William Lucas, Jr.

EXTRACT FROM DECREE of June 2, 1860.

And it is further adjudged, ordered and decreed that this cause be recommitted to a Commissioner of this Court, with instructions to ascertain and report the liens upon the land in pleadings in the hands of Edward S. Cooke and Andrew Hunter, referred to in said petitions, and such by an order heretofore made has been paid to Cooke, together with the priorities of said liens, and report any further the order made in relation to, or by the decree of January 1850 or to executing the order. The Commissioner may give notice of the time and place at which he will proceed with the same, in some one of the newspapers published in Charlestown, for four successive weeks, or in publication to be equivalent to notice or service of notice upon the respective parties, and he is further directed in said published notice to inform all who have any claim against the estate of Samuel Snyder, dec'd, that unless they are presented to the undersigned within the time prescribed by the decree of the 2d of June, 1860, they will be barred of their claim against said estate.

A Copy—Teste.

R. T. BROWN, Clerk.

Commissioner's Office, Charlestown, July 5, 1860.

The parties to the above suit and petitions, and creditors of Saml. Snyder, whose debts may be considered or claimed to be a lien on the money arising by Sheriff's sale of the land of Edward S. Cooke and Andrew Hunter, referred to in said petitions, are hereby notified to appear at my Office in Charlestown, in the County of Jefferson, on the 6th day of August next, with all evidence of their claims, to enable me to execute said decree.

EDWARD E. COOKE, Com'r.

Virginia to-wit:

In the Circuit Court of J. Jefferson County:

Ann H. F. Butler, } Plff.
against
William A. Morgan, Executor of Jacob Morgan dec'd, John H. McMaster and Ann E. his wife, and Augustine J. Smith and E. Isabella his wife. } Defts.

THIS cause came on to be heard on this 29th day of May 1860 upon the bill and exhibit, answer of William Morgan, executor of Jacob Morgan, deceased, and exhibits and general replication thereto, and proceeded to argument on the other cause, and more than six months since, and was argued by counsel.

On consideration whereof, the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that Master Commissioner Cooke do execute, and report the sale of the real estate of Jacob Morgan, deceased, with the accounts of the sale, and report any further the order made in relation to, or by the decree of January 1850 or to executing the order. The Commissioner may give notice of the time and place at which he will proceed with the same, in some one of the newspapers published in Charlestown, for four successive weeks, or in publication to be equivalent to notice or service of notice upon the respective parties, and he is further directed in said published notice to inform all who have any claim against the estate of Jacob Morgan, dec'd, that unless they are presented to the undersigned within the time prescribed by the decree of the 2d of June, 1860, they will be barred of their claim against said estate.

A Copy—Teste.

R. T. BROWN, Clerk.

Commissioner's Office, Charlestown, July 5, 1860.

The parties to the above suit and petitions, and creditors of Saml. Snyder, whose debts may be considered or claimed to be a lien on the money arising by Sheriff's sale of the land of Edward S. Cooke and Andrew Hunter, referred to in said petitions, are hereby notified to appear at my Office in Charlestown, in the County of Jefferson, on the 6th day of August next, with all evidence of their claims, to enable me to execute said decree.

EDWARD E. COOKE, Com'r.

Virginia to-wit:

In the Circuit Court of Jefferson County:

Samuel Lickliter and Mary his wife, Pltffs.
vs.
Catharine Moler, Executrix of Daniel Moler, deceased, who was about to marry Mary B. were deceased Samuel K. Coit, administrator de bonis non, of Mary Byers deceased, William D. Bowers, Henry F. Bowers and George Bowers, Defts.

IN CHANCERY.

EXTRACT FROM DECREE.—This cause coming on again to be heard upon the papers formerly read, and argument by counsel. Upon consideration whereof, it is adjudged, ordered and decreed that a Commissioner of this Court do proceed to make further settlements of the accounts of Daniel Moler, deceased, as administrator de bonis non, with Mary Byers, deceased, and ascertain what is due to the estate of said Mary Byers, deceased, and report the same, and particularly the items made the subject matter of a special statement, on the 10 n page of the report of Commissioner Cooke, returned May 13 n 1858. And it is further ordered that the Commissioner do proceed to give notice of the time and place of proceeding with the same, in some one of the newspapers published in Charlestown, for four successive weeks, or in publication to be equivalent to notice or service of notice upon the respective parties, and he is further directed in said published notice to inform all who have any claim against the estate of Daniel Moler, dec'd, that unless they are presented to the undersigned within the time prescribed by the decree of the 2d of June, 1860, they will be barred of their claim against said estate.

A Copy—Teste.

R. T. BROWN, Clerk.

Commissioner's Office, Charlestown, July 5, 1860.

The parties to the above suit are hereby notified to appear at my office in Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia, on the 6th day of August next, with proper evidence, to enable me to execute the above decree.

EDW'D E. COOKE, Com'r.

Change of Days.

ON AND AFTER JULY 2D, 1860

THE Steamer ANTELOPE, Captain B. F. Wells, carrying the United States Mail, between Georgetown and Harpers Ferry, will run as follows:

LEAVES Georgetown every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 A. M.

Leaves Harpers Ferry every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 6 A. M.

B. F. WELLS.

☞ The Antelope will run to Shepherdstown every Wednesday with—returning leave there at 8 A. M. on Thursday.

Harpers Ferry June 21, 1860

THE ENTLER HOTEL.

THIS old established and well known Hotel, in Shepherdstown, Jefferson County, Va., is now in the possession of the subscriber, who is prepared to entertain the public in a manner which will prove acceptable to the travelling public, as well as all who may be pleased to call.

THE TABLE will be supplied with the best the markets and seasons will afford—while every accommodation will be given usual to the best kept Hotels. He therefore confides to calculating and a liberal patronage, as every exertion will be made to deserve it.

July 5, 1860. H. C. ENTLER.

WANTED

A YOUNG MAN to act as Book Keeper and Salesman. One that has had several years experience in the Mercantile business, of steady habits, a good Salary will be given.

GEO. W. TAYLOR.

Harpers Ferry, July 5, 1860

ATTENTION, CADETS!

YOU are hereby notified to assemble at your Armory, in Charlestown on Saturday next, the 14th inst., at 4 o'clock precisely for drill. It is desired that all should be present.

By order of the Capt.

H. S. WRITE, 2d Lt.

July 19.

Riddle & Ardinger

HAVE made large additions to their stock of Hardware, and can now furnish any article in their line used in this section of the country—They respectfully solicit a continuance of the public generally to call and examine their stock.

Martinsburg, July 12, 1860

☞ BACON.—Country Cured Bacon Sides, just received and for sale by

Terms Cash. RIDDLE & ARDINGER.

Martinsburg, July 12 1860

SUGAR CURED HAMS.—Thomas & Co's. Sugar Cured Hams. These Hams are considered the best Hams cured in the United States.

Terms cash. RIDDLE & ARDINGER.

Martinsburg July 12.

Ayer's Cathartic Pills.

VIRGINIA, Jefferson County, to-wit:

In the Circuit Court, June 7th, 1860

David Fry and Vance Bell, Pltffs.
vs.
Lewis Fry and others, Defts.

IN CHANCERY.

THIS cause came on to be heard, this 7th day of June, 1860, upon the papers formerly read, the order of reference made in this cause, at May term, 1860, and the report of Master Commissioner Stone made under said order, and was argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof, there being no exception made to said report of Commissioner Stone, upon examination, it is approved and confirmed; but it appearing that further accounts are necessary to the final decision of the cause, it is adjudged, ordered and decreed that the cause be recommitted to the same Commissioner with directions to take an account of the mortgages executed by Lewis Fry to Robert Wilmore, on 15th July, 1858, with the notes secured in said deed, so as to show what amount, if any, is applicable to the outstanding debts of Lewis Fry & Co., to take any further account that may be proper or said pending, to ascertain and state the annual value of the lands descended to the heirs of Rebecca Wigginton, dec'd, to show what sums of money will have to be paid by David Fry, Vance Bell, and the estate of Mrs. Wigginton to discharge the debts of said concern, after applying whatever of said real lands may be applicable thereto to make such other and further special equities and statements he may be required and proper, and make report to the next term of this Court. The Commissioner is directed to give notice of the time and place of taking the accounts herein directed, by publication for three successive weeks in one of the newspapers published in Charlestown. Such publication to be equivalent to personal service of notice upon the parties.

A Copy—Teste.

R. T. BROWN, Clk.

July 5, 1860.

Commissioner's Office, Charlestown, July 5, 1860.

The parties interested in the above suit are hereby notified that I have appointed the 6th day of August next, at my said Office, to execute the above decree, at which time and place they are required to attend.

SAMUEL STONE, Com'r.

Virginia to-wit:

In the Circuit Court of Jefferson County:

George Byers, Administrator of Joseph Smith, dec'd., } Pltff.
against
Richard H. Lee, John Quigley and Mary E. his wife, Henry Berry, Julia Van Swearingen, Harriet Matthews and Hannah V. his wife, Charles E. Butler and Virginia Van Swearingen, Robert Lucas, Jr., late Sheriff of Jefferson County, committee adm'r, of Joseph McMurran, dec'd., Charles Harper, Solomon Billmyer and John D. Voorhees, administrators with the will annexed of Conrad Billmyer, dec'd., David Billmyer, John E. White, John H. Mathews, D. G. Chisholm, David L. Hensell and Vincent M. Butler, adm'r. with the will annexed of Wm. Sheriff, dec'd. } Defts.

IT appearing to the Court that the defendant Hannah Van Swearingen has intermarried with Henry Matthews, and the defendant, Virginia Van Swearingen, has an interest in the land in the hands of Jacob Binkley, are hereby notified to appear at my office, in Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia, on the 7th day of August next, with all proper evidence, to enable me to execute the said decree.

ED. E. COOKE, Com'r.

VirGiNIA, to-wit:

In the Circuit Court of Jefferson County:

Sarah E. Hammond, Executrix of John P. Hammond, deceased, } Pltff.
Against
Alexander R. Boteler, and Helen his wife, Richard T. Snowden, Gabriel Hunter, and George Feyman, } Defts.

IN CHANCERY

THIS cause came on to be heard, this 29th day of May, 1860 upon the bill and exhibits, the answer of E. L. Lee and replication, and the proceedings had in the cause when decree was rendered more than six months since, and was argued by counsel. On consideration whereof, the Court, taking the bill for confessed as to those who have made default, doth adjudge, order and decree, that Master Commissioner Cooke, do take an account of the claim of the plaintiff, and of all other liens on the land in the bill mentioned, and their priorities and report to this Court in order to a final decree, stating all matters specially by himself deemed pertinent, or which may be required to be stated by any of the parties.

That the said Commissioner give notice of the time and place of taking said account in the Charlestown Free Press, once a week for four successive weeks, and such publication shall be equivalent to personal service of such notice on the parties or any of them except John Randolph Tucker, of Richmond, and William Donnell, of Baltimore to whom personal notice shall be given in writing.

A Copy—Teste.

R. T. BROWN, Clk.

July 5, 1860.

Commissioner's Office, Charlestown, July 5, 1860.

The parties to the above suit are hereby notified to appear at my office in Charlestown, Jefferson County, Virginia, on the 6th day of August next, with proper evidence, to enable me to execute the above decree.

EDWARD E. COOKE, Com'r.

VIRGINIA, Jeff. Co., to-wit:

In the Circuit Court, June 6th, 1860.

Wm. McElroy, } Pltff.
vs.
Ann McElroy, Executrix de bonis of Mary Ann McElroy, dec'd. } Defts.

IN CHANCERY.

And Jacob P. Coit, } Pltff.
vs.
William Boyle N. Lemon, Adm'r of Thos. T. Lemon, who was Adm'r of Mary Ann McElroy, dec'd, and others. } Defts.

EXTRACT FROM DECREE.—This cause is recommitted to Commissioner Stone, and that he inquire into and report on all the matters directed by the said decree of the court of April term, 1860, and in the premises, to go to peace and make report.

Upon the matters which may come down per tinent, or which either party may require to be stated. And the Commissioner is directed to give notice of the time and place of executing the decree by publication in some one of the newspapers in Charlestown, for 4 successive weeks, which publication shall be equivalent to a personal service of notice on the parties.

A Copy—Teste.

R. T. BROWN, Clk.

July 5, 1860.

Commissioner's Office, Charlestown, July 5, 1860.

The parties interested in the above suit are hereby notified that I have appointed the 7th day August next, at my Office, to execute the above decree, at which time and place they are required to attend.

SAMUEL STONE, Com'r.

Charlestown Academy.

THE Spring session will commence on MONDAY, September 3d, and continue five months.

TERMS PER TUITION

In the Classical and Mathematical Department,	$20 00
English,	15.00
Incidental expenses,	1.00

Extra charge for French.

The course of instruction in this Institution comprises the different studies pursued by youth for the purpose of becoming qualified for business, or admission to advanced standing in our Colleges. Unremitting exertion will be used to render the Institution a thorough one.

☞ Applicants for admission must engage to continue from the day of admission to the end of the session. Pupils from a distance making early application will be provided with Board in the house at the house of the Principal, on reasonable terms. Arrangements will be made to secure the services of a competent Assistant.

JOHN J. SANBORN, Principal.

July 5, 1860—3m.

A Valuable Estate

IN

Rockbridge County, Virginia,

FOR SALE

AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

BY virtue of a Decree of the Circuit Court of Rockbridge, pronounced on the 19th day of April last, in a cause therein pending, between Greenlee Davidson, Adm'r of Joseph Y. Tisdale, Plaintiff and Rebecca Tisdale and others Defendants, we shall proceed on

Wednesday, the 18th of July, next,

to sell at auction, on the premises, that very

Valuable Estate,

of which Joseph Y. Tisdale died seized, lying on the North River, in Rockbridge, adjoining the Rockbridge Bank and containing about

360 ACRES,

This Tract lies upon the Turnpike road from Lexington to the Goshen Depot on the Central Railroad, and is distant from Lexington 11 miles, and 11 miles from the Depot.

For productiveness, it is unequalled by any Farm in Rockbridge. Much of it is level land—all Southern exposure. Hays Creek, a cold and never failing stream, runs through it, furnishing

Fine Sites for Water Power.

There are several fine Springs upon it, and every field may be watered. A considerable portion of the tract may be converted into Meadows. About

30 ACRES IS TIMBERED.

The tract fronts near one mile on North River, and furnishes several desirable locations for summer homes, either for sale or rent. And situated as it is—on one of the chief highways of the County—in one of its most prosperous communities, in sight of Chain Bridge and Natural Bridge, and a joining one of the most Valuable Watering places in Virginia, there is no estate in the County more desirably

ELIGIBLY SITUATED THAN THIS

And it is a remarkable fact, that since it was assigned, with reference to the efficacy of air, coming through Buffalo's Gap, down the River, that it is visited by Spring and Summer boarders when the adjoining farms are suffering for want of calls. Its steps are, therefore, never known to fail.

The improvements are an excellent and capacious

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

handsomely situated on an eminence, fronting on the river—with all Necessary Outbuildings—including pro ably, the largest and best constructed BARN in the County. On the River front are also a

Store-House, Tailor Shop, &c.

On the lower end of the farm is a plain DWELLING HOUSE—and a most eligible building site, in a word, we may safely say, that for productiveness and location, this farm is unsurpassed by any in the county.

TERMS.—Cash in hand sufficient to pay costs of sale, and for the residue, on credit of 1, 2, and 3 years in equal payments, bearing interest from the day of sale, the purchaser giving bonds therefor with good security, and the legal title retained until the purchase money is paid.

A Plat and survey will be exhibited on the premises, near the Bells.

Address the undersigned at Lexington, Va.

JAS. D. DAVIDSON,
GREENLEE DAVIDSON,
Commissioners.

June 28, 1860—4t.

Commissioner's Sale.

PURSUANT to an order of the Circuit Court of Berkeley, on the case of John H. Boltz vs George I. Boltz, Adm'r., the undersigned, Special Commissioner, appointed thereby, will expose to Sale, at Public Auction, on the premises, on the

SATURDAY, the 28th JULY, 1860,

the following property, viz:

The HOME FARM of which George I. Boltz died seized, in the county of Berkeley, and upon which John H. Boltz now resides—containing about

250 ACRES,

one-third in Timber. The land, which is slate soil, is under good cultivation and fencing. It is well supplied with a dwelling and spring. The Dwelling House is weather-boarded and commodious—it has a good Barn and Blacksmith's Shop upon it, with the other usual outbuildings. There are eight or ten acres of good Meadow in the tract. The Middleway and Gerardstown turnpike passes through the land.

—ALSO—

A House and Lot of Two Acres adjoining, on the North side of the Farm.

The Farm and the House and Lot will be sold separately. The Dower of the Widow of George I. Boltz, dec'd, will be included in the Sale.

Possession to be given on the confirmation of the sale, or on the Court may order at its September Term next.

TERMS:—Ten per cent of the purchase money on the day of sale, twenty-three and one-third per cent thereof on the first day of the September term next of said Court, and the residue in equal instalments at twelve and eighteen months, with interest on all deferred payments, the last cash payment from the day of sale—the purchaser executing a Trust Deed, conveying the property to secure the same.

An arrangement can, doubtless, be hereafter made, with the sanction of the Court, to pay the purchase money on the last payment, if it is paid during life of the widow.

EDMUND PENDLETON,
Special Commissioner.

June 14, 1860—4t.

Virginia, Jefferson Co, to-wit:

In the Circuit Court, May 31, 1860.

Manor Hunter, } Plff.
vs.
Joel B. Moore, Margaret E. Moore, Susan Moore, Nathan S. White, Trustee, John Chamberlin, James Burr, James V. Moore, Andrew Hunter, Trustee, Daniel B. Hastings Benjy Hunter, Trustee, and Wm. Hurst, } Defendants

IN CHANCERY.

ON motion of the Defendants, Wm. Hurst, Joel B. Moore and James Burr, leave is given to them generally, to file their answers in this cause—which answers, being filed and answers, and the Plaintiff replied thereto generally. And more than one month having elapsed since the filing of the bill and the service of the process upon each of the Defendants, and they still failing to appear and answer, the bill is taken for confessed as to each of them.

And the cause coming on now to be heard upon the bill and exhibits, and the answers as named above, was argued by Counsel. Upon consideration whereof the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that this cause be referred with instructions to ascertain and report.

1st. The amount due to the Plaintiff from the Defendant Joel B. Moore, as chargeable on the lands of Joel B. Moore, in the bill mentioned, on account of the several tracts therein referred to and any other liens to favor of any other parties chargeable thereon, and to info and the Commissioner is directed, in the usual manner by proper publication in one of the newspapers published in Charlestown, to call before him the creditors of Joel B. Moore, whose debts may constitute liens on said land, and he shall also report the probable and annual value of the share in said lands of the Defendant, Joel B. Moore, as the share shall be allotted to him as heir in all or proximate.

2d. The Commissioner is further directed to ascertain and report the priorities of the several liens of the said Joel B. Moore, which are chargeable as liens upon said land, and on call such other matters as he may deem pertinent, or as he may be required to state specially by any of the parties.

And it is further adjudged, ordered, and decreed that Gerard D. Moore, Charles Van and John C. Willshire or any two of them be and they are hereby appointed Special Commissioners, with instructions to make partition of the lands in the bill mentioned between the Defendants, Joel B. Moore, Margaret Moore and Susan Moore, giving to each, one equal share, according to the quality as well as quantity. And in making said partition they are authorized to provide for secures of the County Surveyor, if they deem it necessary, and report said partition to the next term of court.

And the Commissioner in Chancery who shall execute the foregoing order of sale, is authorized to give notice of the hour and place of proceeding with the same, by advertisement in one of the newspapers published in Charlestown, for four successive weeks, such advertisement to be equivalent to personal service of notice upon the respective parties.

A Copy—Teste.

R. T. BROWN, Clk.

July 5, 1860.

Commissioner's Office, Charlestown, July 29, 1860.

The parties interested in the above decree are hereby notified that I have appointed the 9th day of August, at my Office in Charlestown, on Thursday, the 21 day of August, 1860, I will proceed to execute the decree, at which time and place they are required to attend. Given under my hand as Commissioner of said Court.

LAWSON BOTTS.

AYER'S CATHARTIC PILLS.

Are you sick, feeble and bilious, with the blues, or do you want a cathartic? Are you out of health, and need a physic to purify and regulate your sluggish system? These pills are often the prelude to health and happiness to the sick and suffering victims of impure blood and disordered digestion. Their virtues are known by family use of the high priced Pills, which they have superseded in public favor. Sugar-coated, they are free from nauseating taste, and are the most agreeable cathartic in the market. Being purely vegetable, they are perfectly wholesome, and may be taken by children or invalids without danger. Their action is gentle, but sure. By purgeing the foul humors from the blood, and stimulating the vital energy, they cure many complaints which are the consequence of its impurity. Among the ailments they cure are Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Dysentery, Costiveness, Piles, Rheumatism, Gout, Neuralgia, Dropsy, Worms, Erysipelas, Eruptions, Tumors, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scurvy, Ulcers, Blotches, Boils, Pimples, Pustules, Blains, Sores, Mercurial Disease, Scrofula, or Kings Evil, Consumption, Liver Complaint, Dropsy, Female Weakness, Suppressions, Irregularities, Pain in the Side, Back and Limbs, Jaundice, Tetter, Ringworm, Dyspepsia, Nervous Debility, Sleeplessness, Nervous Irritability, Neuralgia, Tumors, Dysentery, Diarrhoea, Piles, Dropsy, Erysipelas, Eruptions

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