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ORANGE AND ALEXANDRIA RAIL ROAD.

THE TRAIN leaves Alexandria daily at 7¼ o'clock, A. M., for Gordonsville, connecting with the trains on the Virginia Central Railroad for Richmond and the West, and with the trains on the Manassas Gap Railroad, for Woodstock and intermediate points.

The TRAIN leaves daily, (Sunday night excepted,) at 8 o'clock, P. M., for Richmond, New Orleans, Memphis, and intermediate points.

Through tickets at the Railroad Station.

An accommodation train leaves Gordonsville daily (Sunday excepted,) for Alexandria at [illegible] A. M., arriving at 9.30. A. M. A daily train leaves Gordonsville at 10.30. A. M., arriving at 4 o'clock, P. M. J. R. NICKLIN, [illegible]—tf Ticket Agent.

MANASSAS GAP RAIL ROAD.

PASSENGERS for this Road will leave the Alexandria Station, in the Orange Train at 7¼ A. M. daily (Sundays excepted.) [illegible]—tf EDW. GREEN, Treasurer.

ALEXANDRIA & WASHINGTON R. ROAD.

*SUMMER SCHEDULE.*

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, *the 7th inst.*, the Trains on this Road, with their Omnibuses will connect with the trains arriving and departing on the Orange Road, and the Washington Branch of the Baltimore Road.

The office of the Company in Alexandria, is at their Depot, corner of St. Asaph and Princess streets.

The office in Washington, is at the Hat and Cap store of Samuel Stinemetz, corner of Louisiana Avenue and Seventh street, near Pennsylvania Avenue, and immediately opposite the Seaton Hotel. Ladies and others while waiting will find comfortable accommodations.

Passengers will leave Alexandria for Washington in the Cars, at the following hours, viz: —4.10, 7, 8.10, 9.10, 10.10, 11.10, 12.10, A. M., and 2.10, 3.10, 4.10, 5.10, and 7.10 o'clock, P. M.

Passengers from Washington to Alexandria, will take the Omnibuses at the office of the Company, as follows.—6, 6.50, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12 o'clock, A. M., and 2, 3, 4, 5, and 7 o'clock, P. M.

An Omnibus will leave the Capitol gate on every Wednesday evening, and the corner of Pennsylvania Avenue and 14th street every Saturday evening, at 7 o'clock.

Omnibuses, with an attentive Baggage Master, will await the arrival of the Trains in each City. In Alexandria, the Omnibuses will stand just outside the Depot of the Orange Road. Persons wishing to take this line will purchase no tickets on the Orange Road.

Passengers for the Orange Road from Washington, will find a comfortable breakfast ready for them at the Long Bridge Station.

This is the quickest route between Washington and Alexandria, and passengers may rely on making all connections advertised, and starting at the times mentioned.

Fare between the Orange and Baltimore Depots ....35 cents.
St. Asaph st. Depot to Baltimore Depot 25 "
Do do. Washington office .20 "
Do do. Long Bridge Depot .15 "

Light articles, or bundles, will be forwarded between Alexandria and Washington, from the office in either place. Heavy freights will be transported over the road, if delivered at the Depot in Alexandria, or at the Long Bridge Station.

Passengers by 4.10 A. M. trains, will be called for by leaving their names at Latham's office. je 4—d2w

FALL AND WINTER ARRANGEMENTS. 1857.

**ADAMS' EXPRESS COMPANY**

INVITE the attention of the public to the facilities afforded by this Company, for the quick and safe conveyance of Specie, Bank Notes, valuable packages, heavy and bulky freight, &c.

EXPRESSES for the East, to Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Boston, Providence, Hartford, &c., leave our office daily, at 2, P. M.

EXPRESSES for the South, to Richmond, Fredericksburg, Petersburg, Lynchburg, and for points in North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, and Tennessee, leave daily at 2 P. M.

Our EXPRESSES are always accompanied by careful and trustworthy messengers, and the public can rely upon all business entrusted to us being done with safety, punctuality, and despatch.

RATES.—On heavy freight from Baltimore, 5 cents ⅌ 100 lbs.; from Philadelphia, $1; from New York, $1.50.

No packages of goods taken by weight, unless weighing over 200 lbs.

feb 26—tf R. W. FALLS, Agent.

THE steamer GEORGE PAGE will run as follows:
Leave Alexandria at 4, 8, 10, 12 o'clock, A. M., 2, 4 and 6 o'clock, P. M.
Leave Washington at 6, 9, 11 o'clock, A. M., 1, 3, and 7 o'clock, P. M.

The THOS COLLYER, when on the route, will run at opposite hours. FARE 13 CENTS.

WHALEY'S OMNIBUSES connecting with the PAGE and COLLYER, will leave the Capitol and corner of 12th street and Pennsylvania Avenue, the same time the boats leave Alexandria. RICHARD WALLACH, [illegible] 4—tf President.

THE WASHINGTON, ALEXANDRIA, AND GEORGETOWN STEAM PACKET COMPANY.—The steamer *COLUMBIA*, Capt. James Harper, will leave Baltimore on Saturday, at 4 o'clock, P. M. Returning leave Alexandria every Wednesday morning, at 7 o'clock.

The steamer *DIAMOND STATE*, Capt. J. Erwin, will leave Baltimore every Wednesday at 4 o'clock, P. M., and returning, leave Alexandria on Saturday, at 3 o'clock, P. M. For freight, apply to WHEAT & BRO., Agents.

All way freight will be required invariably in advance. mh 2—tf

FOR PHILADELPHIA.—The regular packet Schr. RING DOVE, Johnson, master, will sail on Saturday. For freight, apply on board, or to S. SHINN, [illegible] 3—3t No. 4, South Wharves.

WINDOW SHADES.—Just received per Express, a new assortment of Painted and Gold WINDOW SHADES, Lace and Muslin Curtains, Buff, Green, Drab, Blue, and White Plain Shades, Cornice Bands, Pins, &c., &c., and will be offered at prices to suit the times, at J. P. CLARKE'S Window Furnishing Store, No. 155, King-street. ap 28

**WOOL, purchased by** je 4 **RIDGELY, HAMPTON & CO.**

## BUSINESS CARDS.

GEORGE SIGGERS, *BOOK BINDER, No. 73 Prince street, opposite the Gazette Office, Alexandria, Va.*—MUSIC, MAGAZINES, AND OLD BOOKS BOUND IN ANY STYLE.

N. B. I also RULE and MAKE TO ORDER any description of BLANK BOOKS, which I will warrant to be made of the best paper and materials, and bound in the strongest manner. Bank Officers, Bankers, Merchants, Clerks of Courts, Hotel Keepers, Insurance Companies, and all who want BLANK BOOKS are respectfully invited to give me a call. jan 2—tf

JOHN H. PARROTT, *BOOKSELLER AND STATIONER,*

ALSO, sole Agent in this place, and this region of Virginia, for the sale of WORCESTER'S CELEBRATED PIANOS, and CARHART & NEEDHAM'S MELODEONS; keeps constantly on hand a well-selected Stock of STATIONERY. Also, the largest Stock of MUSIC and MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS ever offered in this market. [jy 3—tf] JOHN H. PARROTT.

FITZPATRICK & BURNS, **FAIRVIEW COTTON WORKS,** NEAR THE CANAL BASIN, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Manufacturers of Matresses Patent Spring, Hair, Cotton, Husk, and Moss: Cotton Warp, Cotton Twine, and Cotton Bats.

☞ Any description and size made to order at short notice.

☞ An assortment of the above articles always on hand. ap 3—tf

**THOMAS S. JAMIESON,** *MACHINIST and IRON FOUNDER,* ☞ CORNER OF ROYAL AND WILKE STREETS. ☜

IS PREPARED to execute orders for STATIONARY STEAM ENGINES, BOILERS, Mill Gearing, Shafting, Pulleys and Hangers, Pumps, Fans, Slide and Hand Lathes, Drill Presses, Wrought or Cast Railing, Columns and Girders, Gas or Water Pipe, and MACHINERY of every description. Superior CASTINGS made to order at short notice, and on reasonable terms. On hand, several STEAM ENGINES, eight horse power, and eight or ten LATHES, to which the attention of those in want is requested. mh 26—1y

GAS-FITTING ESTABLISHMENT.—*WILLIAM COGAN, Practical Gas-Fitter, Fayette Alley, Alexandria*, proposes to open a branch of his establishment at CHARLOTTESVILLE, where, as here, he will attend to GAS-FITTING in all its branches. Stores, Dwellings, Churches, Machine Shops and Public Buildings fitted up on the most approved plans, and at reasonable prices. He is also prepared to furnish Steam Pipe, Steam Guages, and Steam Cocks. Contracts will be made for work, and fixtures of any kind supplied at the lowest rates.

☞ ALL WORK WARRANTED. ap 28—1y

JENKINS & LAMBDIN, *MANUFACTURERS OF SASH, DOORS, SHUTTERS, BLINDS, and FRAMES*, keep constantly on hand a large assortment of the above named articles, and will sell them, (quality considered,) as cheap as they can be bought in the United States.

☞ All orders promptly attended to. Circulars of sizes and prices furnished, on application. Address JENKINS & LAMBDIN, cor. of Queen and Fairfax-sts., Alex., Va. ap 21—eoly

J. TACEY, *PAPER-HANGER, UPHOLSTERER, GILDER, and HOUSE DECORATOR IN GENERAL*, whilst returning his grateful acknowledgements to his numerous friends for their very liberal encouragement during the two years he has been amongst them, assures them that it will be his continued effort to serve them with promptness, and at moderate charges, at his old stand, No. 149, north side King street, Alexandria. mh 29

D. S. GWIN & SON, GENERAL COMMISSION, GROCERS AND FORWARDING MERCHANTS will devote strict attention to the sale of FLOUR, WHEAT, CORN, and all kinds of Country Produce—to the purchase of Guano, Plaster, &c., and to every thing pertaining to our line of business. No. 6 Union street, Alexandria, Va. aug 14—tf

CUTHBERT POWELL W. LEVIN POWELL. (late of Loudoun.)

POWELL & CO., *GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS*, DEALERS IN WINES, TEAS, LIQUORS, SEGARS, &c., *corner King and Union streets, Alexandria, Va.*

☞ Strict personal attention given to the sale of all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE. All orders filled with despatch. my 19—tf

C. J. WISE. L. E. GREENE.

FINE GROUND PLASTER. 2240 POUNDS TO THE TON, constantly ground and for sale by WISE & GREENE, at the Franklin Steam Mills, Alexandria, Va. CALCINED PLASTER always on hand.

☞ Counting Room, No. 4 South Union street. my 5—d1y

C. C. BERRY, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC NOTIONS, FANCY GOODS, &c., *No 72, King-street*, is now receiving a large and well selected stock of FALL GOODS, to which he calls the attention of dealers and others visiting our city, as he is satisfied that he can furnish them goods upon as good terms as any house further North. sep 11

E. W. KINCHELOE. SIDNEY BRUIN.

KINCHELOE & BRUIN, *GROCERS and COMMISSION MERCHANTS, No. 49 Union-street*, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

☞ FARMERS may rely upon having their personal attention to all produce entrusted to them. jy 17—tf

P. H. HOOFF, ALEXANDRIA VA., *FLOUR, GRAIN & GROCERY MERCHANT*, has removed to No. 58 SOUTH OF PRINCE, AND ON UNION STREET. Particular attention will be given to all consignments of Produce. PLASTER, SALT, and GROCERIES furnished at current rates. jy 26

JOHN S. KNOX, JR. ROBERT F. KNOX.

KNOX & BROTHER. (Successors to D. Hume & Co.) *Grocers, Commission and Forwarding* MERCHANTS. No. 27 King-street, Alexandria, Va. mh 11—tf

A CARD.—W. J. HIGDON, for the present can be found at W. E. ATWELL'S, 124, King-street. All orders in HOUSE, SIGN, and ORNAMENTAL PAINTING, promptly attended to. Orders from the country particularly requested. feb 16—tf

E. S. ADDISON, JR. H. SIDNEY WALLACE. JNO. ADDISON.

ADDISON, WALLACE & CO., DEALERS IN *AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, SEEDS and MANURE. No. 13 Union street. (Addison & Howard's old stand.)* ALEXANDRIA, VA. ☞ Orders solicited. jan 6—tf

T. A. BREWIS. ANTHONY LAWSON

T. A. BREWIS & CO., WHOLESALE AND RETAIL *GROCERS, LIQUOR AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS*, CAMERON STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA. mh 11—tf

M. ELDRIDGE, *GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT and SHIP BROKER*, also, Agent for the Boston, Alexandria, and Georgetown regular line of Packets. Union Wharf, Alexandria, Va. nov 4—tf

WILLIAM H. MUIR, MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF CABINET FURNITURE, CHAIRS, MATTRESSES, LOOKING GLASSES, &c., *corner of King and St. Asaph streets, Alexandria, Va.* je 2—1y

GEO. H. ROBINSON. THOMAS E. PAYNE.

ROBINSON & PAYNE, Grocers, Commission and Forwarding Merchants, Prince Street Wharf, Alexandria, Va. oct 8—tf

## BUSINESS CARDS.

J. D. CORSE. W. D. CORSE.

BANKING, EXCHANGE, AND COLLECTION OFFICE OF **CORSE BROTHERS,** *No. 93, Exchange Block.*

WE will make Collections on all accessible points in the United States, and hold proceeds subject to Check, or remit promptly to any designated point.

We will deal in *Exchange, Time Bills, Promissory Notes, Uncurrent Money, Coin, &c.*

STOCKS and other SECURITIES bought and sold on Commission, and LOANS negotiated upon favorable terms. Interest allowed to Depositors.

A varied experience of many years in this business, enables us to offer our services with confidence to the public. feb 19—tf

RIDGELY, HAMPTON & CO., WHOLESALE DEALERS IN TEAS, TOBACCO, and LIQUORS.

Beg leave to call the attention of dealers to their large and well selected stock of goods, which they offer for sale at the very lowest rates, and upon the most accommodating terms. Alexandria, mh 19—tf

THOMAS CLOWES, *No. 146, Corner of King and St. Asaph streets, Alexandria, Va.*, dealer in *GROCERIES, LIQUORS*, Foreign and Domestic; and attends to the sale of all kinds of Produce, Poultry, Butter, Pork, &c. my 6—tf

C. C. BRADLEY, Cabinet, Chair, and Sofa Manufacturer, corner of King and Alfred streets, Alexandria, Va., has constantly on hand, and offers to the public, an excellent assortment of CABINET WARE, SOFAS, and CHAIRS, of every variety, and on the lowest terms, which, for durability and finish, cannot be surpassed. mh 4—1y

JULIUS DIENELT—DENTIST. ALEXANDRIA, VA Office, 49 Royal street, below Prince—Offers his professional services to those desiring them. Particular attention paid to the insertion of Artificial Teeth. nov 5—1y

J. P. CLARKE, dealer in Paper Hangings Shades, and Fixtures, Curtain Hangings, and Venitian Blinds, King street, Alexandria, Va. jy 14—dtf

W. B. RICHARDS, JR., No. 110, KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA., manufacturer of Hooped Skirts, Bonnets, Elastic, Morocco and other Belts, Head Dresses, &c. jy 16

JOHN MARSHALL, *ATTORNEY AT LAW, Alexandria, Va.* ☞ Office on King street, over Taylor & Hutchison's. ap 27—tf

A CARD.—NATH'L. BOUSH, *GROCER and SHIP CHANDLER, No. 3, Irwin's Wharf*, ALEXANDRIA, VA. mh 1

THOMAS PERRY, COMMISSION MERCHANT, No. 5, Janney's Wharf, Alexandria, Va my 28—tf

## HATS, CAPS, BONNETS, &c.

PHENIX HALL, HAT AND CAP ESTABLISHMENT.—THE OPENING SPRING.—Gloomy Winter has now given place to the verdure of Spring. This fact must forcible impress on all, the necessity of taking especial care of the noblest portion of the form divine. "Keep the head cool," says the Philosopher; and to achieve that object, call immediately and examine *JOHN ARNOLD'S* selection of STRAW GOODS, consisting of Panama, Maracaibo, Pedal, Gossamer, Hiawatha, &c., &c.

Attention is particularly asked to the late style of SILK HATS, which comprises every variety of texture and elegance. A FRENCH SLOUCH HAT is offered which cannot be surpassed, and a sight of which is sure conviction. Ladies can be accommodated with every variety of FLAT. The Children's and Infants, fancy STRAW HATS and CAPS are unsurpassed in beauty.

These GOODS are direct from the Importers, and therefore can be sold as cheap as in any retail establishment North.

Ladies RIDING HATS of all styles, and every thing in the trade made to order at the shortest notice. my 12—tf JOHN ARNOLD.

MILLINERY GOODS, FLOWERS, RIBBONS, HATS, &c—*JOHN T. EVANS* has just opened one of the finest stocks of GOODS in the above line that he has ever brought to this market, and as they were purchased on the most favorable terms, he can offer inducements that cannot fail to satisfy the closest buyers.—He names in part BONNETS AND FLATS, of the latest styles: RIBBONS, ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS, &c. Also a large assortment of HATS, of all descriptions, all of which he offers as low as they can be bought this side of New York. Call and see at No. 80, King Street. ap 6

JUST RECEIVED, from New York, to-day a splendid assortment of Mens' and Boys' STRIPED SENNAT HATS. Also 1 case of the CEYLONIA HAT. New style FELT. my 27 J. T. EVANS.

## LUMBER, LATHS, LIME, &c.

RHODES' SUPER PHOSPHATE OF LIME, manufactured from the Formula of DR. JAMES HIGGINS, State Chemist of Maryland. Every lot offered for sale is regularly Analyzed by DR JAMES HIGGINS and CHARLES BICKELL, fully warranted.

In introducing this highly authenticated fertilizer to the Agriculturist of the United States for the year 1858, we forbear any lengthened remarks, as their intelligence is already informed of the value of Bones treated with Sulphuric Acid, producing the bi-phosphate of lime, and thereby yielding the Soluble Phosphoric Acid, the efficient and indispensable nutriment of plants.

As many preparations are offered to the public styled "Super Phosphates," we have made arrangements with Drs. Higgins and Bickell, who will analyze every lot of RHODES' SUPER PHOSPHATE OF LIME, offered for sale, and will report the results to the public.

Pamphlets containing a detailed account will be furnished on application, or forwarded per mail. R. M. RHODES & CO., 141 West Pratt street, Baltimore.

For sale only, by WATERS, ZIMMERMAN & CO. my 22—1m

600.000 FEET assorted White Pine
250,000 feet Spruce Joist and Scantling
100,000 feet assorted Georgia Pine Timber
100,000 " South Carolina Flooring, Alexandria dressed
400,000 Eastern Laths, just laid in, and for sale by WATERS, ZIMMERMAN & CO. aug 6

LUMBER, COAL, AND WOOD YARD!! *Corner of Union and Queen streets, North*—Where I am prepared to furnish every description of LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATHS, LIME, &c. Also, Oak and Pine Wood, Red and White Ash, and Cumberland COAL, which I am selling low for cash, or on reasonable terms to good customers. [aug 3—tf] U. W. BARKER.

NEGROES WANTED.—I wish to purchase any number of NEGROES, for which I will pay liberal prices. Those wishing to sell, will do well to call on me before selling, at my old stand, at West End, Alexandria, Va. aug 1[illegible]—dtf JOSEPH BRUIN.

REFRIGERATORS, WATER COOLERS STIMPSON'S DOUBLE ICE PITCHERS, PATENT CREAM FREEZERS.—I offer a better assortment of these GOODS than ever before. The "Excelsior Refrigerator" is not surpassed. [ap 22] JOHN OGDEN.

## BOOKS, STATIONERY, &c.

MORE NEW BOOKS.—*Memoir of Captain M. M. Hammond*, of the Rifle Brigade, who lost his life at the Seige of Sebastopol, price $1.

*The Shadow on the Earth*, or Our Father's Voice in taking away our Little Ones, by a Bereaved Parent, with an introduction by N. L. Rice, D. D., Chicago, Illinois, 63 cts.

*The Happy Home*, by Kirwan, author of "Letters to Bishop Hughes," &c., 50 cts.

*The Bow in the Clouds*, and the First Bereavement, by Rev. John Macduff, author of "Morning and Night Watches," "Words of Jesus," &c., 50 cts. Just published by Carter & Brother, and for sale by [je 4] ROBERT BELL.

THE HISTORY OF MINNESOTA, from the earliest French Explorations to the present time, by Edward D. Neill, Secretary of the Minnesota Historical Society, 1 volume 8vo., cloth, $2.50.

Lilly White, a Romance, by Edward Goodwin, 12mo, cloth, $1.

The Last Moments of Murat, translated from the French, 20c.

The Yellow Frigate, or the Two Sisters, by Capt. James Grant, 8vo, paper, 50c.

Diana De Poitiers, by Alexandre Dumas, 2 vols, 8vo, paper, $1.

The Family Wash Book, designed for the use of families and individuals in keeping a correct account with the Laundress, 19c.

The Gentleman's Wash Book, designed to assist him in keeping a correct account with the Laundress, 12c. For sale by JAS. ENTWISLE & SON. my 26 No. 95, King-street.

MORE NEW BOOKS, PAPERS, AND MAGAZINES AT *FRENCH'S Book and Periodical Depot.*

New York Ledger, New York Mercury, New York Weekly, Flag, Pictorial, Waverly Magazine, Leslie's Illustrated Newspaper, Saturday Evening Post, True Flag, Scottish American Journal, Yankee Privateer, and all the Weeklies.

Harper's Weekly, monthly part for June, 20c.

Leslie's Paper, monthly part for June, 25c.

Waverley Magazine, monthly part for June, 25 cts.

The Border League, or the Camp Cabin and Wilderness, by F. C. Gerry, 25c.

The Mormon's Daughter, or Camp Life across the Prairies, by M. A. Avery, 25c.

West Point Cadet, or Turns of Fortunes Wheel, a Story of Love and Military Life, by Ben Perley Poore, 25c.

Diana DePoitiers, or the Kings Mistress, an Historical Romance, by Alexandre Dumas, author of "Monte Christo," "Three Guardsman," "Louisa Vallerie," "Iron Mask," &c., 2 vols, $1.

Robert Oaklands, or the Outcast Orphan, by Leigh Ritchie, author of "Robbers of the Rhine," 25c.

Rival Beauties and Confessions of a Pretty Women, by Miss Pardoe, 50 cts. each, a fresh supply. All the new Books and Papers on hand. je 2

MORE NEW BOOKS, MAGAZINES, AND PAPERS, AT *GEO SIGGERS' Book and Periodical Store, No. 75 Prince street, opposite Gazette Office.*

The Brothers of the Coast, or the Buccaneers of the Antilles, a Wild Story of the Tropics, by John B. Williams, M. D., price 25c.

The West Point Cadet, or Turns of Fortune's Wheel, by Ben Perley Poore, price 25c.

The Border League, a Romance of the West, by Mrs. C. F Gerry, price 25c.

American Family Magazine, 15c.

New York Ledger, New York Mercury, New York Weekly, Ballou's Pictorial, Frank Leslie's Paper, Harper's Weekly, Saturday Evening Post, Weekly Novelette, Waverly Magazine.

All the Magazines for June on hand, and every thing else in the cheap Book and Periodical line. je 2

ALL PARTIES in want of a good EYELET MACHINE, are strongly recommended to use none but LIPMAN'S PATENT IMPROVED, which is decidedly the best ever brought before the public, possessing numerous advantages, viz: It is strong, durable, and not liable to get out of order. It punches the hole well, and to fit the Eyelet, and in one operation clinches the Eyelet on both sides. It saves time, as the papers, &c., need not be reversed, nor turned over to clinch the Eyelet a second time, as is the case with all other Machines.

It is useful to the Merchant in filing away papers, as well as to the Attorney or Conveyancer—the Shoemaker, Tailor, Milliner, and numerous others, and is a very labor-saving machine. [my 13] ROBT. BELL, King-st.

TOILET ARTICLES.—Hair Brushes from 12½ cts up to the finest Buffalo and Whalebone; Teeth, and Finger Brushes: Tuck, Side, Dressing, Pocket, Bonnet, fine Ivory, and India Rubber, fine and long Combs; Soaps, Lilly White, Powder Puffs, &c., received and for sale by [je 1] JOHN H. PARROTT.

BIBLES, HYMN BOOKS, &c.—I have received a new assortment of BIBLES for every day use; also, Methodist, Baptist, and Presbyterian HYMN BOOKS, Prayer Books, Jay's Prayers, Jay's Morning and Evening Exercises, &c. [je 1] JOHN H. PARROTT.

HOUSE FOR RENT.—The dwelling HOUSE, on Prince street, next door east of the Alexandria, Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad office. The house is in thorough repair, and to a good tenant the rent will be made low. Apply at the office of the Gazette. mh 6—tf

VALUABLE DWELLING FOR SALE.—I am authorized to sell a TENEMENT and LOT OF GROUND, on the North side of King street, 95 feet West of Patrick street, fronting on King street 25 feet 5 inches, running back 100 feet, to a 10 feet alley, improved by a two story brick DWELLING. Terms easy. [my 24—d2w] I. LOUIS KINZER.

FOR RENT—A WHARF, in good order, with a LARGE YARD adjoining. This property is well located for a Coal depot, Lumber, or Wood-Yard.

Also, TWO LARGE WAREHOUSES, on the wharf, well adapted for Commission and Shipping houses.

Also, a number of VACANT LOTS, on Union street, very desirable for Plaister lots. For terms, enquire of GREEN & BROTHER. nov 20—tf

STORE FOR RENT.—The new three story BRICK STORE, on the north side of King street, recently occupied by George R. Blacklock as an auction and Dry Goods Store, is for rent. The situation of this property is in a business part of the city, and its complete arrangements for any kind of mercantile business, renders it very desirable. Apply next door, to HULST & CO., or J. A. MILBURN, corner of King and Washington streets. mh 23—tf

VALUABLE LOT OF GROUND FOR SALE.—I am authorized to sell the LOT OF GROUND, immediately south of the Machine Shop of the Orange and Alexandria Railroad Company. The lot fron's about 88 feet 3½ inches on Henry street, and extends through the whole square to Patrick street. Terms, easy. [ap 30—tf] I. LOUIS KINZER.

NOTICE.—The subscriber, having purchased of A. L. Gregory his entire Stock of Goods and interest in the STOVE and TIN BUSINESS, is prepared to execute, with promptness, all orders for Plain and Japanned TIN WARE, or other work in his line. He will also keep on hand an assortment of Cooking and Parlor STOVES, Parlor Grates, Safes, Refrigerators, Water Coolers, Pumps, &c., together with all other articles usually kept in similar establishments. [mh 15] H. I. GREGORY.

## DRY GOODS, &c.

WE CALL ATTENTION TO
Fine Organdy Lawns: Jaconet Lawns
Berage Robes; Plain Berages
Crape Berages, all colors, very cheap
A beautiful assortment of Goods for Travelling Dresses
Fine real Lace Collars and Sleeves
French Work Muslin and Cambric Collars and Sleeves; Marseilles (for travelling) do. do.; Cambric and Lawn Handkerchiefs; Muslin and Cambric Embroideries, in great variety; Stella Shawls and Scarfs.

To the above, we are every week adding large additions of new and desirable Goods. Received this day, Lawns, Ginghams, Calicoes, Bleached and Bro. Cottons, Drillings, Lace and Silk Mantillas, Marseilles for Basques, White Fringes, Sheetings, &c., &c. my 31 ASHBY & WOOD.

BARGAINS.—*WITMERS & CO.*, have just received:—Berage Robes; Organdy do; Printed Cambrics; French Lawns; Dotted and Figured Swiss Muslins, &c.

Mantles, some very rich and beautiful, new styles.

Parasols, in all sizes and styles.

Black Silks; Elegant Lustre and cheap Domestic Goods.

Walnut Twills and Stripes; Plaid Domestics and Osnaburgs; Domestic Ginghams and Chambras; Irish Linens, and Pillow case do.; Linen Sheetings, Cotton do; Super. Shirting Cottons, &c., &c my 31

MORE NEW GOODS.—Just opened and selling cheap—
Fancy Lawns, from 6¼ to 25 cents
Ginghams, a splendid assortment
Berages, Berage DeLaines, and Challies
Fancy Prints, DeBazes
Summer Tweeds and Cassimeres, for Boy's wear; Bleached Cottons, an excellent article, 10 cts.; Irish Linens, Diapers, and Towelling; Cottonades, Denims, striped Osnaburgs; Hosiery and Gloves, in every variety; with other seasonable GOODS, which have been recently bought on very favorable terms, to which we invite the attention of our friends. my 12 BERKLEY & SHACKLETT.

THE ATTENTION of Dealers generally, is respectfully requested to our stock of DRY GOODS, embracing Fancy Dress Goods, in every variety, with trimmings to match, (some very desirable;) Farmers', Servants', and Housekeeping GOODS, of every grade and description We ask an examination of our stock, believing we can offer inducements both as regards price and quality of GOODS, that will insure satisfaction to the buyer. my 26 TAYLOR & HUTCHISON.

GREAT BARGAINS IN DRY GOODS.—The subscribers, desiring to reduce their stock of GOODS, are now offering to their customers great inducements—Lawns at 8 cents, worth 10 cts; Organdies, (warranted fast colors) 18¾ cts., worth 25 cts.; fancy Calicoes, fast colors, at 10 cts., worth 12½ cts; dotted Swiss, very cheap; bleached Cottons, an excellent article, only 10 cts, with many other GOODS, which will be sold at reduced prices. my 20 J. F. & L. A. LARKIN.

**BRYAN, ADAMS & CO.,**

RESPECTFULLY call the attention of buyers to the following articles, which they offer on accommodating terms—
Brown and Bleached Cottons
Plaid Cottons; Striped Osnaburgs
Calicoes; Ginghams; DeBages
Alpaccas; Lawns; Mouselaines
Pant Stuffs; Vestings; Cloths, &c., with a good assortment of Servant's wear. ap 29

CHEAP CARPETINGS AND MATTINGS.—Hemp Carpets, 18¾ cents per yard; 4 4 Straw Mattings, 25 cents; Wool Filling Carpet, 37½ cts., and others in proportion—all of which must be sold, for want of room. S. & W. MEYENBERG, my 19 Sarepta Hall.

LADIES' MANTLES.—Just received, a fresh supply of MANTLES, of new and beautiful styles. my 26 WITMERS & CO.

SHAKER BONNETS, 12½ cts a piece, at S. & W. MEYENBERG'S, my 28 Sarepta Hall.

## FANCY ARTICLES, &c.

VARIETIES.—Work Boxes; Writing Desks; Cabas; Porte Monaies; Purses; Pearl Card Cases; Coral Necklaces; Shell, Bone, and Quill Teeth Picks; Card Receivers; Pearl Studs, and other notions, received at H. B. WHITTINGTON'S. je 2 No. 82, King-street.

NEW TOILET ARTICLES.—Just received, Glenn's celebrated Verbena and Millefleur Water, Sun Flower and Palm Soap, Ext. Frangipanni, Glenn's Extracts, in small bottles, a very nice article, price 25 cts. per bottle; White and Brown Windsor Soap, and a variety of other articles. Call at my 31 C. C. BERRY'S, No. 72, King-st.

HOOPED SKIRTS.—A supply of Adjustable and Extension Hooped Skirts, which for lightness and beauty of shape, are much admired, just received, and for sale low, by H. B. WHITTINGTON, my 27 No. 82, King street.

WORKING MATERIALS.—French Working and Nun's Cotton, Silk and Worsted Embroidering Braids, Embroidering Silk, Tida Cotton, Flourishing Thread, Gold and Silver Braid, and Slipper Patterns, just received at [my 25] C. C. BERRY'S, No. 72, King-st.

FRENCH AND AMERICAN POMADE, for the Hair; also Barry's Tricopherous; Mrs Morgan's Hair Tonic, and all kinds of Toilet articles, for sale at my 31 RICHARDS', 110 King-st.

CABINET, CHAIR AND SOFA MANUFACTORY, No. 130, *King street, Alexandria, Va.*—Having lately fitted up one of the handsomest and most spacious ware-rooms in the city, for the FURNITURE BUSINESS, I respectfully invite public attention to my large stock of FURNITURE, which I am constantly increasing. Persons visiting our city will find it to their advantage to give me a call as the range of my GOODS in respect to quality and price, is such as to cover the wants and views of all.—My stock comprises Mahogany Sofas, Rocking, Cane and Wood seat Sitting Chairs, Sideboards, Dressing Bureaus, (marble top and plain;) marble top and plain Wash Stands, marble top Sofa, Card, Book and fancy Tables, Cottage Set, Bedsteads, of all patterns; such as high, Fielding, French, low-post, and Trundle Bedsteads, several patterns of Cottage Bedsteads, Hat-racks, Wardrobes, Looking Glasses, and a large number of other articles embraced in the business.

☞ Beds, Bolsters, Pillows, Mattresses, &c., constantly on hand. oct 2—tf JAMES H. DEVAUGHN.

HICKORY, OAK, AND PINE WOOD FOR SALE.—SAMUEL BEACH & SON are now engaged in running their own WOOD to market, consisting of the above named kinds, which they offer for sale, (at their Wood Yard, on St. Asaph street, opposite the Jail, or at the Fish Wharf, where landed,) to their customers and others, cheap for cash; and as they intend to sell for small profits, ask a share of public patronage. SAMUEL BEACH. sep 17—tf JOHN S. BEACH.

WOOL PURCHASED at highest cash prices, by jan 8 HILL, BROWN & PARTLOW.

JUST RECEIVED a fine lot of PINE APPLES, for sale by C. SCHAFER, my 19 Confectioner, No. 3 Fairfax-st.

GRAND COMBINATION OF SANDS, NATHANS & CO'S **PERFORMING ELEPHANTS;** & G. F. BAILEY & Co's **CIRCUS AND MENAGERIE,** Will exhibit at ALEXANDRIA, SATURDAY, JUNE 5TH, 1858.

Doors open at 2 and 7 o'clock, P. M.
Admission only 25 cents. No half price.
G. F. BAILEY ........ Manager & Treasurer.
E. W. PERRY ........ Equestrian Director.
WARD & SMITH ........ Clowns.
S. G. WOOLSTON ........ Ring Master.

One of the prominent features of this Grand Combination, is the performances of the wonderful Educated Elephants, (Antony and Cleopatra) from the Parisian, London, New York, and Philadelphia Theatres—having performed at the last named places for upwards of 100 nights, to crowded houses. The most astonishing display of animal training and instinct ever beheld. They march with military precision; mount a pedestal not over a foot in diameter, ten feet from the ground, where one of them will balance on his hind legs, and perform the most incredible feat of standing upon his head! In the course of the performances, Anthony will play the hand organ, while Cleopatra will dance in perfect time to the music.

The Elephants were brought to this country in March last, by Mr. Sands, personally; having purchased them only by bidding over the greatest wild beast proprietor in the world

The performance will commence with a new and beautiful Cavalcade, entitled, "The Persian Cavalry;" introducing, in a series of rapid evolutions, the world-renowned exercises of that warlike people.

Magnificent Acts of Horsemanship, by Mr. R. Smith.

Gymnastic and Acrobatic Feats, by Mons. Fletcher and Pupils

Elegant Scene Act of Changes, by Mr. B. Stevens.

Feats of Equestrianism on Four Horses, by Mr. Perry.

La Trapeze, or Ærial Gymnasium.

Tumbling, Vaulting, Somersetting, &c.

The following celebrated Artists will distinguish themselves, viz: Messrs. Hazlett, Ward, Smith, the Clowns, Bedeau, Thorne, Stevens, Donalson, Master Charley, &c

Great Two Horse Act, by Mr. E. W. Perry, in which he will carry Miss Isabella Perry (only 5 years old) in various astonishing attitudes.

Feats of Agility on the Slack Rope, by the Clown, J. W. Ward.

Comic Scene on Horseback, by the Clown, J. W. Ward, in which he will personate, with admirable dexterity, all the following characters: The Gipsey, Female Modesty, and Bacchus, god of wine!

R. W. Smith, the great Comic Singer and Jester.

Elegant Act of Lady Equestrianism, by Mad. Adelle Dubois, from the Parisian Circus and London Amphitheatre, in all her tours de grace and agile feats of equestrianism.

The Entertainments will be enlivened and alternated with the performances of the original Bob Ridley, (John Mulligan,) who will sing a variety of popular Negro Melodies and Glees, with Dances, Jigs, &c.

☞ The Entertainments will conclude with a Comic Afterpiece, by the whole Company.

☞ The Company will enter town on the day of Exhibition, at about 10 o'clock, a m, in grand procession, accompanied by the superb American Brass Band, of 12 wind instruments, in their elegant Music Carriage, drawn by Elephants in harness. And after proceeding through the principal streets, will halt at the ground of Exhibition. T. F. TAYLOR, Agent. my 31—dtd

SIXTH ANNUAL EXCURSION OF THE YOUNG CATHOLICS' FRIEND SOCIETY.

The steamer *POWHATAN* has been engaged for an EXCURSION to the Pavilion, at GLYMONT, *ON THURSDAY, the 10th instant.* She will leave Washington at 8 o'clock, A. M., and Alexandria, at 8½ A. M., and 1, P. M. Returning, she will leave Glymont, at 5 and 9, P. M., conveying passengers to Washington each time.

An excellent DINNER and SUPPER, together with ICE CREAM, CONFECTIONERY, &c., will be furnished by the ladies of St. Mary's *Congregation* to all who may desire them.

ESPUTA'S CELEBRATED BAND has been engaged for the occasion, and the Committee pledge themselves to spare no effort to render the occasion a pleasant one to all who may favor them with their presence.

☞ TICKETS for a lady and gentleman, ONE DOLLAR; for a lady, FIFTY-CENTS; for children and servants, TWENTY-FIVE CENTS. Dinner, 50 cents, and Supper, twenty-five cents. The proceeds are to be applied to the erection of a building, to be used as a Free School.

Tickets to be had of John A. Milburn and J. William Bowling, Alexandria; J. F. Ellis, Washington, and J. L Kidwell, Georgetown.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.
Thomas Coyle, Albion Hurdle,
je 3—td Michael D. McOsker.

THE VIRGINIA HOUSE.—The above well known Establishment has been reopened, by the undersigned, who has procured also the services of a Gentleman of much experience in HOTEL management. He is determined to leave nothing undone to make the VIRGINIA HOUSE worthy of an overflowing patronage. Good fare, good servants, and moderate prices may be expected.

The BAR is amply supplied with the best of Liquors, Segars, &c., and is carefully tended.

A very large and well arranged LIVERY STABLE is connected with the Hotel. Horses taken on livery and carefully attended to at moderate rates. THOMAS HUNTINGTON. my 27—eolm

I INVITE CITIZENS and strangers to call at my manufactory, No. 141, King street, between Washington and St. Asaph streets, and examine my large and handsome assortment of SADDLERY GOODS, as I do not intend to be surpassed in my line of business, by any other city. I have on hand, and am daily manufacturing as fine and superior an assortment, as can be found in any of the Northern cities. My stock comprises as great a variety as can be found in any other house, consisting of HARNESS, of all kinds, from the fine quill work down to the dray, cart, and plow Harness—TRUNKS, of every kind, fine SOLE LEATHER, Steel Spring Iron frame Ladies TRUNKS AND BONNET BOXES, and all other kinds down to the common packing Trunks; SADDLES, BRIDLES, MARTINGALES, WHIPS, &c., as fine as the finest; Buffalo and fancy ROBES, DRIVING GLOVES, HORSE COVERS, CARPET BAGS, VALICES, &c., &c., of all kinds. Call and see for yourselves.

Thankful for the very liberal patronage heretofore extended, solicit a continuance of the same, and I pledge myself to spare no pains to give satisfaction. All GOODS warranted to be as represented. WM. F. PADGETT. oct 31—tf

KEROSENE OILS, DISTILLED FROM COAL, (NOT EXPLOSIVE)—*Secured by Letters Patent.*—The different grades of these celebrated Oils, suitable for Machinery of all kinds, Binnacle and Family use, can be had of the undersigned, also of the Wholesale Oil Dealers and Druggists in the city of New York, and of the authorized Local Agent of the Company in this place. AUSTENS, General Agents, Kerosene Oil Company, No. 50 Beaver st., N. Y.

☞ Local Agencies granted on application as above. Orders should specify the description of lamp or machinery for which the Oil is wanted. my 29—eoly

## MISCELLANEOUS READING.

### MANLINESS OF SPEECH.

A lecture recently delivered in Carlisle, England, by the Rev. A. Mursell, contained the following amusing but instructive passage: "The point to which I have next to direct attention is manliness in speech. There are many young men who seem to consider it essential to manliness, that they should be masters of slang. The sporting world, like its brother, the swell mob, has a language of its own; but this dog-English extends far beyond the sporting world. It comes with its hordes of barbarous words, threatening the entire extinction of genuine English. Now just listen for a moment to our fast young man, or the ape of a fast young man, who thinks that to be a man he must talk in the dark phraseology of slang. If he does any thing on his own responsibility, he does it on his own "hook." If he sees anything remarkably good, he calls it a "stunner," the superlative of which of which is a "regular stunner." If a man is requested to pay a tavern bill, he is asked if he will "stand Sam." If he meets a savagelooking dog, he calls him an "ugly customer." If he meets an eccentric man, he calls him a "rummy old cove." A sensible man is a "chap that is up to snuff." A man not remarkable for good sense is a "cake"—a "flat"—a "spoon"—a "stick"—"his mother does not know he is out." A doubtful assertion is to be "told to the marines." A incredible statement is "all gammon." Our young friend never scolds, but "blows up," never pays, but "stumps up"—never finds it difficult to pay, but is "hard up"—never feels fatigued, but is "used up." He has no hat, but shelters his head beneath a "tile." He wears no neckcloth, but surrounds his throat with a "choker." He lives nowhere, but there is some place where he "hangs out." He never goes away or withdraws, but he "bolts"—he "slopes"—he "mizzles"—he "makes himself scarce"—he "walks his chalk"—he "makes tracks"—he "cuts his stick"—or what is the same thing, he "cuts his lucky!" The biggest compliment you can pay him is to tell him that he is a "regular brick." He does not profess to be brave, but he prides himself on being "plucky."

Money is a word which he has forgotten, but he talks a good deal about "tin," and the "needful," the "rhino," and the "ready."—When a man speaks, he "spouts"—when he holds his peace, he "shuts up"—when he is humiliated, he is "taken down a peg or two," and "made to sing small." He calls his hands "paws," his legs "pins." To be perplexed, is to be "flummaxed"—to be disappointed, is to be "dished"—to be cheated, is to be "sold"—to be cheated clearly, is to be "done brown." Whatsoever is fine, is "nobby"—whatsoever is shabby, is "seedy"—whatsoever is pleasant, is "jolly." He says "Blessed if he does this," "blowed if he does that," "hanged" if he does the other thing; or he exclaims "My eyes" "my stars!" If you asked him which were his stars, he would be "flummaxed." Then he swears "By George"—"by the Piper"—on select occasions he selects "the piper that played before Moses." Now a good deal of this slang is harmless; many of the terms are, I think, very expressive; yet there is much in slang that is objectionable. For example, as Archdeacon Hare observes in one of his sermons, the word "governor," as applied to a father, is to be reprehended. I have heard a young man call his father the "relieving officer." Does it not betray on the part of young men great ignorance of the paternal and filial relationships, or great contempt for them? Their father is to such young men merely a governor—merely the representative of authority. Innocently enough, the expression is used by thousands of young men who venerate and love their parents; but only think of it, and I am sure you will admit that it is a cold, heartless word, when thus applied, and one that ought to be forthwith abandoned."

COME AND SEE JOHNSON'S $50 PATENT ELASTIC STITCH, and the DIMOCK LOOPER $15 SEWING MACHINES, now on exhibition, and for sale, at POISAL & STUMP'S Auction House, No. 112, King street, next door to the Marshall House, where you can witness the operation of two of the most valuable household articles ever offered to any community. They are both particularly adapted to family use, as they will sew substantially the coarsest cloth, as also the finest fabric. All persons are invited to call and see their wonderful performance, and have the opportunity of securing their valuable services. Their easy operation, durability and cheapness, puts them within the reach of every family. To give the reader an idea of the simplicity and ease with which they can be managed, we would say, that one hours' instruction only is required to enable the learner to become perfectly familiar with their operations. Give us a call, and if you are satisfied of their value, leave your order, and you shall be furnished with one in every particular equal to those on exhibition, or those on exhibition, if preferred. POISAL & STUMP, Agents.

We are the only authorized Agents for the sale of the above Machines, in the county and city of Alexandria. [my 18—d1m] P. & S.

FRENCH DYEING AND SCOURING ESTABLISHMENT, 249, KING STREET—Crape Shawls, Satins, Silks, Merinos, Woolen and Cotton Goods in general, dyed in any color desired—Carpets, Curtains, Blonds, Laces, Straw Bonnets, Kid Gloves, all kinds of Ladies' and Gentlemen's garments, cleaned in the very best style. The necessary arrangements of this new establishment being now complete, and the co operation of one of the best Dyers, (Mons. SIGOD, from Lyons, France, who has been for a series of years foreman in the well renowned Staten Island Dyeing Establishment in New York,) being constantly secured, all work will be done in the very best manner—will meet with prompt dispatch, and will give satisfaction in every respect to those that will honor the undersigned with their kind patronage. P. SELDNER.

GOODS for the establishment will also be received at P. SELDNER'S Fancy and Millinery Store, 154, King-street. my 21—dom

LIGHT! LIGHT!! LIGHT!!!—THE VESPER GAS LIGHT, is now on Exhibition and for sale at the cheap Auction House, No. 112 *King-street, near the Marshall House.*—This is the cheapest and safest LAMP—no danger of EXPLOSION—and gives a most beautiful GAS LIGHT, far superior to the Gas now in use, and is, without doubt, the most economical Lamp ever brought before the Public. And the cheapness of this Lamp places it within the reach of all. Come one, come all. Leave your orders.—Pay your five dollars, which is the price for the VESPER GAS LAMP, and you will save twenty-five dollars a year by the operation.

☞ We are the only authorized Agents for the Vesper Gas Light in the county and city of Alexandria. POISAL & STUMP, Agents. my 17—d1m

NEW WALL PAPERS AND DECORATIONS.—Just receiving at *J. TACEY'S*, *No. 157, North side of King street*, the very latest styles of WALL PAPERS AND DECORATIONS, direct from the manufacturers, which will be disposed of very low to prompt purchasers. [mh 31] J. TACEY

**WOOL, purchased by** je 2 **ROBINSON & PAYNE.**

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# ALEXANDRIA:

SATURDAY MORNING, JUNE 5, 1858.

The news of the EXCITEMENT IN NEW ORLEANS, published yesterday, was most unexpected. Nothing that we had seen in the New Orleans papers for the last few weeks, led us to anticipate any such scenes as are recorded. The Baltimore American speaking of the sudden action of the "Vigilance Committee," says:

"This movement has been made in view of the approaching municipal election, which takes place on Monday next, and has been effected by the managers of the party which has nominated "the independent ticket," upon which G. T. Beauregard is named for Mayor. New Orleans, it is well known, has been American in its municipal government for some years past, while the State government is Democratic. In view of the alleged outrages and violence which deterred many persons of the Democratic party from voting, the Democratic State Legislature, some time ago, passed a law to regulate elections in New Orleans. It was of a very stringent nature, and put the conduct of the elections under the control of a State officer. The attempt to carry it into effect last fall was, however, a failure. The election itself was a quiet one, but it was preceded by acts which effectually intimidated a certain portion of the population from going near the polls. The Independent party was formed to overcome this state of things. They seem to have organized thoroughly and to have taken measures to secure possession of the municipal government at the ensuing election. It has been evident from the tone of the notices published by their Executive Committee that the contest was to be an earnest and bitter one, but the formation of a Vigilance Committee seems to have been a sudden and unsuspected movement. They have assumed a fearful responsibility in taking such a step. The Common Council of the city have evinced a determination to maintain their rights, and, as in any event a large proportion, if not a majority of the population, will be with them, unless the so-called Independent movement has been of so sweeping and general a character as to amount almost to a unanimity, of which there is neither intimation nor evidence, a sanguinary and horrible conflict may occur."

Secretary Cobb has replied to an application to clear a vessel from Charleston for the coast of Africa, "for the purpose of taking on board African emigrants, in accordance with the emigrant passenger laws, and returning with the same to the United States." Mr. Cobb directs the collector of the port of Charleston not to grant a clearance to the vessel, as the conviction is irresistible that the object of the proposed enterprise is to bring these "African emigrants" into the country with the view either of making slaves of them, or of holding them to service or labor. If so, it is an attempt to evade the laws of the country on the subject of African importation.

The Evening News attributes the application of Messrs. Lafitte & Co., who applied for this clearance, to a desire "to test, probably for others, certain supposed doubtful questions on the importation of negroes from Africa," and says:

"We not only regard the Secretary's letter conclusive on every phase and point of the question involved, and that it is the only proper and statesmanlike response to the application which the Administration could give, but looking at the case on its face, as an effort to enter for the importation of wild and savage Africans, never mind in what character or for what purpose, into this country, we deprecate and condemn it at large."

The New York Tribune and Evening Post are accused of being the only American papers which justify the late British outrages and aggressions on our peaceful merchantmen, navigating our own coasts. This course is not much to be woundered at in some of the sectional partisan papers, whose insane enmity to the southern section of their country leads them to justify the hostile acts of her enemies, who profess to be actuated by motives of philanthropy and particular love for the poor African!

The Albion, a British paper, published in New York, takes very high ground, in favor of the British aggressions; much higher than the Canada papers, and in all probability than even the London Times does at this moment, as we shall perhaps see in a few days. It is not an uncommon thing for some people to out Herod Herod. Whoever has a file of the Albion, as far back as the year 1823 will find on reference, that the invasion of Spain by the French, to put down the Spanish Constitution was justified to the fullest extent by that paper. The tune was changed as soon as it was found that the British ministry and papers were opposed to the course of the Holy Alliance. Perhaps we shall see a change of tune again on the part of the Albion, in a short time.

The House of Representatives, on Friday, allowed the *introduction* of a resolution by Mr. Davis, of Mississippi, requiring the President to give instructions to our navy to arrest all offending vessels until an ample and full reparation is made by the British Government for the outrages committed, and guarantees are given for exemption from visitation.

Mr. CLAY, of Kentucky, said the Committee on Foreign Affairs already had the subject before them, and, in reference to the telegraphic despatch published in the papers of the morning, they were now seeking information and expected to make a report to the House so soon as it might be confirmed. Subsequently, Mr. CLAY, of Kentucky, asked to be excused from further service on the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for the reason that he had been refused the privilege of introducing a resolution in relation to recent outrages on the American flag, while that privilege had to-day been granted to a gentleman who was not on the committee. He congratulated the House and the country at the same time, that the subject had got before the House.—The House voted to excuse Mr. Clay: Ayes 92, noes 53.

We have still further accounts of the overhauling of our merchant vessels in the Gulf, by the British cruisers, whilst British vessels are suffered to pass unmolested by these same men-of-war.

The St. Louis Republican has an article upon the St. Louis and Iron Mountain railroad, speaking of the great benefits to accrue from the road, "as bringing the vast ores of the Iron Mountain, the Pilot Knob, and Shepherd's Mountain, directly to St. Louis, there with the aid of coal and capital to be converted into iron, in all its shapes, and to be sent abroad at prices defying competition."

But it adds:—"The idea that we can stop this enterprise at the Pilot Knob, only seventy miles from our Southern boundary line, when we can, by a little more effort, connect ourselves with Memphis and New Orleans, and Charleston and *Alexandria*, is not to be entertained. We must go on with this road—not after a while, but now. Our Southern friends who are said to be even more careful and circumspect in matters of this kind than we are, have already a continuous line of railroad from New Orleans to Jackson, in Mississippi. Other parts of the road from Jackson to Memphis are completed, and a year more will see a complete line of railway communication between New Orleans and Memphis."

It seems that the location and advantages of Alexandria, are not ignored in the great West, when considering and speaking of the important railroad connections and extensions going on there and in the South.

In the Senate, Mr. Douglas has introduced a bill to revive and put in force the act of the 3d of March, 1839, in relation to the northeastern boundary, with such modifications as to make it applicable to the present controversy in regard to the right of search and visitation. The bill thus revived, puts at the disposal of the President, to be used when necessary to resist the claims of Great Britain, the naval and military forces and the militia of the United States, and authorizes him to call into the service 50,000 volunteers. It also puts at his disposal ten millions of dollars, with the right to borrow the same; also, if he deems it necessary, to send a special ambassador of Great Britain. The act to continue in force for sixty days after the meeting of the next Congress.

The bill confers these powers in precisely the same language as the act of 1859, except that it strikes out the word "boundary," and inserts "visitation and right of search," and a few other verbal alterations; conferring the same powers in fact on President Buchanan as were conferred on President Van Buren.

At a late meeting of the Farmers' Club of the American Institute, in New York, several members made strong appeals for the preservation of small birds. Larks, in particular, render highly important service by destroying the seeds of noxious plants and the larvæ of the wheat fly. A paper emanating from a society for preserving useful animals enumerates many kinds of birds which are of the greatest advantage, in similar ways, to the farmer. The dog nuisance was also discussed, and denounced. It was said that the first reaping machine was made by the Gauls, before the time of Julius Cesar. By the description, it was something like the Illinois header, being pushed before the team, and gathering the heads, leaving the straw standing in the field. Wood mould was recommended as a fertilizer for strawberries.

It was briefly announced a few days ago, that the Duchess of Orleans, widow of the late Duke of Orleans, Louis Phillippe's oldest son, who came to such a lamentable end in 1842, died on the 18th of May, at Claremont, England, where the exiled royal family have resided ever since the calamities of 1848. The world will receive this announcement with some emotion, for the part the Duchess of Orleans has filled in history is an interesting one. All will recollect the appearance of the Dutchess in the French Chamber of Deputies in 1848, after the expulsion of Louis Phillippe, with her children by her side—when the cry of "it is too late," prevented the adoption of a Regency, and destroyed all her hopes.

In relation to the recently published "Programme" of what purported to be the "People's Party," the Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia North American, says: "A political programme has obtained publicity, professing to represent a conference held here, which was either attended or sanctioned by leading men in the old parties, including such names as Crittenden, Bell, Marshall, and the like. It is within my personal knowledge that these gentlemen and others, pretended to be represented, gave no authority. The programme was brought to me and carried to the Intelligencer, and declined, because it was endorsed by no responsible names."

The House of Representatives has concurred in an important bill from the Senate, to extend the act of 3d February, 1853, granting half-pay to certain widows, and orphans so as to continue such pensions to the widows during life, or as long as they remain unmarried, and to the orphans where there is no widow, until they attain the age of sixteen years. The House also concurred in the amendment of the Senate to the bill authorizing the issuing of certain bounty land warrants to the legal representatives of deceased persons entitled thereto. The warrants are declared to be personal chattels, and can only be assigned for the benefit of the heirs, or legatees.

The Warrenton Whig gives an amusing account of last "election day," at Salem precinct, in Fauquier county, celebrated, the Whig says, "days gone by, for its fast race horses, its Free State fighting men, its Free State fighting women, and its extraordinary game chicken cocks, still retaining something of its ancient renown." The "treating" and "drinking" were immense; bystanders were made "candidates" for the nonce, nolens volens; "ginger brandy" was in great request —the dinner at Mr. Maddux's Hotel was excellent—and adds the Whig:—"As the day wore away the influence of the corn juice continued to increase, and at 3 o'clock, when circumstances forced us to "travel" for Warrenton, nearly the entire population at that time on the ground were high. Late in the evening a friend informed us that additional recruits were brought in from "the State" and the ceremonies of the occasion were closed by a grand and terrific Battle Royal, in which innumerable black eyes and bloody noses were prominent. It is due, in conclusion, to remark that none of the inhabitants of the Village proper participated, but, that all the row originated with the State inhabitants, who, considering it was a fine day, concluded they had the privilege of a free fight, and were counted in, a large number before night were also counted out —in the street. If we live until next election we propose to spend the day again in Salem."

An effort has been made in both Houses of Congress to extend the present session, which was to end by resolution on Monday next. The Senate has a adopted a resolution extending the session to Monday, the 14th; and the House subsequently amended this resolution by substituting Thursday, the 10th.

*The figures*, in an abstract from the Treasury Report, published under our Commercial head, convey an unanswerable argument in favor of a fair and proper encouragement of our Home Industry, as necessary for the welfare and financial prosperity of the country. They deserve to be looked over and considered. How can our manufacturers and mechanics ever thrive as they should do, with such immense drains upon our resources, going into the pockets of European manufacturers?

Attorney General Black, in answer to certain inquiries of the Secretary of the Interior, says, that it has never been doubted that, as a general principle, Virginia land warrants ought to be settled and adjudicated, according to the laws of Virginia, only by such tribunals as she may see proper to charge with that duty. What the soldier is entitled to is a question of State law. The Secretary, therefore, cannot go behind the adjudication of the Governor and Council, which is in the nature of a judicial exposition of the law, and therefore binding.

The police of New York, on Monday night, made a descent upon a disorderly house in that city, a low groggery, and apprehended nineteen young men and boys, rowdies and ruffians, of the worst description, who for some time past, had been assembling there, and keeping the neighborhood in a state of disquiet by their hideous yellings and hootings. Unprotected females passing there have been seized and dragged into the house, to be outraged. Four of the parties arrested were aged 15, five were 16 years old, and of the remainder, the oldest was 20.

We wait for confirmation of the news published yesterday, that Gov. Cumming had been expelled from Salt Lake City, and that the Mormons had determined upon armed resistance to the United States authorities.—Two Mormons, it is also stated, had arrived at Fort Leavenworth, bringing despatches from Gov. Cumming for Gen. Cass. The United States troops were expected to move toward Salt Lake City about the last of May.

The Union says:—"As no confirmation of the news purporting to have been despatched from Augusta, Ga., relative to an affair in the Gulf of Mexico, was received yesterday, we set it down as a rumor merely, growing out of the excited state of the public mind, rather than resting upon an actual occurrence. In a day or two, we shall doubtless learn the truth about the affair."

Mr. Lewis D. Campbell, late Representative in Congress, from Ohio, declines a public dinner, tendered him by Messrs. Morgan, Humphrey Marshall, Pettit, Sherman, Blair, and Ricaud, of the House of Representatives.

☞ The Culpeper County Items in yesterday's Gazette, should have been credited to the Blue Ridge Republican.

### The British and American Navies.

The Washington Union gives a statement showing the available value of our navy for war purposes. The available force is 42 vessels, carrying 789 guns, as follows: Frigates 3, 150 guns; sloops 21, 388 guns; brigs 3, 16 guns; steam frigates (screw) 5, 172 guns; steam sloop (screw) 1, 13 guns; steam light (screw) 2, 11 guns; paddle steamers 7, 39 guns. There are in the navy ten line of battle ships, from 120 to 84 guns, none serviceable; ten 50 gun frigates, three only serviceable, and all of them old-fashioned and by no means a match for English vessels of modern build; four 24-gun sloops of war, five large ships, very heavy guns; four of 22 guns, first-class vessels, heavily armed; the Plymouth, an ordnance ship, fine large vessel; seven 20-gun vessels, old build, and not first class; four 16-gun, old fashioned, five 6 to 4 guns, very inferior vessels; six screw steam vessels, five ready for sea; mounting 8, 9, and 10-inch guns, and would be a full match for any 100-gun ship in the English navy; San Jacinto, 13 guns, and effective screw steamer, five screw steamers not yet afloat, averaging 2000 tons each and heavily armed; two small screw steamers, hardly fit for war uses; four paddle steamers, fine vessels, capable of doing good service, with nine or ten other ships of inferior character. Against this available force of 42 vessels, with 789 guns, Great Britain has some ninety vessels of the line carrying from seventy-two to one hundred and thirty guns, the majority of them screw steamers, carrying long 32s and 8 inch guns, and one 10-inch pivot gun.—Thirty large screw frigates, carrying heavy guns, most of them 8 inch. She is also building a class of steamers, several of which are in the water, designed to cope with our new vessels of the first class. Her present class of screw sloops are large vessels, of from one thousand two hundred to two thousand tons, carrying from twelve to twenty-four heavy 8-inch guns, with one pivot gun. She has about two hundred and fifty light steam vessels, all screw, carrying from two to six heavy guns. Her third and most effective class of vessels are small screw gunboats, ranging from two hundred to three hundred tons burden, with from twenty to sixty horse power, carrying a light eight-inch gun or long thirty-two pounder, and one or two twenty-four or thirty-two pound howitzers.—Besides these, she has between forty and fifty paddle steamers, of various sizes.—Great Britain can place thirty screw steamers of the line, twenty screw-frigates, forty screw-sloops, and one hundred and fifty-lighter steam-vessels on our Atlantic coast, without decreasing the strength of any one of her fleets on other stations, and still, have a large force to hold in reserve.

### Independence Celebration.

We are informed that a committee of gentlemen have been for some time engaged in perfecting a programme for a grand Union celebration of the coming anniversary of American independence. It is thought desirable that there should be a celebration which will furnish more amusement and recreation for the masses than any which has preceded it, and when the programme is completed it will be submitted to the citizens at a public meeting for amendment and approval. It is proposed to invite Major Bacon, (the only field officer in the District elected by his command,) to organize an escort from such companies as may volunteer—to have singing by the German military associations—and to enliven the scene by dancing, by rural sports, and by a regatta on the Potomac.—*Wash. Union*

### The Terrible Tornado in Illinois.

CHICAGO, June 2.—Later accounts received of the terrible tornado which passed over the village of Ellison on Sunday night, state that four persons have since died from the effects of the injuries they received. The names of the killed are as follows:

John Hand and two children; Mr. McWilliams and four children, W. E. Thompson, wife and and child; Mrs. Brazleton and two children; Lavina Lacey; Hiram Johnson and child, and four others, whose names are not known.

The track of the tornado was a quarter of a mile in width and it lasted fifteen minutes.

The funeral of the killed was attended by a very large number of persons, and the ceremonies were of an imposing character.

### News of the Day.

*"To show the very age and body of the* TIMES."

By the arrival of the brig Mahan, Captain Stetson, we have dates from Tampico to the 22d ult. Gen. Vidaurri, with his troops, had retreated to Monterey. Thousands of muskets are said to be on their way from New York to Vidaurri. Zuloaga had established a military tribunal.

The fact that the Derby ministry in England are to retain power for some months at least, is regarded in New York with much satisfaction, in view of the delicate relation of our own government with that nation.—Had Lord Clarendon been restored to power our difficulties would by no means be as easily settled as under the present ministry.

The great yacht race took place at New York on the 4th, and attracted a large concourse of spectators. The Edgar rounded the lower stake first—returning, the Julia, of the first class, rounded the stake first; the Una, of the second class, second and the Edgar of the third class, third. The latter will probably take the first prize, and the other two the prizes of their respective classes. The wind was light and the race lasted over six hours.

The trustees of the Cumberland Mineral Bank give notice that, under the provisions of a special act of assembly, the Court has specified the twentieth day of September next for the final winding up of the affairs of the bank. All persons holding the notes of the bank, consulting their own interest, will file the same with the trustees before the day names. They will be entitled to the dividend of twenty-five per cent., already made, as also whatever dividend made at the final closing of the trust on the twentieth of September next.

During the past week, owing to the unusual quantity of rain, several land slides have occurred on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. The detentions caused by them were of short duration, the company with characteristic energy removing them in a brief time. The road is now in excellent order, so far as slides are concerned, and the running of the trains is maintained with regularity.

A train of cars passed Harper's Ferry on Tuesday last, with a number of gentlemen of literary distinction, and artists, en route, for Wheeling. The object of the visit is to take photographic views and pencil sketches of the most interesting, picturesque and noted points along the line of the road.

The Memphis Ledger says:—"With the subsidence of the waters on the Arkansas shore, mosquitoes are becoming so thick that the sun sets fifteen minutes too soon, its rays being obscured-by the swarming insects as they were by the clouds of arrows at the battle of Pharsalia."

Rev. Dr. Lyman Beecher was lately in attendance at the church of his son, in Brooklyn. Some one, in an address said that the father must feel like Simeon of old, ready to 'depart' in view of what he now saw. The Doctor started to his feet, and said that, so far from it, he never wanted to live so much in all his life as he did now.

Cumberland was visited on Monday evening with another tremendous rain storm.—The streets were flooded, and in many places rendered impassible. Wills's creek rose at the rate of thirty inches per hour, and if the Potomac had been up, the town would have been partially submerged.

The twenty-mile race over the Hamtramck Course, at Detroit, on the 2d inst., between the Buffalo horse Unknown and the Detroit horse Frank Granger, was won by the latter. Time 66 minutes and 50 seconds. The fifty mile race advertised between the same horse did not come off.

The papers detail another Wisconsin railroad swindle, in which it is charged that $525,000 of stock were issued, and not one dollar in cash paid in by the company. The swindle is said to eclipse in its wholesale corruption the old La Crosse operation.

Mayor Tieman, of New York, has proclaimed war against the dogs of that city, and a reward of fifty cents is to be paid for every unmuzzled dog taken alive to the pound, after the 9th inst.

An Englishman writing to Zion's Herald says that the general opinion in England is that Mr. Gough is innocent of all the accusations preferred against him by Dr. Lees, except his love of tobacco.

### Letter from Washington.

*Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.*

WASHINGTON, June 4, 1858.—In conversation with a good many members of Congress on the subject of the site of the proposed National Foundry, I have been gratified to find that there exists among them a general disposition to view with favor the claims of Alexandria. The circular which was prepared by a committee of your citizens, and fully distributed among the members, sets forth a combination of peculiar advantages, and indispensable requisites at your city, which leaves it without a rival, *upon the merits*. These merits, I doubt not, will have their full and proper weight with the Secretary of War, should the selection be devolved upon him; but it is not to be disguised that, in all such matters, there is great danger to be apprehended from powerful combinations of skilful schemers and speculators, swarms of whom are always to be found here, and who possess wonderful keenness and reach of vision in spying out their game, as well as cunning in trapping it. This Foundry location, accordingly, will be pounced upon by one of these gangs, from whom you will doubtless hear more before long. They have the control and disposal of a tract of land at some inaccessible point on the Potomac, far above navigation, and without improved connexions with the interior or any where else, and will soon make a liberal distribution of "lots" ammong skilful and influential brokers in such matters, and in all other respects arrange the plan of operations in the most approved style. The land referred to possesses, it is true, not one single requisite as a site for such an establishment as the Foundry, and is, moreover, one of the sickliest spots under the sun; but I would, nevertheless, advise your people to be on their guard; for the most honest and well meaning public officers may be deceived into a selection of a very unfit location over the best possible one. OBSERVER.

THE SUBSCRIBER wishing to return South offers for sale the place upon which he resides, consisting of TWENTY AND A HALF ACRES, situated in Fairfax County, upon the old Leesburg Road, which separates it from the grounds of the Theological Seminary.

The DWELLING is a two story frame building, (completed in the Fall of 1856,) containing five good sized rooms, exclusive of kitchen, storeroom, and pantry. A well of excellent water at the door.

Its proximity to Alexandria, and the neighborhood affording the best society, makes it desirable, if only for a Summer residence.

*Possession given immediately. For terms, &c., apply either through the Seminary Post Office, or upon the premises, to*

Fairfax Co., jy 27—eotf A. C. N. SMETS.

### The Wonder of the Age.

According to the dispatch appearing in our columns, some days ago, the expedition having in charge the Atlantic Telegraph Cable, would sail from the Irish coast for the mid-ocean, on or about the 10th day of June. If the programme of the Transatlantic Telegraph Company has not been in some untoward style disturbed, the Niagara and Agamemnon are now on the experimental trip, dropping the cable about, to test the working of the paying out and hauling in machinery. The 10th of June, or thereabout, has been chosen for the second great attempt, because it has been ascertained by the most extensive research, amidst written and unwritten marine experience, that starting at about that time the two vessels will reach mid-ocean on or about a day from after which storms rarely occur for many successive days. Good weather, as every one can readily perceive, is a paramount consideration to the expedition. The jeopardies, heart burnings and anxieties will be enough under the most favorable circumstances, even should there not be so much as a breeze.

We notice that the most elaborate and anxious descriptions of what has been done already, towards securing the cable from the fate of last year, abound in the London papers. The same papers also teem with infinite suggestions from the best mechanics and from eminent scientific theorists, concerning the precautions which should be observed in every department of the enterprise and in every stage of its progress. Oftentimes, in reading so many of these excellent and instructive articles and paragraphs, we have felt deeply moved at the visible evidence before us of how the great heart of civilization is roused and excited on behalf of this, the greatest work the world ever saw attempted. From every christian nation anxious prayers go up daily from thousands of anxious souls that God will not view this attempt to span the apparent barriers of His own creation, as He did the project, on the plain of Shinar, to scale the newly completed heavens.

The last number of the London Times goes into a minute review of the plan of the expedition, and affords us a view of the wonderful appliances and the long, patient study which have been brought to bear against all possible accidents. The best talent of America and Europe has, apparently, been exhausted in suggestions and contrivances to guard against the strain on the cable while it is being paid out. After effecting a splice in the middle of the Atlantic, and safely sinking the wire to the bottom of the sea, (a depth of 1,500 fathoms) the Niagara will at once steer for Newfoundland, and the Agamemnon for Ireland, each vessel steaming as fast to her homeward destination as is consistent with safety to the great undertaking.

In case of dangerous weather arising, the first consideration will be, of course, the safety of the cable; and, no matter how advantageous such and such a course of action may appear, nothing will be done by which the success of the undertaking is jeopardized or even left to chance. Each vessel is provided with reels of strong wire rope, which can be attached to buoys made in the manner of ordinary fishing floats, though, of course, capable of sustaining a weight of several tons. Provided with this apparatus, the cable may be cut without reluctance, if ever the weather threatens, and the end of it (firmly secured to the rope and buoy) allowed to rest almost on the bed of the ocean, to be hauled up directly the storm has passed. Proper precautions have also been taken to make the floating ends of the buoys conspicuous, and easily found in case of the ships being driven from them.

In regard to the electrical part of the undertaking, the Times says:

"A number of experiments have recently been made with a view of increasing the rapidity of working signals through the entire length of the cable. These experiments, in which a variety of inventions and applications have been employed, have been conducted by Professor Thompson, Mr. Hughes, the American electrician (whose printing telegraph is likely to revolutionize the present uncertain system,) Mr. Henty, and Mr. Whitehouse. The result, though on the whole far more satisfactory than was at first anticipated, shows indubitably that more than one submarine cable will be required to do all the business likely to be transacted between this country and the New World.—Such a result, however, need dishearten no one, since none but those unacquainted with the subject have for a moment imagined that one working cable would be sufficient, or do more than show the way which others will be soon ready and anxious to follow."

Another paragraph says:

"It is said that Hull is to be the great intermediate station of the Transatlantic and British and Irish Telegraph Company for the transmission of Messages between America and the Continent of Europe. A four wire cable is now being laid in the neighborhood of Hull for this purpose. London, Liverpool, Manchester and Glasgow will be placed in direct communication with Hull, as well as with Valentia on the Irish coast, whence messages will be received from America. Communications intended for the Continent will be forwarded direct to Hull, and thence along the cable now about to be carried *via* Withernsea to Spurn Point, where it leaves the British Isles and passes directly across the North Sea to Cuxhaven; at the entrance of the Elbe, and thence by land to Hamburg, the principal terminal station on the Continent. Mr. Powell, one of the company's engineers, is now in Hull preparing for the transmission of messages by sound, the vibration being produced by strokes upon a fine-toned bell, entirely dispensing with the use of the needle. It is expected that the communication between New York and Hull will be completed by July next."—*Wheeling Int.*

WARREN GREEN HOTEL, WARRENTON, VA.—*JAMES M. TUTT*, PROPRIETOR.—The subscriber, having taken charge of this commodious and well-known House, invites the patronage of the traveling public and those desirous of obtaining a permanent home.—The extent of the buildings, the beauty of the grounds, and (the proprietor flatters himself) the liberal principles upon which the establishment is conducted, must secure for the Warren Green a front rank among the first class hotels of the country, and especially commend it to the consideration of families seeking a summer retreat from the heat and disease of cities.—Situated in the beautiful village of Warrenton, and surrounded by a lovely lawn, those in pursuit of the healthy air of the country will here find it unattended by the confusion and other disagreeable incidents of a fashionable watering place.

The Corps of Servants is large and well disciplined—the bed-rooms airy and accessible—the table bountifully supplied by the productions of the neighborhood and the delicacies of the Alexandria market, (from which city it is distant only a two hours' ride in the cars.)—the Wines have been carefully *selected*—and the whole is under the constant and careful superintendence of the landlord.

There is a Livery Stable attached, which will provide the guests of the house with Hacks, Buggies, and good Riding Horses.

There are now a large number (some forty) rooms vacant, from which early applicants can select the most eligible. The proprietor refers to all who have sojourned with him for testimonials of the character of his house.

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BACON—10 hhds. Shoulders and Sides Bacon, bright and of fine quality, just received, and for sale by
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### Emigration to Virginia.

In the New York Tribune of May 27th, we find a letter which the editor says is from Virginia; but as the letter has neither signature nor post office, we question very much if it ever was in the State until it found its way here in the columns of the "Tribune." But be that as it may, the letter, full as it it with ridiculous nonsense about the degradation of working men in Virginia, is made the subject of an editorial by the "Tribune." There is not one statement contained in the letter that is not coupled with falsehood and misrepresentation. The grossest injustice is done to the people of Fairfax county, in the insinuation that slavery is on the decline there, *because* of the immigration from Northern States. It is not true that the "Northern people" of Fairfax county make "use of none but free labor." The tenure of slavery in Fairfax has become precarious, not from the "Northern people" living in that county, but from its proximity to Washington city, now almost as vile an abolition den as Boston itself.

The "Northern people" of Fairfax, we have been informed, employ slave labor.—Some of them, we understand, are the owners of negroes: and all of them, whatever their opinions may be as to the subject of slavery, respect the laws of the State of their adoption—never interfering with the rights of their neighbors upon the subject of slavery.

The people of Virginia are indifferent as to the opinion of any man, from any section, on the subject of slavery. Virginia aks no man who may desire to make his future residence within her boundaries, to adopt the prevalent affection of the people of the State for the institution of slavery; but she demands of every man who desires the protection of her laws, that he render unyielding obedience to those laws—that he shall respect the institutions of the State. The tenure of slavery in Virginia is so fixed and unalterable, that her people are indifferent to the opinions of men upon the abstract question of slavery; but she will severely punish any attempt to tamper with her slaves. The "Northern people" are then welcome among us—let them come singly or in numbers—let them obey the laws and respect the opinions they may find in State, while they enjoy the blessings, and ask the protection of her laws, and all will be well. But should the pseudo philanthropy of philosopher Greeley tempt them to interfere with the institution, they may rest assured they will be quickly and severely punished.

The wholesale and systematic manufacture of falsehood and misrepresentation that is daily worked up into marketable form by the New York "Tribune," has so poisoned the Northern mind as to Virginia and the whole South, that the dreams of many of its pious old ladies are disturbed by the "raw head and bloody bones" of slavery. We once knew an old lady, an habitual reader of the "Tribune," who, while on a visit to some lady friends in Virginia, mingled with her nightly devotions a prayer for the family with whom she was staying, "for dancing and owning negroes"—and one seemed to her as heinous as the other; and we agree with her. But we can add that the old lady remained long enough in the State to see the errors into which Greeley had led her; and now, perhaps, her prayers ask for deliverance from the "lying and slandering" as well as "picking and stealing" of the New York "Tribune." We can say to all "Northern people" who may desire to immigrate to Virginia, to come on; they will find cheap lands, fertile soils, a delightful climate, an hospitable reception and kind treatment, so long as they behave themselves; but quick and severe punishment, be they many or few, when they transgress the laws.—*Rich Enq.*

### Virginia Election.

ALBEMARLE.—John W. Goss, elected Sheriff by a majority of 601 votes over Col. Thomas F. Wingfield. For the other county offices there were no competing candidates.

ROCKBRIDGE.—Poague elected Sheriff. Jas. G. Steele has been elected Clerk of the Circuit Court, without opposition. Chas. Chapin for the County Court. No opposition.

RAPPAHANNOCK.—Peyton (Whig) elected Clerk of the County Court. Majorities for B. F. Peyton:—At Court House, 6; Woodville, 13; Flint Hill, 82; total—101.

For Massey; at Springville, 23; Amissville, 57; total 80:—Majority for Peyton, 21. Reed, Commissioner of Revenue.

GREENE.—Pritchett, Clerk; Robinson, Sheriff; Mauzy, Commissioner of Revenue.

ORANGE.—Robinson, Sheriff; Fry, Clerk; Richards, Commissioner of Revenue.

LANCASTER.—William Brent, Sheriff; Warner Ewbank, Clerk of Courts.

MADISON.—For Clerk of the Circuit and County Courts.—Francis H. Hill, 465; R. S. Thomas 412. Hill's majority 53.

For Sheriff—John P. Aylor, 465; Thornton Berry 405. Aylor's majority 60.

For Commissioner of Revenue—Wm. E. Banks, 434; Presley Finks 387. Banks' majority 47.

For County Surveyor—Augustus Hawkins, 285; George M. Blankenbecker 294 Hawkins' majority 21.

For Lieutenant Governor—Wm. L. Jackson, 512.

FAIRFAX.—Lieutenant Governor—Wm. L. Jackson, 676. Clerk of Circuit Court F. D. Richardson, 923. Clerk of County Court—Alfred Moss, 941. Sheriff—Walter Powell, 810; Jno. Powell,* 197. Com'r. of Revenue—Jno. B. Hunter, 844; Scattering, 70. Surveyor—A. B. Williams, 488; Jonathan Roberts, 296; Dan'l G. Roberts, 171.

The following gentlemen were elected Magistrates to fill vacancies: James P. Machen, in District No. 1. and Wm. L. Lee in District No. 2.

Constables: In District No. 1, J. C. Kincheloe and Cyrus Hickey. District No. 2, Wm. H. Simpson. District No. 3, Lorenzo Rodgers. District No. 4, H. Lee Howard. District N. 5, W. P. Roby and Wm. A. Moot. District No. 6, Jno. T. Swink.—*News.*

*Capt. Powell was not a candidate.

VERY DESIRABLE FARM FOR SALE.—I offer for sale, privately, the FARM upon which I now reside, containing 335 ACRES. This Farm offers great inducements to the purchaser from its locality, being within 2½ miles of Mitchell's Station, and 4 of the Rapidan, and thereby brought into immediate connection, by railway, with Richmond and Alexandria. It is beautifully situated in one of the best neighborhoods in the State. The improvements are a comfortable DWELLING, with six rooms, and all other necessary out-houses. A more particular description is unnecessary, as those wishing to purchase will examine for themselves. For a further description, apply to J. C. GREEN, at Culpeper Ct. House, or the subscriber at Mitchell's Station.

WM. A. ROBERTSON.
Culpeper County, my 4—eotf

MOUNT HEBRON FARM FOR SALE.—We will sell at private sale, the FARM, near Alexandria, in Fairfax County, known as MOUNT HEBRON FARM, lying immediately on the line of the Orange and Alexandria and the Independent line of the Manassas Gap Railroads, and containing FOURTEEN HUNDRED ACRES. The farm has on it good BUILDINGS, a Saw Mill, and is under good fencing. Four hundred acres are in grass; about one hundred under cultivation, and the remainder in original growth timber of Oak, Chesnut, Hickory, &c. The land will be sold in parcels or entire, as may best suit persons who may desire to buy.

Terms made known on application to the undersigned, on the place, or address through the Alexandria Post Office, J. E. EDSALL,
my 10—eotf or H. V. EDSALL.

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### Firemen's Covention.

At an adjourned meeting held at the Friendship Fire Company, June 2d, 1858, there were present:

From No. 1—Messrs. Muir, Atkinson and Whittington.

From No. 2—Messrs. Latham, Rudd and Tatespaugh.

From No. 3—Messrs. Shinn and Green.

From No. 4—Messrs. Berry and Delahay.

From No. 5—Messrs. Barton, Swain and Carne.

The action of the Board of Common Council on the suggestions and requests recently made by a Committee of the Convention, under its order, having been stated, Messrs. Latham, Shinn and Whittington read for information certain resolutions which had been prepared for the consideration of the Convention, and after some general debate, these offered by Mr. Latham, having been amended, were adopted as follows:

Whereas, One Board of the City Council has by its recent action, evinced a disposition to disregard the wishes of the Fire Department of this city, as expressed by this convention, in failing to consult with a committee deputed by this Convention to co-operate with the proper committee of said Councils, in order to adjust the present incongruities of the Fire Laws now in existence, and, Whereas, such action is calculated to create in the minds of our Firemen, a feeling of dissatisfaction, we would be derelict in our duty as good citizens, did we fail to evoke the forbearance of our constituents, with a firm reliance on the "sober second thought" of the Councils to act justly towards us. Therefore,

Resolved, That the City Councils be and they are hereby respectfully requested to co-operate with the committee of this Convention relative to the revision of the present "Fire Laws."

Resolved, That the action of this Convention as presented by our President, to the City Councils, still meets with our warmest approbation, and we would respectfully ask for a conference on the subject before a final disapproval or condemnation.

AYES—Messrs. Muir, Atkinson, Latham, Rudd, Tatespaugh, Shinn, Green, Barton and Swain—9.

NOES—Messrs. Whittington and Carne—2.

Messrs. Whittington, Carne, and Berry then asked to be excused from serving on the Committee to confer with the Committee of the City Council, and the request of the two last named gentlemen being granted, and their places filled, the Committee stands as follows:

Mr. Whittington, of No. 1; Mr. Latham, of No. 2; Mr. Shinn, of No. 3; Mr. Delahay, of No. 4; and Mr. Barton, of No. 5.

The Convention then adjourned subject to the call of the President.

STEPHEN SHINN, President.
RICHARD L. CARNE, jr., Secretary.

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### A Question.

S., O. and H., three farmers, each have a small lot of fat cattle to sell. It is agreed between the three, that S shall take the three lots to market, and make the best disposition he can of them, O. and H. paying the respective expenses of their cattle, and, also, agreeing to pay the personal expenses of S and his horse, being *all* that S. charged, as he was desirous to go to town on some other business of his own. Now, S. sells all three of the lots of cattle to one butcher, only keeping the prices and sum total of each lot, and adding these three sums together, then receiving the whole amount from the butcher without any seperation, or other distinction whatever. S. uses his portion of the money at once. On his return home he first meets with O. and pays him his portion of the money. He next meets with H. and pays him his part, in which it turns out there is a bad note, which results in a total loss—The butcher refuses to take it back, there being no power to make him, either for the want of proof or solvency.

S. also refuses to redeem it. Now the question is, is S. bound to take back this bad note, and if not, is H. to bear the whole loss: or should it be divided pro rata between the three, S., O. and H?

Will some of the legal readers of the Gazette give their opinion, first as to whether S. is bound to H. as his agent, in the sale of the cattle, and secondly, is the loss to be divided among the three?

VALUABLE LAND IN FAUQUIER COUNTY, VIRGINIA, FOR SALE—The subscriber offers for sale his FARM "AIRLEY," in Fauquier County, Va., immediately adjacent to Catlett's Station, on the Orange and Alexandria Railroad, 38 miles from Alexandria.

By a recent survey, the tract contains ONE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIX ACRES, of which about 500 acres are well wooded, with the finest timber, being a large surplus over the quantity required for the uses of the farm, and rendered peculiarly valuable by its proximity to the Railroad.

Of the remainder of the land, 200 acres are superior alluvial bottom on Cedar Run, readily producing 50 to 75 bushels of corn per acre, and well adapted to the growth of wheat and grass. The upland is of fine quality and exceedingly productive of all kinds of grain and grasses. The whole tract is well watered and highly improved, (that portion not under cultivation, being well taken in blue grass, Timothy and Clover;) and possesses in a high degree the advantages of a healthy and convenient location, and of being well suited to both farming and grazing purposes. The improvements consist of a new and commodious DWELLING, an Overseers' house, and the necessary complement of barns, stables, &c.

To those, to whom the size of the farm might be objectionable, offer is made of a portion of the above tract, (say 500 acres,) including all the principal improvements and having advantages equal to the whole in point of situation, abundance of wood and water, quality of soil, &c. The subscriber will take pleasure in showing the premises to persons visiting the farm with the view of purchasing, and will reply promptly to any communication requesting further particulars. Terms liberal and accommodating. Address C. J. STOVIN.

For terms, &c, reference is also made to my Attorney, *Rice W. Payne, esq.*, at Warrenton, Virginia. C. J. S.

*Catlett's P. O., Fauquier Co., Va.* my 6—eotf

POTOMAC LAND FOR SALE.—The undersigned desires to sell a TRACT OF LAND, on the Waters of Potomac Creek in Stafford County, Va., containing TEN HUNDRED AND TWENTY ACRES. It borders on the Creek (which is navigable) 2½ miles, and distant about one mile from the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad. The soil is very productive in all the usual grain crops, but particularly adapted to the growth of Tobacco and Grass, though it is of uneven surface.

There is on the land inexhaustible beds of finest shell Marl. A large quantity of Hickory, Oak and Pine Wood may be cut from the land worth on the shore of the creek from two to four dollars per cord. Also, a good deal of Cedar and Locust, Yellow Popular and White Oak Timber.

There is a meadow now yielding an average of $500 worth of Hay per annum, containing fourteen Acres of land, which may be increased to fifty acres of prime Meadow. Grass grows well all over the Land, which renders it valuable for grazing purposes. Indeed, it grazes annually, about fifty head of cattle in the woods. Altogether it is a very valuable tract, but I am disposed to sell it below its value, as I own another large farm adjoining it, and have not sufficient force to manage both. I invite persons disposed to purchase such property to examine it, or communicate with me by letter at Accokeek Post-Office, Stafford county, Va.

JOHN MINOR, M. D.
Stafford Co., ap 2—2awdm

## COMMERCIAL.

### Monetary.

Street rates for money are without material change, though the tendency is downward, and the demand diminishing. First class paper, of which there is very little offering, is readily negotiated, while other descriptions go at high rates and with difficulty. In stocks, there is nothing doing, and quotations are nominal.—Exchange is dull at last week's rates on New York. The plethora of money in the Eastern cities continues, and we hope that ere long we may be able to note a greater improvement in monetary affairs in this city. We gave yesterday, the latest quotations for Land Warrants.

### Foreign Imports.

Foreign imports, compiled from the Finance Report of the Secretary of the Treasury, 1855—1856—made to Congress.

| | |
|---|---|
| Imports, exclusive of specie, from | |
| 1821 to 1829 inclusive....... | $517,865,786 |
| 1830 to 1839 " ....... | 1,007,707,372 |
| 1840 to 1849 " ....... | 1,027,830,724 |
| 1850 to 1856 " ....... 7 years, imports run up to............ | 1,613,909,484 |
| | $4,164,313,338 |
| Imports of specie in same time.. | 782,599,820 |
| | $4,946,913,158 |
| Exports of domestic produce from 1850 to 1856, 7 years........ | $1,332,666,170 |

Imports of Foreign Iron.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1844— 2,396,760 | 1848— 7,060,470 | 1852— 18,843,569 |
| 1845— 4,075,142 | 1849— 9,262,567 | 1853— 26,993,082 |
| 1846— 3,660,581 | 1850— 10,864,680 | 1854— 28,288,241 |
| 1847— 8,710,180 | 1851— 10,780,312 | 1855— 23,945,274 |
| | | 1856— 21,618,718 |
| 18,842,663 | 37,968,029 | 119,688,884 |

It appears, therefore, that from 1844 to 1847, we imported nearly 19 millions of foreign iron. From 1848 to 1851 nearly 38 millions do. From 1852 to 1856 nearly 119 millions do.

Imports of Woolens and Cottons, viz:

| | |
|---|---|
| 1844...................... | 22,644,000 |
| 1845...................... | 23,865,000 |
| 1846...................... | 22,793,000 |
| 1847...................... | 25,343,000 |
| 1848...................... | 32,266,000 |
| 1849...................... | 28,687,000 |
| 1850...................... | 36,582,000 |
| 1851...................... | 40,726,000 |
| 1852...................... | 36,065,000 |
| 1853...................... | 53,464,000 |
| 1854...................... | 63,597,000 |
| 1855...................... | 37,819,000 |
| 1856...................... | 55,042,000 |
| | 478,893,000 |

In thirteen years 478 millions of dollars.

### PRICES OF PRODUCE IN ALEXANDRIA.

FROM CARS, VESSELS, AND WAGONS, (YESTERDAY.)

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Flour, Super.............. | $4 37½ | @ | 0 00 |
| Do Extra.............. | 5 25 | @ | 5 50 |
| Do Family............. | 6 50 | @ | 7 00 |
| Wheat, white............. | 1 00 | @ | 1 10 |
| Do red............... | 0 90 | @ | 1 05 |
| Corn, (white.)........... | 0 60 | @ | 0 00 |
| Corn, (mixed.)........... | 0 60 | @ | 0 00 |
| Corn, (yellow)........... | 0 63 | @ | 0 64 |
| Corn Meal, ℘ bushel...... | 0 62½ | @ | 0 00 |
| Oats...................... | 0 34 | @ | 0 35 |
| Rye...................... | 0 65 | @ | 0 68 |
| Clover Seed, (retail)...... | 5 12½ | @ | 5 25 |
| Timothy Seed.............. | 2 75 | @ | 3 00 |
| Flaxseed.................. | 1 10 | @ | 0 00 |
| Sumac, (℘ hundred)......... | 1 00 | @ | 1 25 |
| Plaster, (lump, retail, delivered on cars,).............. | 4 50 | @ | 0 00 |
| Do ground do............ | 7 00 | @ | 0 00 |
| Guano...................... | 53 00 | @ | 55 00 |
| Salt, fine................ | 1 35 | @ | 1 40 |
| Do Ground Alum.......... | 0 85 | @ | 0 90 |
| Butter, roll, ℘ lb......... | 0 18 | @ | 0 20 |
| Do firkin............... | 0 10 | @ | 0 12 |
| Bacon, hog round........... | 9 50 | @ | 10 50 |
| Pork...................... | 7 00 | @ | 7 75 |
| Lard, (in kegs)............ | 0 11 | @ | 0 11½ |
| White Beans............... | 1 00 | @ | 1 06 |
| Black-Eyed Peas............ | 1 00 | @ | 0 00 |
| Hay, (℘ 100 lbs.)........... | 0 62½ | @ | 0 75 |

The market during the week has been very quiet, and transactions have been to a moderate extent. There has been a very limited enquiry for Flour, and quotations are nominal, principal sales to city consumers. The market for Wheat closed dull, with sales of white at 100@110c; red 90@105c. with fair offerings. There is considerable activity in Corn, which closed firm at 60c. for white and mixed, and 63@64c. for yellow. The receipts are large. Sales of Rye at 65@68c. and firm. Oats are in moderate enquiry at 34c. struck measure. Seeds are dull, and we have heard of but few sales. We quote Clover Seed at $5.12½@$5.25—no sales. Timothy Seed $2.75@$3—sales at former figures. Flax Seed $1.00@$1.10. Butter and Lard in better supply. Guano is in brisk demand, at a reduction. Sales of Peruvian at $53@$55.

### The Markets.

Baltimore, June 4.—Flour is quiet; Howard street and Ohio $4,37½; City Mills $4.—Wheat is heavy and dull; fair to good red 98@102c.; white, fair to prime, 105@115c. Corn is firm; mixed 63@66c.; white 66@68c; yellow 68@70c. Whiskey is dull, at 20½@21c. Provisions are firmer in consequence of a better demand. Lard is steady at 10½@11½c.

New York, June 4.—Flour is firm except a decline of 5c. on Southern; sales of 9,500 bbls.; State $3.75@$3.85; Ohio $4.20@$4.50; Southern $4.30@$4.70. Wheat is firm; sales of 35,000 bush.; Chicago Spring 86@87c.; Milwaukie Club, 87½@92c. Corn closed firm; sales of 10,000 bush., mixed 60@72½c.; white at 74@76c.; yellow 78@80c. Pork is quiet; prime $14.$14.20. Lard is heavy. Whiskey is dull, at 21½@21½c. Stocks are dull and heavy. Va. 6's 91½; Mo. 6's 84½. Sterling Exchange is dull at 109⅝.

### Baltimore Cattle Market, June 3.

Cattle.—Beef Cattle were in light supply today, only 300 head being offered at the scales, all of which were sold to Baltimore butchers at prices ranging from $4.50 to $5.50 on the hoof, equal to $9@$10 net, and averaging $5 gross, this figure being an advance of 25 cts. ℘ 100 lbs. on last week's average. The light supply this week was occasioned by the deranged condition of some of the Western Railroads, which prevented several lots of Western Cattle that are on the way reaching here.

Hogs.—Hogs are in good supply and they are selling this week at $6.50@$7 ℘ 100 lbs. net, these figures being a decline of 25 cts. on last week's quotations.

Sheep.—Sheep are in fair supply, and they are selling at from $3.75 to $4.50 ℘ 100 lbs gross.

### Canal Revenue.

The amount of tolls received by the Collector at Cumberland, for the month of May, is $3,348.05. That received at Georgetown is reported at $13,000, making together $16,384 05.

The New York Post of last evening says:—"The better feeling in stocks, noticed yesterday, resulted this morning in an advance of one to one and a half per cent. on the leading speculative shares, and the market generally closed with quite a firm appearance."

FLOUR.—25 bbls. Wm. A. Chapman's Family Flour, 20 bbls. Jonathan Ewers' Family Flour, Superfine, Fine, first and second Middlings Condemned, and Musty Flour; also, 50 bbls. Superior Rye Flour, in store, and for sale by the single barrel or Dray load.
je 5 HILL, BROWN & PARTLOW.

50 BARRELS POTOMAC HERRING, in store, and for sale by
HILL, BROWN & PARTLOW.
je 5

300 TONS SOFT BLUE WINDSOR PLASTER, of superior quality, just received per Schr George Dearing, and for sale by [my 19] FOWLE & CO.

### By Yesterday Evening's Mails.

Sunday School and Colportage Convention.—Hampton, Va., June 2.—The Sunday School and Colportage Convention, was held to-day in the Baptist Church. Rev. L. W. Allen, of Caroline, was appointed Chairman, and Rev. M. W. Read, of Pittsylvania, Secretary.

On motion of Rev. B. Manly, jr., it was resolved, that all delegates to the General Association, be invited to take seats in this Convention.

Rev. A. E. Dickenson, General Superintendent of Colportage, made some interesting statements concerning the operations of the Board during the last 12 months. An earnest address was delivered by Rev. W. F. Broaddus, D. D., of Fredericksburg.

After some interesting statements by Rev. H. W. Read, of Fairfax, the Convention adjourned to hear a sermon, by Rev. J. B. Hardwicke, of Pittsylvania.

In the afternoon it was

Resolved, That we regard the production and distribution of a more extensive Sunday School literature, adapted to Baptist Churches, as of the highest importance, and intimately connected with the prosperity and efficiency of our Sunday Schools.

The following resolution was offered by Rev. A. E. Dickenson, and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That in our judgment it is not only highly desirable, but altogether practicable in most places, to continue Sunday School instruction during the winter months.

The General Association convenes to-morrow morning.

A very large number of delegates are here.

Wrong Man Elected.—Charles City County, June 3.—Quite a novel case has just occurred with us. Something new to your correspondent and without a precedent as far back as his memory takes him in the annals of elections. Last Thursday our citizens were called upon to turn out *en masse* for the election of officers. Among others we had to elect a sheriff. There were *only* three applicants for the office, each presenting most superior claims to entitle him to the confidence, trust, and especially the votes of "the sovereigns." The contest was warm and spirited, and the next day the reports from the different precincts declared one of them chosen by a plurality of nine votes. Great was the exultation and rejoicing on the part of the successful candidate and his friends, while the disappointed ones presented the appearance of men who had drank of the cup of sorrow and mortification to the very dregs. But who can tell what a day may bring forth? Yesterday the polls having been returned, according to law, lo! it was found that the proper certificates were not affixed to two, which of course, renders the votes illegal, and so changes the result as to place the hindmost candidate before the people, their sheriff elect.

I omitted to mention, the return has not been made from one precinct yet, and as the last day of grace has passed, it is the opinion of some that the votes will go by the board. How the dilemma will be cleared up it is difficult to tell.—*Corr. Petersburg Exp.*

Fairfax Items.—On Monday next, the 7th instant, the Spring Term of the Circuit Court for this county will commence its sessions.

An immense concourse of citizens attended the funeral of Com. Thomas Ap. C. Jones, on Wednesday morning last at "Sharon," the late residence of the deceased. His remains were interred in the burial ground attached to the Presbyterian Church at Lewensville, at which place a most eloquent and impressive discourse was preached by the Rev. R. F. Bittinger. The services at the grave were conducted by Rev. Dr. McKee assisted by the Rev. R. T. Brown.—*News.*

The Wheat Crop.—We regret to learn that, in many parts of the county where only a few weeks since there was every prospect of an immense yield of wheat, the growing crop has materially suffered from the joint worm, fly and scab. A gentleman, who has visited many neighborhoods within the last ten days, informs us that the injury is already estimated at fifty per cent, and that it will continue to increase daily until the harvest season.—*Charlottesville. Adv.*

The following gentlemen constitute the Board of Visitors of the Virginia Military Institute for the present year, viz: Gen. George Blow, Norfolk; Col. James L. Kemper, Madison; Col. Philip St. George Cocke, Powhatan; Col. R. A. Claybrook, Northumberland; William McLaughlin, esq., Rockbridge; John Echols, esq., Monroe; John T. Harris, esq., Rockingham; Edward C. Banker, esq., Preston; Gen. Wm. H. Richardson Adj't. Gen'l, *ex.officio*.

The General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, which has been holding a prolonged session in Nashville has adjourned.

The boundary question between the Virginia and North Carolina Conference, was settled on the basis of the Committee's report. The discussion fortunately avoided all irritating allusions, and the best temper prevailed. The next Conference will be held in New Orleans.

On Tuesday last, the down train on the Central Railroad, was detained about six hours beyond its regular time, by a land slide at Robinson's Hollow, on the State's portion of the Mountain track. It will be borne in mind that this is the third or fourth slide that has occurred at that point of the road, as was predicted by Messrs. Noland and others in their report to the Central road.

Case of R. B. Hackney.—We learn from Washington that Mr. Hackney has succeeded in having an investigation which will show that he has been "more sinned against than sinning;" and that the testimony will place at least two of the members, who were active in his ejection, in rather "a tight place."—*Winchester Rep.*

Judge Halyburton is now holding the United States District Court for Eastern Virginia in Norfolk. The Grand Jury have indicted Fridell, master of the barque Wm. G. Lewis, brought into Norfolk last December from the coast of Africa, in charge of Lieut. Kennard of the U. S. sloop-of-war Dale.

The examination of the master and crew of the schooner Frances French will be transferred from Norfolk to Isle of Wight County, where it will take place next Monday. The persons caught in the act of abducting slaves from Petersburg, have been sent on for trial.

The State Sabbath School Convention, will meet in Richmond, on Thursday, the 10th inst. It session will be opened with a sermon by the Rev. John A. Broadus, of Charlottesville. The Rev. Dr. Plumer will represent the American S. S. Union on the occasion.

An Irish Laborer on the Lynchburg Extension was killed by the falling of a derrick, on Thursday of last week, on one of the sections near the Cross roads.

### Congress.

In the Senate yesterday, a communication was received from the Postmaster General relative to certain proposed changes in the postal laws regulating the duties and fees of postmasters and the management of post offices.

Mr. Johnson, of Ark,, from the Committee on Printing, reported a joint resolution limiting the number of copies to be printed of the Pacific Coast Survey, the Mexican Boundary Survey and the Pacific Railroad Survey; agreed to.

Mr. Iverson, from the Committee on Claims reported a resolution for refunding to the State of Georgia an amount paid by her for military services to persons engaged in the Seminole and Creek wars.

Mr. Yulee, from the Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, reported a resolution, accompanied by a letter from the Postmaster General, concerning post office printing.

The House amendment to the resolution fixing the time of final adjournment on the 10th instant, was agreed to by a vote of 29 yeas, to 27 nays.

A large number of private and unimportant bills and resolutions were reported and properly disposed of.

On motion of Mr. Iverson, the consideration of the private calendar was resumed.

In the House of Representatives the consideration of the Diplomatic and Consular Appropriation bill, as returned from the Senate with amendments, was resumed. They agreed to that striking out the proviso that the appropriations shall be strictly confined to the service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1859.

Mr. Harris, of Ill., gave notice of his intention to call up the Maryland election case to-day.

The House passed a bill for the relief of settlers on the public lands in Illinois, confirming them in their pre emption rights.

On motion of Mr. Maynard, the select committee to examine the accounts of General Cullom, the late Clerk, were allowed to sit at the next session. The report, which was read, showed that seventy-seven witnesses have been examined, and that the expenditures were between one and two millions of dollars.

Mr. Bocock asked leave to report a bill for the construction of ten sloops-of-war, propellors, the draft not to exceed twelve feet, to be built at the navy yards or by private contract; and, also, a new war steamer, not to exceed a draft of eight feet, for service in the Chinese waters, and towards this object appropriating $1,200,000.

Mr. Seward objected; whereupon Mr. Bocock moved a suspension of the rules. The motion was disagreed to—yeas 127, nays 66—not two-thirds.

The Winchester Republican says:—A couple of young men, who forgot to return to Washington city with a horse and buggy hired of Mr. Naylor, were arrested by officer George Kremer, jr., whilst passing through town with the property in question. Both have been since set at large without prosecution, Mr. Naylor, who came up in answer to a despatch, taking one of them back with him, leaving the other to adopt Adam's line.

### MARRIED.

On the 20th ultimo, by the Rev Mr. Ball, Mr. WM. H. BOOSE, of Washington, to Miss MARGARET A. DETERMAN, of Baltimore, Maryland.

On the 1st instant, by the Rev. Father Boyle, HIRAM RICHEY, to Miss MARIA LOUISA NEWTON, all of Washington.

On Tuesday evening last, by the Rev. Mr. Nota. Dr. ROBERT DIGGES, and Miss MARY C. THOMPSON, daughter of Col Francis Thompson, all of Charles County, Md.

On Wednesday morning last, by the Rev. Mr. Prout, Dr. THOMAS C. PRICE, and Miss ELLEN M. DYSON, all of Charles County, Md.

### DIED.

At his residence, near St. Clement's Bay, in St. Mary's County, Md, on Thursday, the 27th of May, Mr. NOAH BAILEY, at an advanced age.

### ALMANAC.

| 1858 JUNE. | Sun rises. | Sun sets. | Moon's Phases. | D. | H. | M. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 5 Saturday... | 4 46 | 7 14 | | | | |
| 6 Sunday.... | 4 45 | 7 15 | New.... | 11 | 9 | 36 M. |
| 7 Monday... | 4 45 | 7 15 | First qr.. | 18 | 3 | 4 M |
| 8 Tuesday.... | 4 44 | 7 16 | Full..... | 26 | 4 | 3 M |
| 9 Wednesday | 4 44 | 7 16 | Last qr. | 4 | 1 | 33M. |
| 10 Thursday.. | 4 44 | 7 16 | HIGH WATER. | | | |
| 11 Friday..... | 4 44 | 7 16 | June 5 | | 1h. | 08m |

LATEST DATES.

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|---|---|---|---|
| London.................. | May 22 | Havre.................. | May 22 |
| Liverpool ............... | May 22 | New Orleans........... | May 28 |

### MARINE LIST.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA—JUNE 4

ARRIVED.

Schr. John, Donovan, Eastport, laths and pickets to Cazenove & Co.

Schr. Tantamount, Davis, Salem, to T. J. Mehaffey.

Sloop ———, Sinclair, Port Tobacco, corn to Perry & Pennybacker.

Steamer Diamond State, Kerwin, Baltimore, to Wheat & Bro.

SAILED.

Schr. Elijah Sheddock, White, New York, coal by Borden Mining Co.

Schr. Pearl, Brown, Boston, coal by D. B. Smith.

Schr. John Cooper, Hutchins, Philadelphia, coal by T. J. Mehaffey.

Schr. Amrust, Thompson, New York, coal by Borden Mining Co.

MEMORANDA.

Ship H. Harbeck, from this port, for Manilla, was spoken 24th ult., lat. 34 42, lon. 68 43.

Schr. M. C. Durfee, Hall, for this port, sailed from Fall River, 29th ult.

Schr. Medora, Roberts, for Washington, cl'd at New York, 2d inst.

Schr. J. H. Jones, Parker, from this port, arrived at Albany, 2d inst.

Schr. Anna B. Hayes, Robinson, for Georgetown, cl'd at Philadelphia, 2d inst.

The Strawberry Festival.—As many persons have expressed a desire to visit the Strawberry Festival, now being held in Sarepta Hall, who have been prevented from so doing by rain or other unavoidable circumstances, the Ladies have determined to continue it one night longer. Those who are fond of the beautiful and the sweet, may therefore expect to find the Ladies, flowers, strawberries and other delicacies of the season, in the Hall this evening. The cakes, candies, fruits and flowers, will be sold at Auction, at the close of the evening. *

☞ The Strawberry and Ice Cream Festival, for the benefit of Grace Church, will be held at Sarepta Hall, commencing on Monday evening, June 7th, at 7½ o'clock. A charge of 15 cents will be made at the door, and a ticket given, which will entitle the holder to refreshments to that amount. The Committee.
je 4—3t

FOR BALTIMORE.—The steamer DIAMOND STATE, will receive cargo for Baltimore, on Saturday, leaving at 3 o'clock, P. M. WHEAT & BRO., Agents.
je 5—1t

### LOCAL ITEMS.

County Court.—The June term of the County Court for this County commences on Monday. All the magistrates are summoned to attend. Among the business before the Court will be the auditing of the County accounts, and the imposition of a levy for County expenses.

Washington and Alexandria Railroad.—The summer schedule of this Road is published. The accommodation of passengers is well provided for—and the travel on the road very good. The ride is a pleasant one. All the connections as advertised are promptly made.

Strawberries.—Mr. John Slater, so well and so favorably known as a most successful horticulturist and to whom our citizens are indebted annually for much of the earliest and finest fruit and vegetables, and the rarest and most beautiful flowers, brought to our market, has sent us a sample of several varieties of Strawberries, which, for size and flavor, exceed anything we have had this season. Among the varieties we note the "Victoria" an English plant—the largest of the berries from which weighs over *one ounce*; the "Macavoy," an American plant of very large size and a fine cropper; the flavor is not as delicate as that of the Victoria or "Duchess de Traverse" a French plant, and also represented to be a fine cropper. This last named variety is new, and the fruit is solid like a pear, and the flavor most delicious.

We notice that the Gillers are still actively employed in the river, and, are catching some fine shad. The Port Tobacco Times says that the last act of the Virginia Legislature, concerning the Potomac Fisheries generally, is in concurrence with the acts of Maryland of 1854 and 1856, which limit the time for fishing from 1st of March to 25th of May, and enact penalties for the violation of their provisions.

Herring Caught.—One of the fishermen at the canal basin caught, on Thursday last, a veritable live herring. He had concluded to rusticate during the summer for the benefit of his health, far away from his native element, and had made the laborious passage from Alexandria to this port by the canal. Unfortunately, he managed to act so indiscreetly as to get into the toils of the net from which he escaped only to get into the greedy jaws of his hereditary foe, man.

This was the first fish of the kind ever caught so high up the Potomac. A few years since a shad was caught at the canal tunnel.—*Cumberland Telegraph.*

Drowned.—The Fairfax News says:—We regret to learn that a valuable servant man, belonging to Mr. N. Febrey of Alexandria county, was drowned on Sunday last at the crossing of the Alexandria, Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad over Four Mile Run.—He jumped into the water to save a small colored child that had fallen in, and sad to relate both were drowned.

Circus.—Sands, Nathans & Co's performing elephants, and G. F. Bailey & Co's Circus and Menagerie, exhibit this afternoon and to-night.

The Mayor of Washington has issued a Proclamation exhorting the citizens to preserve order and peace, on the day of the municipal election, Monday next.

Marriages.—Twelve marriage licenses were issued during the month of May, from the office of the County Clerk of this county.

We are still *enlivened* by cloudy weather, and occasional heavy showers of rain.

NEW MUSIC RECEIVED AT *PARROTT'S Book, Stationary, Music, and Variety Store.* Home, Sweet Home, by Thalberg; The Last Rose of Summer, by Thalberg; Adagio, by Thalberg; The Banjo and Nightingale, by Strakosch; Musical Rocketts, by Strakosch; The Banjo and Last Hope, by Gottschalk.
Besides thousands of other pieces by all the most eminent performers and composers in America and Europe.
Just call or leave orders, for any thing you want in the way of MUSIC, at 166, King-street, Alexandria.
Music sent by mail to any part of the United States, free of charge.
je 5 JOHN H. PARROTT.

PLUMBING.—The subscriber gives notice to his patrons and the public generally, that he has removed his shop from Pitt street to one on Prince street, opposite the Post office, where he will be pleased to receive their orders in future, for all kinds of PLUMBING WORK, pledging his best efforts to give satisfaction, both as to work and prices. Thankful for past favors, he solicits a continuance.
je 5—eo1m PHILIP PARK.

REEDS.—A large supply of Skirt Reeds of a superior quality; also, superior Brass Skirt Springs, just received at
H. B. WHITTINGTON'S,
je 5 82 King street.

FLOUR.—500 bbls. Rockingham Family Extra, and Superfine Flour, received and for sale by [je 4] WHEAT & BRO.

JUST RECEIVED one hundred and fifty Golden bird's-eye PINE APPLES, for sale low, and for cash, at C. SCHAFER'S,
je 5 Confectioner, No. 3, north Fairfax-st.

BACON HAMS.—5 tierces plain and canvassed Bacon Hams, just received, and for sale by [je 5] J. N. HARPER & CO.

TAR AND PITCH.—25 bbls. Tar and Pitch, landing, and for sale by
je 5 J. N. HARPER & CO.

OFFICE CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO CANAL CO., WASHINGTON, May 31, 1858.
THE Annual General Meeting of the Stockholders of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, will be held at the office of the Company, City Hall, on Monday, the 7th day of June next, at 12 o'clock, M.
je 1—dtd W. S. RINGGOLD, Secretary.

COUNTY LEVIES.—All persons having claims against this County, should present them to the County Court, on Monday, the 7th day of June, 1858, that being the beginning of the session of the Levy Court. je 3–dtd

STEAM SAW-MILL.—The undersigned would respectfully announce to the public that their Steam Saw-Mill is now in operation, about four miles West of Culpeper Court House, and that they are now prepared to furnish lumber of every description at the shortest notice and upon reasonable terms, comprising all the usual kinds suitable for building purposes.
They have on hand about four thousand feet of various kinds—some well seasoned.
JEFFRIES & GAINES.
Culpeper Co., feb 1—eo6m

200 BBLS. EASTERN HERRINGS
25 bbls. Alewives
25 " Potomac Herrings, in prime order, and for sale by
my 8—2m KNOX & BROTHER.

400 FINE WOOL MERINO SHEEP FOR SALE, all healthy, and of superior quality. Apply to AARON LEGGETT, At Mount Zephyr, near Alexandria, Va.
my 28—eotf

### POSTSCRIPT.

*BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.*

#### Latest from New Orleans.

New Orleans, May 3, 10, P. M.—Up to this hour there has been no collision between the Municipal authorities, and the Vigilance Committee. Both parties are engaged in forming barricades of cotton.

New Orleans, May 4.—The Mayor's forces are unorganized, but the Vigilance Committee well organized and drilled. Major Duncan, late of the U. S. Army, commands them. Both parties are making great preparations, and the crisis is expected to-day.

New Orleans, June 4.—The Vigilance Committee is composed of men of all parties. Many of the city officers have resigned.—The municipal affairs are in the hands of the Committee, who have appointed one thousand special Policemen. The city is quiet.

#### Later from Havana.

New York, May 4.—The steamer Black Warrior from Havana on the 30th, arrived this morning. Sugars were active and firm.

The English officer who was so conspicuous in boarding American vessels in the harbor of Sagua le Grande, has been arrested and sent to Jamaica.

[The dispatch does not state whether the arrest was made in consequence of complaints by the American or Spanish authorities.—Rep.]

### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen, held June 3rd, 1858, there were present,

Law. B. Taylor, esq., President.

Messrs. Smith, Lambert, Bryan, and Armstrong.

The Committee on the Poor, to whom the subject was referred, reported the following order, viz:

Ordered, That the Auditor issue a warrant in favor of the Trustees of the Poor for $2,494.77, being in full for all demands against them as Trustees of the Poor to the 1st of April, 1858.

Mr. Armstrong called for the ayes and nays, and the report was not concurred in, by the following vote, viz:

Ayes—Messrs. Taylor, Bryan, Smith, and Lambert—4.

Nay—Mr. Armstrong—1.

The opinion of the Attorney of the Corporation upon the Rvenue bill was received and read.

The Revenue bill was then taken up and put upon its second reading.

Mr. Armstrong moved to amend by striking out $1, as the tax on Real Estate, and inserting $1 20 in lieu thereof, and called for the ayes and nays, which motion was lost by the following vote, viz:

Aye—Mr. Armstrong—1.

Nays—Messrs. Taylor, Bryan, Smith, and Lambert—4.

Mr. Armstrong moved to amend by fixing the tax on Personal Property at 80c instead of $1, and called for the ayes and nays, which was lost by the following vote, viz:

Aye—Mr. Armstrong—1.

Nays—Messrs. Taylor, Bryan, Smith, and Lambert—4.

Mr. Bryan moved to amend, by exempting the Stock of this Corporation from taxation, which motion was lost.

Mr. Bryan moved to amend further by striking out the words, "the 1st of June," in the 15th section of the bill, and inserting "the 20th of June," in lieu thereof; also, by striking out the words, "the 20th of June," in same section and inserting "the 1st of July," which was passed by the Board, (the section relates to the discount to be allowed for prompt payment.)

The bill was then put upon its passage and lost by the following vote, Mr. Armstrong calling for the ayes and nays, viz:

Ayes—Messrs. Taylor, Bryan, Smith, and Lambert—4.

Nay—Mr. Armstrong—1.

Upon motion of Mr. Bryan, the vote upon the passage of the bill was reconsidered.

Upon motion of Mr. Smith, the bill was then laid upon the table.

The following order and resolutions were received from the Common Council and concurred in, viz:

Ordered, 1st, That 1,000 copies of the amended Charter be published, previous to the taking of the vote upon the same.

2nd, That the Committee on Fire Department be directed to purchase 100 feet of Hose, for the use of the Star Fire Company, said Hose to be purchased in the name of the City Council, and to remain as the property of the Corporation.

Resolved, 3d, That the Committee on Public Property be instructed to inspect the condition of the Powder House, and also to enquire what will be the expense of opening the road belonging to that property. The road now used being required for the use of its owners, and cannot be much longer used as a way to the Powder House, calls for prompt action.

A communication was received from Richard F. Tatsapaugh, through the Common Council, and its reference to the Committee on Fire Department, concurred in.

The Board then adjourned.

Teste: S. J. McCORMICK, Clerk.

### IN COMMON COUNCIL.

At a meeting of the Common Council of Alexandria, held June 3rd, 1858, there were present,

Mr. McVeigh, President.

Messrs. McKenzie, Kinzer, Alexander, Howell, Eastlack, Dorsey, Smith, Jamieson, J. B. Smoot, Summers, and Richards.

There being no business brought to the consideration of the board, the Council, on motion, adjourned.

Teste: G. A TAVENNER, C. C.

NOTICE.—The annual exhibition of the Upperville Union Club, for the improvement of HORSES, will be held in Upperville, on the 17th of June, 1858. Premiums are offered for one, two, and three year olds for Riding Stock, and the same for Colts for quick draught, and for heavy draught.
Persons entering for the premiums, must send in their names on or before the 15th of June.
No entries can be made after that day.
Members will pay their subscriptions to the Secretary. H. A. HALL, Sec'y. and Treasurer.
Upperville, Fauquier Co., my 25—eotJe17

STRAYED HORSES.—Broke fence and strayed away, early on Friday morning last, two HORSES, which were traced along the Alexandria Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad; and last heard of, at 11 o'clock, on Friday morning, a mile or more south of the Columbia Turnpike, where it is supposed they strayed into some open commons. One, a horse, is aged; of a dark bay color; the other, a mare, 5 years old, a bright bay or sorrel, with white face and feet. A suitable reward will be paid for their recovery, by the subscriber. EDW. KING,
je 1—eo3t City Road, Alexandria.

50,000 FRUIT TREES FOR SALE AT THE GREENWOOD NURSERIES, situated on the Alexandria and Leesburg Turnpike, near Falls' Church, Fairfax County, Va. All orders for Alexandria, Washington, and Georgetown, will be delivered.—Printed catalogues sent to all who desire them.
☞ All communications addressed to
T. B. MUNSON, Falls' Church,
nov 13—eotf Fairfax County, Va.

VALLEY FEMALE INSTITUTE, Winchester, Va.—The fourth annual session of this Institution will commence September 1st, 1857, and continue five months. The Board of Instruction is complete, and superior advantages are offered for a thorough and polite education. For further information, send and get a catalogue. S. P. YORK, A. M.,
G. LA MONTE, A. B.,
Principals and Proprietors.
Winchester, jy 7—eoly

## AUCTION SALES.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.—By virtue of a deed of trust to the undersigned, from Silas J. Saunders and wife, dated August 1st, 1856, and recorded in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Fairfax county, will be offered for sale, on the premises, *on the 17th day of April next*, the TRACT OF LAND, in said county, called "*CRACKER HALL*," with sundry other Tracts adjacent thereto, containing in the aggregate about 205 ACRES, all lying about three miles from Alexandria, on the south side of Hunting Creek, on the road leading from Alexandria to Mount Vernon.
There are on the premises a well built two-story brick DWELLING, with seven rooms, and all necessary out-buildings—a barn, stable, corn-house, &c., &c.; an abundant supply of water.
Terms.—One-fourth cash; the remainder in equal payments, with interest, at 6, 12 and 18 months, respectively. Title reserved till the purchase money be paid.
D. FUNSTEN, Trustee.
feb 16—1aw4w&eots
☞ POSTPONEMENT.—The above sale is postponed to *Friday, June 18th*, 1858, at the same hour and place.
je 5—eots D. FUNSTEN, Trustee.

DRUG STORE FOR SALE.—For sale the entire stock of Drugs, Chemicals, Patent Medicines, Shop Furniture, &c, of R. E. Stone, No. 105, King street, opposite Marshall House. To any person wishing to engage in the business, a fine opportunity is now afforded, as the stock will be sold on accommodating terms.—Apply to THOS T. HILL, Trustee.
N. B. Will be sold *on Tuesday, the 15th instant*, at 10½ o'clock, at public sale, at the house No. 20, Royal street, the HOUSEHOLD and KITCHEN FURNITURE of the same.
je 5—dts T. T. HILL, Trustee.

PUBLIC SALE OF LANDS IN THE SOUTHERN PART OF LOUDOUN COUNTY, Near the Alexandria, Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad.—*On Tuesday, the 11th of May next*, being the first day of the county Court, in the town of Leesburg, Loudoun county, Va., at the door of the Court-House, I shall sell at public auction the remainder of my lands situate in the Southern part of the county, on both sides of the Turnpike road, leading to Georgetown and Alexandria, and within one mile of the Alexandria, Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad, and one mile from the village of Dranesville, in Fairfax county consisting of
Lot No. 1 of 170 ACRES,
Lot No. 3 of 131 ACRES,
Lot No. 4, of 162 ACRES,
Lot No. 6, of 165, ACRES.
These lands are very eligibly situated, well watered and wooded, and offer considerable inducements to purchasers, disposed to improve them.
The improvements are inconsiderable. A more particular description can be had by referring to Matthew Harrison, Attorney at Law, Leesburg, my agent, who has a compelte plat of the same.
Terms of Sale.—One third of the purchase money to be in cash, balance in equal payments, at one and two years, to bear interest at six per cent from day of sale; notes to be given for deferred payments, and deed of trust on the land to secure them. A deed will be made to the purchaser, and deed of trust taken, after cash payment is made and notes given, as soon as practicable. A. SIDNEY TEBBS.
Loudoun Co., my 10—1t
☞ The above sale is postponed until *Tuesday the 8th day of June*, 1858. (Court day,) at the place, and on the terms as above named.
A. SIDNEY TEBBS.
Loudoun county, Va., my 17—eots

STUMP NECK FISHERY AND FARM AT PUBLIC SALE.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Charles county, sitting in equity, passed in a cause wherein Hopkins, &c., are complainants and Sewall and others are defendants, the subscriber will sell *on Tuesday, the 8th day of June*, 1858, *at one o'clock*, at the Exchange in the city of Baltimore, ONE UNDIVIDED HALF-PART OF STUMP NECK FISHERY AND THE FARM ATTACHED THERETO.
The Farm and Fishery, contain ONE THOUSAND ACRES OF LAND, more or less, and are now under a rent of about $1,000 per annum, ending 1st January next. The improvements are a DWELLING HOUSE, &c.—The fishery is about 35 miles below Alexandria, on the Potomac river, in Charles county, Md., and is extremely valuable.
The sale will be peremptory. The title is indisputable.
The terms of sale are—One-fourth cash, and the balance in twelve, eighteen and twenty-four months, the credit payments to bear interest and be secured by approved bonds or notes.
W. A. TALBOTT, Trustee.
42 St. Paul street, Baltimore.
Baltimore, my 18—2awts

BY S. J. McCORMICK—Auctioneer.
SALE OF REAL ESTATE IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA.—By virtue of a deed of trust from Washington T. Harper, duly recorded in the Land Records of Alexandria county, in Liber S., No. 3, page 57, dated the 3d day of December, 1856, the undersigned, as trustee therein named, will offer for sale, *on Tuesday the 22d of June*, 1858, in front of the Mayor's office, to the highest bidder, a TENEMENT and LOT of GROUND in the city of Alexandria, bounded as follows: Beginning on the west side of Alfred street, at the north corner of W. H. Muir's line, one hundred and seventeen feet ten inches from the intersections of Alfred and Queen streets, and running thence northwardly, and fronting on Alfred street, nineteen feet six inches, and extending westwardly from Alfred street, towards Patrick street, seventy feet more or less. Terms cash.
je 3—eotd CHAS. E. STUART, Trustee.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE LAND, &c.—Will be offered at public sale *on the 10th day of June next*, the valuable estate of the late C. C. Taliaferro, on the Rapid Ann river, in the County of Culpeper, and adjoining the Rapid Ann Station, Orange and Alexandria Railroad. The railroad passes through the farm, and the station is only a few hundred yards from the house and barn. This FARM, situated in the beautiful and fertile valley of the Rapid Ann, offers a rare opportunity to purchasers—it is in a fine state of cultivation, surrounded by good farms, and a most desirable neighborhood. The FARM contains 630 ACRES of LAND, and has on it a large DWELLING-HOUSE, barn, stable, and all necessary out-houses, in good repair. Also, at the same time and place, will be sold all the PERSONAL PROPERTY of the estate, except the negroes.
L. H. TALIAFERRO, } Adm'rs.
H. D. TALIAFERRO, }
Culpeper county, Va., my 4—eots

CARRIAGES! CARRIAGES! CARRIAGES!
I HAVE now on hand a large assortment of Pleasure and FAMILY CARRIAGES, and no person intending to purchase a Carriage this season should fail to look at these before purchasing elsewhere, as there is not such an assortment this side of New York. The Carriages are all warranted, and the prices correspond with the times.
Also, on hand a number of GOOD SECOND-HAND CARRIAGES, some nearly new, and suitable for town or country.
THOMAS YOUNG,
No. 409, Pennsylvania Avenue, cor. of 4½ sts.
Washington, ap 13—eo2m

$100 REWARD.—Ranaway from the farm of the subscriber, near Centreville, Fairfax County, Va., on the night of 5th instant, negro woman HARRIET, about 35 years of age, black, 5 feet 3 or 4 inches high, and tolerably likely. She was purchased by me of Messrs. Dickinson & Hill, in Richmond, and formerly came from King George County. I will give the above reward if returned to me, or secured so that I can get her.
A. S. GRIGSBY.
Fairfax County, Va., ap 5—eotf

JOHN MURPHY, *ATTORNEY AT LAW*, will practice in the Courts of Westmoreland, Richmond, and Northumberland Counties. Post Office, Rice's Store, Westmoreland County, Va. dec 5—tf

WOOL purchased by
je 12 WHEAT & BRO.

## AUCTION SALES.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE.—Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Loudoun, in the cause therein pending, in the name of James W. Taylor, complainant, against Burr Swart and other defendants, the undersigned, commissioners named in said decree will offer for sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder at the residence of said James W. Taylor, in the county of Loudoun, commencing about noon on the *17th day of July*, 1858, the real and personal property mentioned in said decree, viz: The tract of land on which the said James W. Taylor now resides, containing about 245 ACRES OF LAND; the said tract is situated on the turnpike leading from Aldie to Snickersville, about 1 mile from Aldie. There is an excellent DWELLING HOUSE upon the premises, with the usual out-houses and farm buildings in good order. The land is fertile, well watered, and in a healthy region.
Also, all the Estate and interest of said James W. Taylor, in the dower lands of his wife Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, formerly Mrs. Elizabeth Swart, being one undivided eighth part thereof.
Also the following slaves:—ANN, HENRY, CHARLES, JENNEY and MARY; and all the personal property upon said first mentioned tract, including 12 HEAD of HORSES (one a fine Stallion) and Colts, 20 head of CATTLE, Hogs, Farming Implements, Carriage, Wheat Machines, Wagon, Carts and Household FURNITURE. Also, a lot of CORN in the Corn-House.
Terms of Sale.—The Slaves will be sold for cash. Upon the sale of the residue of the personal property, upon all sums of $10 and upwards, a credit will be allowed to the purchaser of nine months, upon executing bond with good security for the amount of the purchase, with interest—upon all sums under $10 the cash will be required. The terms of sale to be complied with before the removal of the property, and upon the failure of a purchaser to comply with the terms of sale immediately, on request, the property to be resold at his risk.
The Real Estate will be sold on the following terms: one-tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash, as a deposit, to be forfeited on the failure of the purchaser to complete his purchase; a sufficient amount to be paid on the confirmation of the sale, to make with the cash deposit, one-third of the whole amount, and the residue in two equal annual instalments; the deferred payments to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by bond with good security, and the title to be retained till the purchase money be all paid.
B. P. NOLAND, }
M. HARRISON, } Commissioners of sale.
J. R. TUCKER, }
W. B. NOLAND, Auctioneer.
Loudoun county, my 18—eots

VALUABLE VIRGINIA LAND FOR SALE.—The subscriber will sell privately, three FARMS, in the upper end of Westmoreland County, and known respectively by the names of ROSIER'S, MONROE'S HALL, and SUGAR LAND.
ROSIER'S contains FIVE HUNDRED AND NINETY-EIGHT ACRES, beautifully situated on Rosier Creek, and in full view of the Potomac River. The farm is provided with a small DWELLING HOUSE, and all the necessary out houses for a small family, together with Quarters, Corn Cribs, Granaries, &c.
The place is perfectly healthy, has a well of pure water in the yard, and plenty of stock water in each field—there is a convenient landing on the creek, and oysters, fish, and wild fowls are abundant in their season.
The FARM is now in a successful state of improvement, and well adapted to all the staple crops of the adjacent country.
MONROE'S HALL contains EIGHT HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIX ACRES, mostly wood land, and can be made a farm not second to any in the neighborhood—it is immediately on Monroe's Creek, that is navigable for vessels of light draft, and possesses every advantage of the water. These two farms can be divided so as to make three farms, with plenty timber for each.
SUGAR LAND contains ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THREE ACRES, and mostly in timber, the improvements consist of a comfortable DWELLING, and all the necessary out houses, for a large family. It is useless to give a further description of the above lands, as I presume no one will buy without examining for themselves. Any one wishing to examine either or all of the above named places, can call on R. B. Sutton, esq., who lives on the premises, and is fully authorized to sell any and all of the above lands until *August the 10th*, at which time, if not otherwise sold, I shall on that day on the premises, sell to the highest bidder, all or any portion that has not been previously sold. For further particulars, address THOS. B. REAMY, Falmouth, Va., or R. B. SUTTON, Millville, Va., where all communications will be immediately attended to. THOMAS B. REAMY,
Executor of Joshua Reamy, dec'd.
Westmoreland county, Va., my 8—eots

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE LAND, IN UPPER FAUQUIER.—In pursuance of the provisions of two deeds of trust, executed by James Rogers and wife, the first to Richards Payne, bearing date on the 13th day of October, 1855, and the second, to R. E. Scott, and John A. Spilman, bearing date on the 24th day of September, 1857, each recorded in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Fauquier county, Va., we, the undersigned, (acting under the authority of the deeds, respectively made to us,) will sell the tract of LAND in the said two deeds mentioned, on the premises at public auction, to the highest bidder, *on Tuesday, the 22d day of June*, 1858. The said tract of LAND containing EIGHT HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIX ACRES, lies in the upper part of Fauquier County, on the waters of Carters Run, within two miles of the Salem Station of the Manassas Gap Railroad—and is in every respect, one of the best estates in the County, or Piedmont region of Virginia. The soil is generally of the best quality, and has been highly improved, is well watered and heavily timbered. The improvements, consists of an elegant MANSION, in complete repair, and all necessary out-buildings for the accommodation of Servants and Stock necessary on the farm, Barn, Corn-Crib, &c. The neighborhood is healthy, and society polished. The estate comprises all that is necessary to render it a most desirable residence, and profitable investment.
Terms of Sale:—One-third part of the purchase money to be paid down in cash on day of sale, the residue to be divided into two equal annual payments to be secured by bonds with approved personal security, bearing interest from day of sale, and as further indemnity, the title to the said land to be withheld until all the purchase money is paid, with power of re-sale, in case the purchaser should fail to pay—in accordance with the terms herein set forth.
RICHARDS PAYNE, }
R. E. SCOTT, } Trustees.
JNO. A. SPILMAN, }
Fauquier Co., Va., ap 22—eots

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.—Pursuant to a decree entered at the last term of the Circuit Court of Loudoun, in the cause therein pending, of Heath vs. James, the undersigned, Commissioner therein named, will about noon, on *Saturday, the 3d day of July*, 1858, in front of Palmer's store, at Gum-Spring, in the county of Loudoun, offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, all that TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND, lying and being in the county of Loudoun, adjoining the lands of Thomas Suttle, Andrew Hutchison, Robert Cunningham and John S. Wilson, containing, or supposed to contain, TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTY ACRES OF LAND more or less, being the tract of land whereof Ruhama Buck died seized.
There is a DWELLING HOUSE upon the premises and the land is naturally good.
Terms.—The terms of sale are one-tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash, on the day of sale, to be forfeited on the failure of the purchaser to complete his purchase; the residue to be divided into three equal instalments, one payable on the confirmation of the sale, another in one, and the other in two years from the day of sale; the whole to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by bond with good security and the title to be retained till the purchase money be all paid. M. HARRISON,
Loudoun County, my 29—eots Comm'r.

# ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER.

## THE GAZETTE.

SATURDAY MORNING, JUNE 5, 1858.

### EXTRACTS FROM PUNCH.

A WORD TO THE WEAKER VESSEL.—A lady who obstinately persists in wearing hoops ought not to complain of being ridiculed. If she will make a barrel of herself, she must expect to be treated as one.

A RIVALRY WORTHY OF BEING NOTED.—Two cheap tailors are emulating the historical rivalries of Dusseck and Woelfl. Their rivalry runs upon servants' liveries. One has announced his *Knee Plus Ultra*, whilst the other goes beyond him by bringing out his *Plush! Ultra!* The first leaves off merely at the knee—whilst the second goes down to your very sole, and all for the same money! The various servants' halls of this large metropolis, so rich in flunkeydom, are ringing loud with the praises of the two compositions and the richness and softness of both are loudly extolled by the Jeamses and Jenkinses who have tried them on.

HABITS OF [illegible].—If a young lady is unable to support a riding habit, she should adopt a walking habit.

A PERILOUS POSITION.—A lady swooned the other day before one of the horrible Cawnpore pictures in the Royal Academy. Owing to the preposterous circumference of her dress, it was found impossible to approach within several yards of her. It was apprehended at one time that she would perish within sight of several hundred sympathizing bystanders, owing to the difficulty of conveying assistance to her; and it was not before the greater part of her skirt (more than sufficient, we are informed, to fill with the flounces and trimmings, three good-sized wheelbarrows,) had been ruthlessly cut away, that restoratives could be administered to her. One minute more delay, and the case might have been fatal!

GENTLEMEN'S FASHIONS.—We see our swells are partly turning their backs upon the all-round collars, that for so many months past have turned their heads—that is to say, granting the possibility of any one who was immured inside one of those linen fastnesses being able to turn his head at all. Our handsome young swells—the darling pets of old match-making Dowagers, and the cherished *proteges* of all lady patronesses who have marriageable daughters—are now devoting their cultivated minds to a new kind of collar. The present lawn enclosure is by no means so high, allowing a large slice of the neck to be exposed to the admiring gaze of the fair equestrians of Rotten Row. The outer rim is doubled down over the edge of the shoe-tie that still does gorge duty instead of a neck-kerchief. Sometimes the shoe-tie is run through a handsome ring and the ends allowed to dangle elegantly in front. The effect is especially light and airy.

One or two swells, anxious to distinguish themselves, have their initials, or their crests, engraved on this same ring, somewhat in the same style as sailors have the names of their ship chalked in white thread on the broad cushion of their breasts. The plan, though in a trifling degree redolent of the tincture of vanity, is not without its uses, as it is evident that if any swell wore at any time to lose or forget himself (as for instance, in a dangerous flirtation with an Irish widow, or, still worse, in making love to a dowerless beauty) he might be easily identified by the help of his signet-ring, and carried away immediately, before he had committed unjustifiable swellicide, to some place of safety.

However, we must beg to protest against the custom, that certain poetical sentimental young gentlemen of a Byronic tie and tendency are anxious to make popular, of having the name of their lady-love engraved on this same ring. It is too fantastic, and conceited and ungallant, to meet with our approving fiat. For instance, what right has an overgrown boy, like a juvenile Paul Bedford, to tell every one whose eyes happen to settle on his naked throat, that the name of the young lady, who is the temporary tenant of his bosom, is Zephyrina? We wonder how Zephyrina likes to have everyone ringing her name in this way in every divan and billiard-room all over town?

The new style, however, of doubling over the collar, and leaving the neck barely covered, gives us hopes that our glorious young swells are fast returning to the habits of their youth, and we may shortly expect to see a small squadron of them sailing down Pall Mall in short jackets, and large lay-down collars, falling, like elephant's ears, over their shoulders.

The fashion of trowsers improves, if anything, in ridicule. The latest attempt has been an endeavor to imitate the hour-glass —full even to bagging over the thigh, squeezed in tight about the knee, and rounded to a corresponding amount of bagginess over the calf. The effect is most supremely ridiculous; and as we suppose that is the effect desired, these new trowsers must be pronounced a great success, that is no less loud than it is genuine. Henceforth, peg-tops are split.

Umbrellas continue the same. The great point seems to be to get one long and light as a sunbeam. It requires six to equal the thickness of a common area railing, and they average about the same length.—*Our Own Dear Jenkins.*

A DERIVATION AND AN ILLUSTRATION.—The *telegram* is so called from two Greek works, *afar off*, and *writing;* and is so called from what is written being so often far off the meaning. Example:—

*What is writen*—"The 24th regiment was cut up at Azimghur."

*What is meant*—"The 24th regiment was *shut* up at Azimghur."

### AN ORNAMENT TO SOCIETY.

The conduct of certain youngsters who consider that they alone have a right to talk in company, reminds me of the awful satire of Charles Lamb upon a "pompious" young ass in the English navy, who mainly monopolized the conversation at a hospitable table of a friend in Camden-town, where Lamb was an honored guest. "That is a most extraordinary circumstance you mention," said Lamb, "I wonder he had not immediately ceased to exist." "Oh, no, no, not all; a mere *bullet* wound, don't you see; but a ball—a *cannon*-ball, don't you observe, is a different matter? Once, on the "Terriffic Johausbul," (478 gunship, ye know,) there was a sai.-aw who mounted the swawouds—a ball came and took off his 'ands and arms. He dwopped, of caws; but *w'ile* he was dwopping don't ye see, there came *another* cannon ball, which struck him abaft, and took off both of his legs. It could'nt possibly 'ave 'appened, you observe, in ten cases out of five in the most tewiffick engagement." "Wonderful," exclaimed Lamb, 'and you saw this yoursel:?' "I saw it as plain, p'raps on the 'ole, plainer than I see you at this moment!" "Ah! was the seaman saved? You say he dropped a 'elpless 'ulk into the boccan; but was he hultimately saved? "Good God, no!—harms gone—legs shot hoff, don't ye see?—'ow could he swim? *Lost* of caws!" "What a pity!" said Lamb, musingly—"if that man had been saved *he might have become an ornament to society.*"

NOTICE TO THE OWNERS OF DOGS.—All persons having DOGS, are required to apply to the Auditor for Licenses, on or before the 10th day of June.

The law will be strictly enforced against those failing to do so.

SAM'L. J. McCORMICK, Auditor.
je 1—dtd

LOST, on Tuesday night, on Water street, probably near Prince street, a FIVE DOLLAR NOTE, on the Bank of the Old Dominion. If the finder returns it, he will be suitably rewarded. Apply at this office. je 3—3t

## LOTTERY ADVERTISEMENTS.

BRILLIANT SCHEMES for JUNE, 1858.
GREGORY & MAURY, Managers.
WILMINGTON, DELAWARE.
*To be drawn under the Superintendence of Commissioners appointed by the Governor.*

40,000 DOLLARS!

LOTTERY for the benefit of the State of Delaware, Class 127, for 1858, to be drawn at Wilmington, Delaware, on SATURDAY, June 12th, 1858.

75 Number Lottery—12 drawn ballots.
SPLENDID SCHEME!

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| 1 grand prize | $40,000 | 10 prizes of | $4,000 |
| 1 prize of | 15,000 | 10 do of | 3,000 |
| 1 do of | 8,000 | 196 do of | 500 |
| 1 do of | 5,992 | &c., &c., | &c. |

Tickets $10—Halves $5—Quarters $2.50.

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| Certificates of Package | 26 Wholes | $150 00 |
| Do do | 26 Halves | 75 00 |
| Do do | 26 Quarters | 37 50 |

37,098 DOLLARS!

LOTTERY for the benefit of the State of Delaware, Class 133, for 1858, to be drawn at Wilmington, Delaware, on SATURDAY, June 19th, 1858.

75 number Lottery—12 drawn ballots.
BRILLIANT SCHEME.

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| 1 spl'd. prize of | $37,098 | 2 prizes of | $3,250 |
| 2 prizes of | 12,500 | 50 prizes of | 1,000 |
| 2 prizes of | 7,500 | 50 prizes of | 500 |
| 2 prizes of | 5,000 | 111 prizes of | 250 |
| &c., | &c., | | &c. |

Tickets $10; halves $5; quarters $2.50.

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| Certificates of packag's | 25 whole tickets | | $140 00 |
| do do | 25 half | do | 70 00 |
| do do | 25 quar's | do | 35 00 |

50,000 DOLLARS!

LOTTERY for the benefit of the State of Delaware, Class N, for 1858, to be drawn at Wilmington, Delaware, on SATURDAY, June 26th, 1858.

78 number Lottery—13 drawn ballots.
MAGNIFICENT SCHEME.

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| 1 grand prize | $50,000 | 1 prize of | $4,000 |
| 1 prize of | 22,500 | 1 do of | 3,493 |
| 1 do of | 15,000 | 3 prizes of | 2,000 |
| 1 do of | 10,000 | 75 do of | 1,000 |
| 1 do of | 7,500 | 200 lowest 3 No. | |
| 1 do of | 5,000 | prizes | 500 |
| &c., | &c., | | &c. |

Tickets $15—Halves $7 50—Quarters $3.75. Eighths $1 87½.

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| Certificates of packag's | 26 whole tickets | | $200 00 |
| do do | 26 half | do | 100 00 |
| do do | 26 quarter | do | 50 00 |
| do do | 26 eighth | do | 25 00 |

☞ ORDERS for Tickets and Shares and Certificates of Packages in the above Splendid Lotteries, will receive the most prompt attention, and an account of each drawing will be sent immediately after it is over, to all who order from me. Address, P. J. BUCKEY, Agent,
my 28—1m Wilmington, Delaware

MARYLAND STATE LOTTERIES.—R. FRANCE & CO., Managers of the Maryland State Lotteries, present the following SPLENDID SCHEMES FOR JUNE, 1858.

They caution purchasers of Tickets to beware of ordering Tickets in Lotteries, where extraordinary large Capitals are offered for a small cost of Tickets—all such are swindles.

The Maryland Lotteries have been in existence for forty years. They are drawn by a State Officer, and can be relied on. If you draw a Prize, you will get your money. The whole country is flooded with Bogus Lottery concerns. Beware of them.

☞ Order in the Maryland State Lotteries.

MAGNIFICENT SCHEME.
MARYLAND STATE LOTTERY, CLASS K,
To be drawn in Baltimore City, *June 19th*, 1858.
13 drawn Ballots out of 78,
MAKING THE PRIZES AND BLANKS EQUAL.

Every Package of 26 Tickets must contain 13 drawn numbers, so that there are 13 Prizes to 13 blanks.

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| 1 gd. prize of | $40,000 | 1 prize of | $5,000 |
| 1 prize of | 12,577 | 10 prizes of | 2,500 |
| 1 prize of | 5,000 | 10 prizes of | 1,500 |
| 1 prize of | 5,000 | 254 prizes of | 200 |
| 1 prize of | 5,000 | 65 prizes of | 100 |
| 1 prize of | 5,000 | 65 prizes of | 80 |
| 1 prize of | 5,000 | 65 prizes of | 60 |
| 1 prize of | 5,000 | 65 prizes of | 40 |
| 1 prize of | 5,000 | 4,810 prizes of | 20 |
| 1 prize of | 5,000 | 27,040 prizes of | 10 |
| 1 prize of | 5,000 | | |

32,396 prizes,....amounting to......$578,177

Tickets $10; Hlfs. $5; Quar. $2.50; Eigh. $1.25.

A Certificate of Package of 26 Wholes, $149 50
Do. do. 26 Halves....74 75
Do. do. 26 Quarters...37 37
Do. do. 26 Eighths...18 68

HAVANA PLAN.
THIS IS THE OLD MODE OF DRAWING.
*Prizes in one wheel and Tickets in another.*
EVERY PRIZE IS DRAWN OUT.
Prizes paid in full, without any deduction.

MARYLAND STATE LOTTERY, EXTRA CLASS 7, to be drawn in Baltimore, Md., *Saturday, June 26th*, 1858.

20,660 PRIZES! 40,000 NUMBERS!!
SPLENDID SCHEME

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| 1 Prize of | $35,000 | 4 | Apr'x to | $300 |
| 1 Prize of | 12,000 | 4 | " | 250 |
| 1 Prize of / 1 Prize of | 4,000 / 4,000 | 8 | " | 200 |
| 1 Prize of / 1 Prize of | 2,000 / 2,000 | 8 | " | 150 |
| 1 Prize of / 1 Prize of | 1,500 / 1,500 | 8 | " | 100 |
| 1 Prize of / 1 Prize of | 1,240 / 1,240 | 8 | " | 80 |
| 1 Prize of / 1 Prize of | 1,000 / 1,000 | 8 | " | 60 |
| 10 Prizes of | 400 | 40 | " | 50 |
| 10 Prizes of | 300 | 40 | " | 40 |
| 100 Prizes of | 200 | 400 | " | 20 |

20,000 Prizes of $8 each.

The 20,000 Prizes of $8, determined by the drawing of the Capital, whether odd or even.

Whole Tickets $10; Halves $5; Quarters $2.50.

A Managers' Certificate of 16 Wholes—where persons wish to pay the risk only, will be sent for............$96
Do. do. 16 Halves, for..........48
Do. do. 16 Quarters, "..........24
Do. do. 16 Eighths, "..........12

The Managers have been compelled from the numerous complaints made to them, of unfaithfulness on the part of those who have been attending to the filling of orders, to resume the correspondence business in their own name.

☞ Order Tickets from the Managers only. Address all letters to
R. FRANCE & CO., Baltimore, Md.
my 21—1m

ICE CREAM.—J. FUSSELL having established an agency for the sale of his celebrated Philadelphia ICE CREAM in Alexandria, respectfully informs the citizens of this place, that he has opened a Depot No. 35 King street, where he will be pleased to receive orders for large or small quantities. The price will be uniformly $1,50 per gallon, except when taken for Schools and benevolent purposes, picnics or excursions. In these cases the price will be less. Will open on Monday, May 31st.
my 27—eo1m*

FINE TABLE CUTLERY AND PLATED WARE.—I offer at a small advance upon cost, superior Ivory Handle Table and Dessert Knives, with or without Forks; Carvers; Game Carvers; Scoops for Pine Apple Cheese; Bread Knives, and Nut Picks. Also, Silver Plated Forks, Spoons, Ladles, Castors, &c. These Goods are from the best manufacturer I know. They are heavily plated on the best quality of Albata, and will give satisfaction.
mh 2 JOHN OGDEN.

REDUCTION OF FARE.—The fare at the MARSHALL HOUSE, corner of King and Pitt streets, Alexandria, Va., will hereafter be $1.50 per day.

☞ OMNIBUSES and PORTERS regular in attendance at the arrival and departure of the Cars and Boats. J. R. GRIGSBY,
my 8—tf Proprietor.

REFRIGERATORS, &c.—A lot of those celebrated Dr. Kane's Refrigerators have just arrived; that were so extensively used last season, and acknowledged by all to be the best in use; also, Waterman's Patent Ventilator, Upright Stone Ware, and Chest Refrigerators, Water Coolers, Tin Safes &c.
ap 6 H. I. GREGORY, No. 118 King-st.

## LOTTERY ADVERTISEMENT.

A Fortune of $70,000 to be had for $10.

SWAN & CO.'S LOTTERIES.—AUTHORIZED BY THE STATE OF GEORGIA.—The following Scheme will be drawn by S. SWAN & CO., Managers of the SPARTA ACADEMY LOTTERY, in each of their Single Number Lotteries for June, 1858, at Augusta, Georgia, in public, under the superintendence of Commissioners.

Class 19, to be drawn in the city of Augusta, Ga., in public, *on Saturday, June 12th*, 1858.

Class 20, to be drawn in the city of Augusta, Ga., in public, *on Saturday, June 19th*. 1858.

Class 21, to be drawn in the city of Augusta, Ga., in public, *on Saturday, June 26th*, 1858.

ON THE PLAN OF SINGLE NUMBERS.
5,485 *Prizes!—Nearly one Prize to every 9 Tickets!*
MAGNIFICENT SCHEME!
TO BE DRAWN EACH SATURDAY IN JUNE.

| | | | | | |
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| 1 | Prize of | $70,000 | 4 | Prizes of | $900 |
| 1 | " | 30,000 | 4 | " | 800 |
| 1 | " | 10,000 | 4 | " | 700 |
| 1 | " | 5,000 | 4 | " | 600 |
| 1 | " | 4,000 | 50 | " | 500 |
| 1 | " | 3,000 | 50 | " | 300 |
| 1 | " | 1,500 | 100 | " | 125 |
| 4 | " | 1,000 | 230 | " | 100 |

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

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| 4 Prizes of | $400 ap'g to | $70,000 are | $1,600 |
| 4 Prizes of | 300 ap'g to | 30,000 are | 1,200 |
| 4 Prizes of | 200 ap'g to | 10,000 are | 800 |
| 4 Prizes of | 125 ap'g to | 5,000 are | 500 |
| 4 Prizes of | 100 ap'g to | 4,000 are | 400 |
| 4 Prizes of | 75 ap'g to | 3,000 are | 300 |
| 4 Prizes of | 50 ap'g to | 1,500 are | 200 |
| 5,000 Prizes of | 20 are | | 100,000 |

5,485 Prizes amounting to..........$320,000

Whole Tickets $10; Halves $5; Quarters $2.50.

PLAN OF THE LOTTERY.

The Numbers from 1 to 50,000, corresponding with those Numbers on the Tickets printed on separate slips of paper, are encircled with small tin tubes, and placed in one wheel.

The first 457 Prizes, similarly printed and encircled, are placed in another wheel.

The wheels are then revolved, and a number is drawn from the wheel of Numbers, and at the same time a Prize is drawn from the other wheel. The Number and Prize drawn out are opened and exhibited to the audience, and registered by the Commissioners, the Prize being placed against the number drawn. This operation is repeated until all the Prizes are drawn out.

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.—The two preceding and the two succeeding Numbers to those drawing the first 7 Prizes, will be entitled to the 28 Approximation Prizes.

For example: if Ticket No. 11250 draws the $70,000 Prize, those Tickets numbered 11248, 11249, 11251, 11252, will each be entitled to $400. If Ticket No. 550 draws the $30,000 Prize, those Tickets numbered 548, 549, 551, 552, will each be entitled to $300, and so on according to the above scheme.

The 5,000 Prizes of $20 will be determined by the last figure of the Number that draws the $70,000 prize. For example, if the Number drawing the $70,000 Prize ends with No. 1, then all the Tickets where the number ends in 1 will be entitled to $20. If the Number ends with No. 2, then all the Tickets where the Number ends in 2 will be entitled to $20, and so on to 0.

Certificates of Packages will be sold at the following rates, which is the risk:

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| Certificates of Packages, | | | 10 wle. tickets, | | $80 00 |
| Do | do | do | 10 half | do | 40 00 |
| Do | do | do | 10 quarter | do | 20 00 |
| Do | do | do | 10 eighth | do | 10 00 |

IN ORDERING TICKETS OR CERTIFICATES

Enclose the money to our address for the Tickets ordered, on receipt of which they will be forwarded by first mail.

Purchasers can have Tickets ending in any figure they may designate.

The list of drawn Numbers and Prizes will be sent to purchasers immediately after the drawing.

☞ Purchasers will please write their signatures plain, and give their Post Office, County, and State.

☞ Remember that every prize is drawn, and payable in full without deduction.

☞ All prizes of $1,000 and under, paid immediately after the drawing—other prizes at the usual time of thirty days.

All communications strictly confidential.

Address orders for tickets or certificates to
S. SWAN & CO., Augusta, Ga.

☞ Persons residing near Montgomery, Ala., or Atlanta, Ga., can have their orders filled, and save time, by addressing S. SWAN & CO., at either of those cities.

☞ A list of the numbers that are drawn from the wheel, with the amount of the prize that each one is entitled to, will be published after every drawing, in the following papers:—Augusta, (Georgia,) Constitutionalist, New Orleans Delta, Mobile Register, Charleston Standard, Nashville Gazette, Atlanta Intelligencer, New York Weekly Day Book, Savannah Morning News, Richmond Dispatch, New York Dispatch, Paulding (Miss.) Clarion, and Little Rock (Ark) True Democrat. my 31—dtd

## GUANO, &c.

PHOSPHATIC GUANO.—I am receiving supplies of NEVASSA OR BROWN COLOMBIAN GUANO.

"The above article is a most concentrated Phosphatic manure, and should be welcomed as a great desideratum.

(Signed) CHARLES BICKELL, Ph. D."

The article is ground to a fine powder, and put up in strong bags. For sale low.
mh 13 JAMES C. NEVETT.

DE BURG EXCELSIOR.—This valuable manure, originally known as a Super Phosphate of Lime, is now infinitely superior in value to any fertilizer sold under that name, being as quick in its effects as Peruvian Guano (which no mere Super Phosphate can be) and leaving the land in a much better condition than that article.

The genuine is put up in strong Barrels with white heads, the name stencilled in Black letters, and the inspection brand in red letters underneath. For sale at Baltimore prices.
JAMES C. NEVETT, Agent for
feb 27 Alexandria, opposite Pioneer Mills.

GUANOS.—I have in store and will be receiving during the season, full supplies of No. 1. COLUMBIAN GUANO, in strong sacks. MEXICAN GUANO A. A. & A., in sacks and barrels, all warranted to be of the very best quality, and having the Baltimore Inspection brand on each package, for sale at lowest rates, by JAMES C. NEVETT,
feb 27 Successor to Nevett & Snowden.

GUANO.—Peruvian Guano, in store, and for sale by
mh 31 ADDISON, WALLACE & CO.

## BOOTS AND SHOES.

ALEXANDRIA, VA., JANUARY 1ST, 1857.—*RICHARD Y. CROSS* has this day associated with him in business, *JOHN W. LUGENBEEL* and *HENRY C. FIELD*, for the purpose of carrying on a GENERAL SHOE BUSINESS, AT No. 74, KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA., under the firm name and style of CROSS, LUGENBEEL & CO., where the public generally are invited to call and examine their large and well-selected Stock of BOOTS, SHOES, &c., which will be sold for cash, or to strictly punctual customers, as low as they can be had (quality considered) in this or any other city.

☞ Particular attention paid to CUSTOM WORK, both as to material and workmanship, and warranted to please. A call is respectfully solicited at the SHOE STORE of
jan 7 CROSS, LUGENBEEL & CO.

THE CASH SYSTEM ADOPTED.—The subscriber having tried the credit system, and found that it will not pay, has concluded to adopt the CASH principle. In future and from this date, he will continue to do business upon the above principle. In bidding adieu to the old system, he would return his thanks to his customers for past favors, and hopes by strict attention and such inducements as he may offer, to continue it under the new.
jan 1—tf JOHN L. SMITH.

BOOTS AND SHOES, FOR CASH ONLY!!
HENRY L. SIMPSON, Agent for STEPHEN K. FIELD, will continue to furnish BOOTS AND SHOES, *for cash only*, at his old stand, *No. 8 North Royal street.* mh 13–3m

MASSER'S PATENT CREAM FREEZERS have given entire satisfaction, and are considered the best Freezers in use. For sale by [mh 22] JOHN OGDEN.

## DRUGS, CHEMICALS, &c.

TOILET AND SHAVING SOAPS.—Cleaver's Musk Windsor, highly recommended for its balsamic qualities and delightful aroma; Low's genuine Brown Windsor, Glenn's Brown and White Windsor, pure Palm Oil, Sun Flower and Barber's Soap; Gales' Honey Toilet, Transparent Bar and Ball Soap; Bazin's Amandine, Poncine, Sand, Palmyrene, Brown and White Omnibus, Rimmel's pure White Almond, a delightful and economical Soap; Saponaceous Shaving Compound; Ambrosial Cream; Wright's Yankee and Military Shaving Soap, received, and for sale by WILLIAM A. HART,
No. 109, King-street, cor. of Pitt.
☞ Sign of the Golden Mortar. je 3

FO HYESCEAMUS; White Wax; Canary Seed; Spanish Saffron; Ferriet Quin Citras; Acetate Potash; Chinodine; Oil Black Pepper, and Soluble Citrate of Iron, received, and for sale by PEEL, STEVENS & CO.,
je 4 corner King and Alfred streets.

WOOD'S HAIR RESTORATIVE—A supply on hand; also, Jayne's Hair Tonic, Mrs. Allen's Hair Restorative, and Twigg's Hair Tonic, for sale by
JOHN LEADBEATER & SON,
6 mo 2 Stabler's Old Stand.

HAIR RESTORATIVE.—Mrs. Allen's world renowned HAIR RESTORER, an unfailing preserver of the Hair, and renewer of its original color. A full supply, received, and for sale at JOHN A. MILBURN'S,
je 2 Drug Store.

DRUGS, &c.—Sup. Carb. Soda; Cream Tartar; Oxalic Acid; Aconitine; Atropia; Oil of Tobacco; Oil Anise; Oil Lemon; Oil Peppermint; Oils Neroli and Citronella, just received, and for sale by J. WILLIAM BOWLING,
my 26 cor. of Fairfax and Prince-sts.

PRESCRIPTIONS accurately compounded, at our Store, corner of King and Alfred streets. Night bell on King street.
PEEL, STEVENS & CO.,
je 2 corner of King and Alfred-sts.

CARB. AMMONIA, Flax Seed, White and Yellow Wax, Spermaceti, Epsom Salts, Senna, Magnesia, and Cream Tartar, received, and for sale by PEEL, STEVENS & CO.,
my 24 • cor. of King and Alfred sts.

PERFUMERY, FANCY ARTICLES, &c.—A large and carefully selected stock, kept constantly on hand, by
J. WILLIAM BOWLING,
my 26 cor. of Fairfax and Prince-sts.

TURNIP SEED,—Ruta Baga Turnip Seed, received, and for sale by
J. LEADBEATER & SON,
6 mo 4 Stabler's Old Stand.

ENGLISH MUSTARD, of warranted purity and of superior strength and flavor, for sale by JOHN A. MILBURN, Apothecary,
je 2 N. E. cor. of King and Wash-sts.

DR. MARSHALL'S DINNER or Health Pills, prepared from the original recipe, in the best manner, by
je 1 H. COOK & CO., Sarepta Hall.

CANVASS FOR ARTISTS, by the yard, or on any size stretchers, for sale by
J. LEADBEATER & SON,
6 mo 1 Stabler's old stand.

ALCOHOL AND ETHEREAL OIL—A full supply, received, and for sale by
je 4 H. COOK & CO., Sarepta Hall.

DENISON'S BLOOD SYRUP, received, and for sale by HENRY COOK & CO.,
je 2 Sarepta Hall.

OSWEGO STARCH, and Corn Starch, for making Puddings, &c., for sale by
my 31 H. COOK & CO.

STAFFORD'S OLIVE TAR—A full supply, received, and for sale by
je 2 H. COOK & CO., Sarepta Hall.

## AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, &c.

MANNY'S COMBINED REAPER AND MOWER WITH WOOD'S IMPROVEMENT.—In again offering for sale the above MACHINES, I feel confident that they are the best Machine made, and will best meet the wants of the farmer—being simple, durable, and effective. These Machines have taken the highest premium for several years past. In the harvest of 1857, they took the first premium on every trial, in competition with the best Machines in the country, for their "simplicity, durability, cost of machine, effective power, quality of cut, and facility of management."

Persons wanting these Machines will send in their orders as soon as possible, as it will require several weeks to get them, if not on hand. These Machines have had some improvements since last harvest. I will be glad to send a Catalogue describing the Machine to any one who may wish to see them.
DRAYTON G. MEADE, Agent,
Agricultural Warehouse, No. 12, Fairfax street; Alexandria, Va. my 17—eo1m

REAPING AND MOWING MACHINES.—*MANNY'S COMBINED REAPER and MOWER, with WOOD'S IMPROVEMENT*—We will be prepared to furnish our customers with this valuable Machine for the approaching harvest. Our supply will be direct from the Factory, and persons may rely on getting the genuine MANNY'S REAPER.

Also, RAY'S AMERICAN REAPER AND MOWER, a Machine which can be used by Farmers for cutting their Grain and Grass; without one cog wheel, and but one journal box in the whole machinery; almost as simple and durable as the Plough, and not liable to break or get out of order.

Circulars, descriptive of the Machinery, will be sent gratis on application, and all communications will receive prompt attention.
ADDISON, WALLACE & CO.,
my 17—1m Union street.

HARVEST IMPLEMENTS.—I have now in store, a large supply of very superior GRAIN CRADLES, made expressly for this market, being much stronger and longer than ever before offered. Also, Grass and Grain Scythe and Snathes, Harvest Rakes, Revolving Hay Rakes, Wire Teeth Horse Rakes, Whet Boards, Whet Stones, &c. For sale by
DRAYTON G. MEADE,
my 27 No. 12, Fairfax-street.

POTATOES.—A lot of prime Jersey Mercer POTATOES, just received, and for sale by
ADDISON, WALLACE & CO.,
my 21 Union-street.

ALEXANDRIA LIBRARY COMPANY.—Library kept in the south room, first-story, of the Lyceum Hall, S. W. corner of Prince and Washington streets. Open every day from 3 to 5, and from 7½ to 9 o'clock, P. M. Annual subscription, $3; six months, $1.50; three months, $1. Volumes in Library, about 4,800.

President—FRANCIS MILLER.
—DIRECTORS:—

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| Daniel F. Witmer, | J. Edward Chase, |
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my 5—1y Librarian—Norval E. Foard.

NOTICE.—The senior partner having withdrawn from the firm of JAMES GREEN & SONS, our future business will be conducted under the name and style of GREEN & BRO., who have now on hand for sale, and will continue to manufacture, at the old stand, corner of Prince and Fairfax streets, a general assortment of the most modern and antique FURNITURE, FEATHER BEDS, HAIR, and SHUCK MATTRESSES, &c., and every other article embraced in our line of business. We hope by the aid of the most modern machinery, and the many conveniences which our manufactory is provided with, to be able to make it the interest of those wanting anything in our line, to give us a call. JOHN W. GREEN,
ap 30—tf S. A. GREEN.

500 TONS BRIGHT DRY SHUCKS WANTED, for which a fair price will be given. FITZPATRICK & BURNS, Manufacturers of the best curled Hair, Cotton, and SHUCK MATTRESSES; also, Spring Beds and Spring Lounges, Cotton Bats, &c.
sep 28—tf

## GROCERIES, &c.

FINE CHEWING TOBACCO.—Just received, another consignment of superior CHEWING TOBACCO, from the celebrated factory of M. Langhorn & Sons, Lynchburg—
10 boxes R. W. Crenshaw
5 " Extra fine Oronoco
Gem of Virginia, in fancy boxes
Sallie Cary, 5 lb. "
Royal Arch, 10 lb. "
Juliana May, 8 lb. "

For sale to the trade at Factory prices in Lynchburg. Dealers are requested to call and examine. L. M. McCORMICK,
my 26 Theatre Building.

F. A. MARBURY, WHOLESALE DEALER IN *FOREIGN and DOMESTIC WINES and LIQUORS*, No. 9, North side of King street, 2nd door from Union street, offers for sale Rectified Whiskey; Old Rye do., all grades, some very old and superior
French Brandy, various qualities
Domestic Brandy; Apple do.; Cherry do
New England Rum; Peach Brandy
Holland Gin; Jamaica Rum; pure Spirits
Port, Sherry, Maderia, Malaga, and Champagne Wines; Cordials; Ale; Porter, &c., &c.
mh 9

LIQUORS.—We have just received, a good supply of FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC LIQUORS, consisting in part of—
20 bbls. Rectified Whiskey
30 " Proof do
15 one-eighth casks Brandy
Half cask superior Henessey
5 casks Burgundy Port Wine
2 " Madeira "
2 " Sherry "

Together with a fine stock of Old Rye Whiskey, London Cordial, Gin, Cigars, Tobacco, Teas, &c., for sale by
mh 9 POWELL & CO.

SPRING SUPPLY.—The undersigned are now receiving per Schrs. Lady Suffolk, Statesman, Fairfax, Ann Pickerell, and Salisbury, from Philadelphia, New York, and Boston, their Spring supply of GROCERIES, LIQUORS, WINES, TOBACCO AND CIGARS, comprising a general and desirable assortment, to which they invite the attention of the trade generally. McVEIGH & CHAMBERLAIN,
mh 30 Prince street Wharf.

PORTLAND SUGAR AND SYRUP.

200 BBLS. H. B. PORTLAND SYRUP
125 bbls. Yellow do. SUGAR
75 " A. A. do. do.

We are constantly receiving supplies of the above SUGARS and SYRUP, which we offer to the trade at Manufacturer's prices.
FOWLE & CO., Agents
mh 10 Portland Sugar Co.

FISH.—475 bbls. No. 1 Eastern Herring
25 half bbls. Shore packed Family Roe Herring
50 kegs Shad Roe
100 bbls. No. 1 Potomac Herring, in store, and for sale by
my 26 WASHINGTON & CO.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.—Fine, Superfine, and Extra Flour; Lard; tub and roll Butter; Bacon, Corn Meal, Maple Sugar, Beeswax, Tallow, Deer Skins, Timothy and Clover Seed. For sale by GRAY, MILLER & CO.,
je 1 corner of King and Water-sts.

THIS DAY RECEIVED, Choice Brands of Family, Extra, and Superfine FLOUR; a nice lot of Country Bacon; Corn Meal; Country Soap, a beautiful article, to which we invite the attention of the trade.
my 22 Z. ENGLISH & BRO.,

BAKER'S LIGHT PRESSED TOBACCO.—The undersigned are in receipt of BAKER'S LIGHT PRESSED TOBACCO, which they offer in lots to suit purchasers.
my 25—tf KNOX & BRO.

FISH.—300 bbls. prime No. 1 Newfoundland Herring
100 bbls. prime No. 1 St. Johns' Alewives, on hand, and for sale by M. ELDRIDGE,
my 28 Union Wharf.

FISH.—
50 bbls. No. 1 Family Potomac Herring
25 half bbls. do do
50 bbls. Eastport Herring, for sale by
my 19—eo2m T. A. BREWIS & CO.

WINES.—Champagne, of various brands; Sherry and Port, of excellent quality, in casks and bottles; Claret, &c
F. A. MARBURY,
my 12 No. 9, King street.

100 BBLS. PRIME EASTERN HERRING, just received, and for sale; also, Harrison's Family Flour, and Welch's premium Flour, by the dray load or single barrel.
my 19 S. HARTLEY & SON.

SUGAR.—Five hhds. prime PORTO RICO SUGAR and MOLASSES, for sale by
L. M. McCORMICK,
je 3 Theatre Building.

JUTE ROPE.—75 coils Jute Rope, assorted sizes, in store, and for sale by
GRAY, MILLER & CO.,
je 2 corner of King and Water-sts

HERRING.—50 bbls. Newfoundland HERRING, this day receiving, and for sale by
GRAY, MILLER & CO.,
je 1 corner of King and Water-sts.

FISH! FISH!!—
300 bbls. Eastern Herring
50 " Alewives, for sale low by
je 1 ROBINSON & PAYNE.

PLASTER.—120 tons Lump Plaster, this day received, and for sale by
GRAY, MILLER & CO.,
je 2 corner of King and Water-sts.

SHAD AND HERRING.—Potomac Shad and Herring, in store, and for sale by
GRAY, MILLER & CO.,
je 2 corner of King and Water-sts.

FAMILY FLOUR.—100 bbls. "Jonathan Ewers" "Greenway," and "Jordon" FAMILY FLOUR, for sale by
my 13—eo1m T. A. BREWIS & CO.

ONE CASK very superior Sugar Cured HAMS, just received, and for sale by
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OLD WHISKEY.—125 bbls. OLD WHISKEY, (some of which is very superior,) in store, and for sale by
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11 HHDS. PORTO RICO SUGAR, received, and for sale by
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100 BOXES SCOTCH HERRING, received, and for sale by
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10 BAGS SANTOS COFFEE
12 half chests Tea, for sale by
my 25 PERRY & PENNYBACKER.

12 DOZEN CORN BROOMS, 6 dozen Painted Buckets, in store, and for sale by
my 28 JOHN A. DIXON.

PLASTER.—300 tons Soft Windsor Blue Plaster, on hand, and for sale by
my 28 M. ELDRIDGE, Union Wharf.

20 HHDS. PRIME PORTO RICO SUGAR, for sale by
my 25 WASHINGTON & CO.

OTARD, DUPUY & CO., Hennessey and other favorite Brandies, for sale by
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WINES.—Champagne, Sherry, Port, of excellent quality, for sale by
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15 BBLS. EASTERN HERRING, in store, and for sale by
my 27 JOHN A. DIXON.

300 BBLS EASTERN HERRING, for sale by
my 24 PERRY & PENNYBACKER.

FAMILY, EXTRA, AND SUPERFINE FLOUR, in store, and for sale by
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15 BOXES Oswego Starch; also, Corn Starch, just received from New York, and for sale by [my 28] JOHN A. DIXON.

## CLOTHING.

NEW GOODS—SPRING AND SUMMER STYLES.—The undersigned has received a full supply of GOODS in his line, and respectfully calls the attention of gentlemen to his present stock as being of the most modern patterns and of the very best fabrics. He names in part—Cloths and Cassimeres of the most approved shades and qualities; Silk, Satin and Marseilles Vestings, Linen Drillings, &c., which he will make up on the most favorable terms; also, Marseilles and Linen Shirts and Collars, Suspenders, Gloves, Hosiery, Cravats, Stocks, Neck Ties, and a full assortment of Tailor Trimmings. Thankful for past favors, he promises renewed efforts to give satisfaction to his customers, and hopes to secure a good share of the public patronage. All work executed by him, will be considered as cash unless otherwise agreed on.

☞ Wishing to discontinue the Ready Made Clothing Business, he will sell his present stock at great bargains. WM ARNOLD,
ap 20 Merchant Tailor, No. 67 King st.

MORE NEW GOODS.—The undersigned has just added to his stock, a fine assortment of FRENCH DRILLINGS, (plain and colored) superior Marseilles for VESTINGS, and a beautiful article of Drap D'Ete., for coats, which he is prepared to furnish at the lowest rates. WM. ARNOLD,
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I have, also, on my last visit to the North, made arrangements for manufacturing Clothing to measure, at the shortest notice; which, for neatness, fashion, and durability, will defy competition.

In the Furnishing line, I am supplied from the first manufactories, and am always kept posted as to the latest styles.

Gentlemen's SHIRTS made to order, and warranted to fit, or no sale. All I ask is a trial.

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REMOVAL.—A. S. ROBINSON, *MERCHANT TAILOR*, has removed to No. 22, SOUTH ROYAL STREET, a few doors below the Office of the Virginia Sentinel, where he has just opened a splendid assortment of GOODS in his line, embracing everything necessary for the full equipment of gentlemen in the most elegant and fashionable suits. Also, SHIRTS, COLLARS, GLOVES, HOSIERY, NECK TIES, &c.

Having bought his Goods for cash, and also greatly reduced his expenses, he is prepared to furnish his CASH customers with all articles in his line, at the very lowest figures. All orders will be promptly and faithfully attended to.

☞ Don't forget the number—*22 South Royal street.* ap 27—tf

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☞ Merchants and consumers are respectfully invited to call and examine my stock before purchasing. Orders will be promptly attended to. dec 10

BEREA GRIND STONES, NAIL RODS, HORSE-SHOE IRON, WELL WHEELS, WELL BUCKETS, WELL TUBING, WELL CHAIN, CAST STEEL, ANVILS, VICES, BUILDING MATERIALS, &c.—The subscriber has added to his stock and has on hand the above description of goods, which he will sell for cash, or to punctual customers on a credit to be agreed upon—his main object being to build up a first class retail trade, and not being now bound by any principle to maintain a distinction between his different classes of customers as when courting the Wholesale Country Merchant Trade, he will sell his goods singly at dozen prices, and will make it an object for his friends to deal with him, being well acquainted with the business in which he is engaged. He has advantages in the purchase of his goods which will enable him to sell at low figures, and asks a trial at your hands.
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