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Those bright and happy children That used to please us so, Like buds at Autumn's coming, They perished long ago. The fair and gentle maidens
Who blessed these homes of ours, Ah me, they too departed, And left us with the ilowers.

As these come thronging 'round us, From friendship's broken chain, We half forget our sorrow In seeing them again
Once more their eyes seem sorrowing
In a sea of holy light.
As if their souls were dreaming
Of a better world's delight.

Thus, at the close of even, When on the half-lit wall.
The shadows seem to lengthen
Into phantoms grim and tall; Dear memory brings around us
The friends of other years,
'Till our minds grow full of thinking
And our eyes grow dim with tears.

DISTANCES IN FRANCE.

The New York Commercial Advertiser publishes the following valuable table of distances from Paris: Most of the war maps thus far issued are imperfect. One for example, which has twice been published by a cotemporary, locates Paris far to the northwest of Montmedy, instead of being far to the southwest. No two scales of miles agree. Furthermore, these maps, hastily thrown together, locate places all the way from 100 to 150 miles apart. We were struck with this in measuring for the distance between Paris and Montmedy. Owing to this we have collated, from European sources, the following table of distances, which should be preserved for reference. We make Paris the objective point, since both armies appear to be advancing on that city, and it is the object of general

attraction. The distance is, from Paris to Miles. 312 Gretz, . 161 Chalindrey,... 214 Vesone,... 201 Bar sur Aube, 197 Chalmoison, ... 235 Gray,.... 220 Villers. Lagny . Ehorigny e Chatelet

With this table of distances before them, readers can determine to a great extent for themselves the whereabouts of the opposing forces and detachments as their movements are chronicled from day to day in our foreign dispatches. The distances are not as the bird flies, but ge nerally represent the intervening railroad space berween Paris and the various places named

"PRUSSIA." A "Constant Reader" wants information as to the form of government of "Prussia proper." We reply that it is now a constitutional monarchy, hereditary in the male line of the house of Hohenzollern. The constitution, which is derived from grant by King Frederick William IV., brother of the present sovereign, modified by subsequent grants, and has only been in existence since 1848, vests the executive and part of the legislative authority in the King. In the executive branch he is assisted by a council of ministers appointed by himself. The legislative bodies consist of the "Herrenhaus," which is the Upper Chamber, and is composed of the princes of the royal family , sixteen 'mediatized' princes; the heads of the territorial nobility; eight life peers; eight titled noblemen elected by the resident land-owners in the eight provinces; representa. tives of the universities; the heads of "chapters;" the mayors of towns having more than 50,000 inhabitants, and persons nominated at the pleasure of the King. The second chamber is camposed

of 432 members, chosen for three years by general but not universal suffrage. Every Prussian subject is enrolled in the army upon reaching the age of twenty, and serves three years in the regular army; four in the reserves, and nine in the "Landwehr," or militia. Even at the age of fifty he is not exempt from military daty, but is then enrolled in the "Landsturn," or 'home guard.' On a peace footing, a Prussian regiment consists of three battallions, numbering 518 each; in war, the battalions are increased to 1,002 each.

'Prussia proper' contains 24.043.296 nhabitants; the North-German Confed. eration, including Prussia, 29,910,367; the population of the South-German States is 8,611,522, making the total pop. ulation of all the countries under the military leadership of King William, 38 -521,000. That of France is 38,192,094. -N. Y. Journal of Commerce. Mrs. Partington has been sick, and

being inspired, expressed her feelings in the following language: 'La, me! here I have been suffering the bigamies of death for three mortal weeks. First I was seized with a bleeding phrenology in the left hemisphere of the brain, which was exceeded by a stoppage of the left ventilator of the heart. This gave me an inflammation of the borax, and now I'm sick with the chloroform morhus. There's no blessing like that of wealth, particularly when you're sick.'

Poor relief-being relieved of one's

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FELINE HOMERIC. The following poem, from the Sen Francisco Golden Era, is not only Homeric in lyre, but complete in itself, for it ends with a total annihilation of the com-

batants:
On a pine wood shed, in alley dark, where scattered moonbeams shifting thro' a row of tottering chimneys and awning torn and drooping. fell, strode hack and forth with stiff and tense drawn muscles and peculiar tread, a cat.

His name was Norval; on yonder neighboring shed his father caught the rats, that came in squads from street beyond Dupont, in search of food and some strange adventure.

Grim war he courted, and his twisted tail, and spine upheaving in fantastic curve, and claws distended, and cars flatly pressed against a head thrown back defiantly, told of impending strile.

With eyes agleam, and screeching blasts of war, and steps as silent as the falling dew, young Norval crept along the splintered edge, and gazed a moment through the darkness down with a tail awag triumphantly.

Then, with an impresation and a growl -perhaps an oath in direct vengeance hissed-he started back, and crooked in body like the letter S, or rather like a U

inverted, stood in fierce expectancy.

'Twas well. With eyeballs glaring and ears aslant, and open mouth in which two rows of fangs stood forth in sharp and dread conformity, slap up a post out of the dark below a head appeared. A dreadful toesin of infernal strife young Norval uttered, then with a face unblanched, and moustache standing

straight before his nose, and tail flung wildly to the passing breeze, stepped back in cautious invitation to the foe. Approaching each other, and with preparations dire, each surveyed the van-tage of the field. Around they walked, with tails uplifted and backs high in air, while from their mouths in accents hissing with consuming rage, dropped brief

but awful sentences of hate.

Twice around the roof they went in circle, each eye upon the foe intently bent; then sideways moving as is wont with cats, gave one long-drawn, terrific, savage yeow, and buckled in. The fur flew. A mist of hair hung

o'er the battle-field. High above the din of passing wagons rose the dreadful tumult of the struggling cats. So gleamed their eyes in frenzy, that to me, who saw the conflict from the window near, naught else was plain but gory stars that moved in orbits most eccentric. An hour they struggled in tempestuous night, then faint and fainter grew

hushed. Then went I forth with lan-Six claws, one ear-of teeth p a handful; naught else except a solitary tail. That tall was Norval's; by a ring I knew it. The ear was-but we'll let

the matter pass. The tail will do with. out the ear. From Josh Billings's Papers.

Thare iz one critter in this world whoze troubles yu kant console, and she iz-a setting ben. Thoze people who spend all ov their spare time watching their simptoms, are

the kind who enjoy poor health.

Whenever a minister haz preached a sermon that pleazes the whole congregashun, he probably haz preached one that the Lord wont endorse.

Evry body seems tew be willing to be a phool himself, but he kant bear to have enny body else one. The philosophers, az a class, are a sett of old grannys, who possess grate knowledge, part of which haz bin handed down to them, and the ballance they guess at. About the fust and the last thing a human being duz in this world iz tew

shed tears. Thare iz no greater proff ov the power ov love than that the crimes committed in its interests are in a measure hallowed. I kan tell exactly how thi nabors young ones ought tew be fetched up, but aint so clear about mi own.

be abuzed for the privilege ov abuzing others. Thare iz some folks in this world who spend their whole time hunting after ighteousness, and haint got enny spare time tew praktiss it.

man that severe training duz on the pugilist-it reduses him tew his fighting weight. Natur kan be improved upon often with good effekt, but to alter it generally spiles the whole thing.

Affliktions are like the summer sun.

Adversity haz the same effekt on a

Obeying Orders. A certain general of the United States army, supposing his favorite horse dead, ordered an Irlshman to go and skin him.

They wilt for the purpuss ov ripening.

'What's that to you?' replied the officer. 'Do as I bid you, and ask no questions.'

Pat went about his business, and in an

hour or two returned.

'What, is Silver Tail dead?' asked

'Well, Pat, where have you been all this time?' asked the general. 'Skinning the horse yer honor,' 'Does it take nearly two hours to perform such an operation?' 'No, yer honor; but thin ye see it tuk

bove half an hour to catch him.'

'Catch him! fire and furies!

alive? 'Yes, yer honor ! and ye know I couldn't skin him alive.' 'Skin him alive; and did you kill

'To be sure I did; ye know I must obey orders without asking any ques-

dy,' but hew about the corned?

A Few Words to Parents. You have provided for the benefit of your children's education, facilties unsurpassed in the world.

You have the opportunity of giv-ing them an education that will be worth more to them than gold and It is the duty of the parent to give the child as good an education

Gld Commonwealth.

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JOB PRINTING.

We are prepared to do every des

as can possibly be attained with their means. How foolish, how short-sighted then is the spirit shown by some parents in refusing to provide their children with the needful books, at the expense of a few dollars, that they expend for that which is worse then useless. The

following case came tinder our observation a short time since: Two children, brother and sister, both intelligent, rather above the average, willing and anxious to learn, were forced to leave the class of English grammar, because their parents refused to provide them

of education privileges? Be assured that if your children are denied an education, their's will be a life of sorrow and toil, a life

ent who denies his child the means of acquiring knowledge. You cannot place too high a value upon the educational facilities at your command. Do not think that

You may leave your children wealth, but this may take wings and fly away; learning will abide with them forever. Remember. knowledge is power.'

the squall of war, until all sound was tern, and the field surveyed. What saw and blue eyes on Sunday night, and he will feel so heavily that he won't get down to pork and beans again

till the latter part of the week.' A lady was passing a long a street in Richmond the other day, when she was met by a young man full of bad whiskey, who in staggering past stepped on her dress. Turning to the lady, he remarked apologet-

Thad. Stevens once having lost a cause in a country court, through a stupid ruling of the judge, left the room, scattering imprecations right and left. The judge straightened bimself to his to 'express his contempt for this court.'

I should say we were going to have a thaw.' 'What is that?' inquired A loafer iz a person who is willing tew the friend. 'There's nothing froze,' said Joe. A gentleman was one day asked by a friend how he kept himself

said Joe, 'if it wasn't for one thing

all the quarrel to himself. The editor of a Missouri paper asks his readers to excuse the looks of his paper as he is in bed from the effects of a

s bounded north by her husband, on the east by her baby, on the south by her mother-in-law, and on the west by a maiden aunt.

themselves with their tails: Always do as the sun does-look at the bright side of everything. For, while it is just as cheap, it is three times as

good for digestion.

not even borrow trouble, his case is desperate.

When a man gets so low that he will

The sweetest of strains-Trying to lift a pretty girl on a horse.

with the proper text book, at an expense of one dollar and twentyfive cents for both. Will people ever learn the value

long struggle for a bare existence: a life without hope or enjoyment. Educated labor will always take the lead in the world. It will always command the best position and the ignorant plodder will be obliged to take what is left. Fearful will be the account of the par-

because they cost little they are worth little.

There is a hotel in Springfield that only charges half price for lovers; and yet the proprietor says he makes more money out of this class of boarders than any other people about the house. 'Let a youth,' he says, 'set up with a yellow spencer

ically, Hoops take up too much room, to which the lady quietly replied, Not so much as whiskey, sir,' and passed on.

full height, assumed an air of offended majesty, and asked Thad. if he meant Thad, turned to him very deferentially, in feigned amazement, Express my contempt for this court! No, sir, I am trying to conceal it, your honor. One exceeding warm day in June neighbor met an old man and femarked that it was very hot. 'Yes,'

from being involved in quartels .-By letting the angry person have

ight with a delinquent subscriber. A woman lecturer says woman's sphere

Pass along your hot-weather items. It is so hot in Iowa City, that the catfish come out under the trees and fan

Brass insruments develop the counterance. There are also some countenances that have a lively development of brass.

High rent-Tearing a lady's dress at the shoulder.

The most difficult thing to remember-The poor.

Corn is quoted in the market as 'stca-A 'tight' place-A bar-room.

JOHN GATEWOOD, EDITORS.

HARRISONBURG, VA.

Wednesday, - - Eeptember 7, 1870

THE WAR IN EUROPE.

Prussia and France have been engaged in bloody strife for just one month from the 6th of August, and the number of killed and wounded, during that time, including both belligerents, probably exceeds two hundred thousand men. What a fearful sacrifice of human life to ap. pease the Molock of war !- and what a tremendous responsibility it throws upon those insatiate spirits, Bismarck and Napoleon! Thousands of hearths made vacant, and hundreds and thousands of hearts made desolate, to gratify human ambition. It is a struggle between two well-matched, gigantic powers, for the mastery - a death strugg'e for the balance of power. Unless the neutral powers shall interfere, one or the other must fall and subside into a third or fourth-rate power among the pations of the old world.

At this early stage in this most ferocious war, we cannot form an opinion as to what will be the final result. Both the belligerents have incalculable resources in men and munitions of war, sofficient to enable them to carry on the combat for almost an indefinite time. At the present time, however, so far as we can judge from the confused and contradict. ory reports that have reached us, the Prussians have gained decided advanta ges over the French; were better prepared for hostilities; have out generalled the French commanders; and have made astonishing progress toward the objects ive joint, Paris, All the movements took very much as if the Prussians would ere long invest the proud, baughty French capital. It will require a long time to reduce Paris to a condition which will render a surrender necessary. And should it eventually come to this externity. it becomes a grave question for England, Austria and Belgium to consider, in what direction will the colossal conqueror turn her arms next? May she not seck other quarrels and make other conquests, until "the whole boundless continent" shall lie humiliated at her feet? But we will not speculate further. Great events affecting the political, moral, social and religious relations of the old world will doubtless follow or result from this gigantic war.

'THE PARIOT,' is the title of a daily Democratic and Conservative newspaper, the first number of which will be issued in Washington City, on the 14th of No. vember next. The objects and purpo. ses of the 'PARIOT' are set forth in the prospectus as follows:

The Patriot will advocate a prompt and perfect restoration of the Union in all its parts and its entire integrity; equality among the States as prescribed by the Constitution; the immediate removal of all disabilities resulting from the Civil War, and the restoration of harmony and fraternal fellowship between all sections of the country, which the abuses and usurpations of parisan lower, have criminally labored to prevent:
A Tariff for revenue to cover the expenses of an economical Administration, and to meet the just obligations of the Government, as opposed to the existing system of exorbitant protection for special monopolies and undisguised partiality for favored manufacturers: Reduction of the present odious and oppressive scale of taxation, both as applied to

duties on imports and to internal revenue: Rigid conomy in every department of the Government and retrenchment of the expen-Reform of the public service in all its

branches, Civil, Military and Naval: A sound National currency equally distributed among the States and protected against speculative fluctuations: The rights of intelligent labor, against all

selfish combinations to degrade and depreci-Legislation ly which the public lands will

be reserved for actual settlery, and as a resource of National credit, in opposition to the Radical policy of enormous grants to speculators and corrupt schemes : The fullest and firmest protection to Amer-

ican citizers abroad:
And cordial sympathy with all all peoples struggling for liberty and self government It is intended to publish a newspaper o the first class, and to colist the best available talent in all its departments.

James E. Harvey, Esq., is to be the political editor, and O. K. Harris, Esq., news editor. The price will be, for the daily, \$10 a year; weekly, \$2,50, or \$2 for clubs of ten or more.

THE PUBLIC DEBT,-According to the state of the public debt for the month of August, issued from the Treasury Department, Sept. 1, the following is the condition of the national finances:

Debt bearing interest in coin,....... \$1,976,152 069 00 Debt bearing interest in currency,... 59,395,000 00 Pebt on which interest has ceased... Debt bearing no in crest,..... 3,565.127 85 343,573,675 48 Total de't-principal and interest,.. 2,495,561,805 86 Amount in Treasury, coin & currency 139,648,655 43 Debt, less amount in the Treasury,.. \$2 365,921 150 41

2,457,625,852 83 57.935,953 03 D. crease of debt since March 1, 1870,. 82,407 325 76 THE TERMS OF PEACE. - In speaking

of the probable defeat of France in the war with Prussia, the Berlin Gazette is of opinion that Prussia will demand, as one of the terms of peace, the dissection of France on the line of the Vosges or the Moselle, and believes England will assent to the operation. Another condition will be, the payment by France of 1,000,000,000 francs indemnity for the expenses of the war,

Napoleou has gone up the spout,

The Sun's Washington dispatch of the 1st Sept. says:-The Postmaster General issued an order to day requiring the name and address of the sender of registered letters or packages to be affixed to the same, and in case of non-delivery, the registered letter or package will be returned directly from the office to which it is sent to the sender, without (as now) being returned through the dead letter office. If the sender cannot be found, it will go to the dead letter office and be

treathd as other undelivered mail matter. The Republicans of this State will hold convention in Richmond, on the 22d instant, for the purpose of organising for the fall campaign. They will no doubt have candidates for every office to be filled, in order to preserve the organization of the party. This is all right .-Let us follow their example in this respect. If we would retain the control of the Legislature and have Congressmen who will represent the interests of the people of Virginia, we must hold conventions and put forward our best men.

The Government of Prussia is dissatisfied with some of the acts of England as a neutral power. A note has been received by Earl Granville, remonstrating against England's disregard of her obligations as a neutral, and declaring that the legal quibbles of law officers will not be accepted, and summons England to observe her obligations or take the consequences. The question is a diplomatic one, and must be solved as such.

The Louisville Commercial, a Repub. ican paper, thinks that parties in the next Congress will stand, 124 Republicans to 117 Democrats. The Richmond Journal says, 'this is running the thing pretty close.' To us, who have felt the iron heel of Radical oppression, it is a consoling reflection that the rule of that party will end with the next, if not with the present Congress.

The great desideratum of the day, at least in some sections of our happy country, is greater facilities for sundering the matrimonial relation and nullifying its obligations. The latest, and perhaps the most satisfactory proposition for the benefit of unhappy married people, is a bill introduced in the Georgia Legislature, by one Johnson, making 'dissatisfaction' good cause for divorce.

Hon. Lewis McKenzie has announced himself as a candidate for re election to Congress from the 7th district, and says he submits his claims to the voters at the polls on the 8th day of November next. We believe he voted generally with the moderate Republicans in Con.

We are indebted to the Editor of the Staunton Vindicator for a special dis patch relative to the surrender of the army of McMahon to the King of Prus sia, at Sedan, on the 2d instant. The particulars of the surrender, which have since come to hand, will be found under the proper head.

It is estimated that the total imports of merchandise into the U S during the fiscal year ending July 30th were valued at \$426,006,063, and the exports at \$392,792,150, showing an excess of importations of \$43,203,913.

The Winchester News tells a story of an enormous bull snake, supposed to be about fifteen feet in length, which has been recently seen in the vicinity of Winchester, Va. That is a tremendous snake-story

To the Voters of the Sixth Congressional District of Virginia.

I am a candidate to represent the Sixth Congressional District of Virginia, in the next Congress of the United States.

In making this announcement, I desire to state, that I shall not oppose any policy that the Conservative party shall adopt in reference to the ensuing campaign; and if it is deemed best, for the interest of the conservaative party, that its candidate shall be elected by a District Convention. (as has been suggested,) I will acquiesce in its action.

JOHN C. WOODSON. HARRISONBURG, VA. Sept. 6, 18700. The Papers of the District please copy.

Valley Railroad-Stockholders' Meet

ing-General R. E. Lee Elected Pursuant to a call of the board of didirectors, the stockholders of the Valley railroad held a meeting in their office, in this place on Tuesday last, Col. J. T. Anderson, of Botetourt, being called to

pointed secretary Col. M. G. Harman submitted his report as president, and declined a re-election, expressing his desire for the eleca tion of General Robert E Lee to the presidency.

the chair, and Major Jed Hotchkiss ap-

The stock of Botetourt, Rockbridge, Staunton, and a number of shares of in dividual stock, were represented in the meeting.

On motion of Col. Harman, General Lee was unanimously elected president of the company. A committee was appointto wait on General Lee and inform him of his election. Colonel Christian, chairman of the committee, afterwards report ed that the committee had performed the duty assigned them, and that General Lee accepted the presidency of the road, The following directors were elected:-

Col Wm. Allan, Col. W T. Poague, J. E A. Gibbs, J. T. Patton, of Rock bridge: Col. Edmond Pendleton and Judge T. D. Houston, of Botetourt; Col. M. G. Harman and W. A. Burke, of

On motion of Col Massie, the thanks of the stockholders were returned to Col. M. G. Harman, late President, for his zeal, energy and untiring efforts in behalf of the Valley railroad. On motion, the salary of the Presinent

was fixed at \$5,000 per annum. A number of shares of stock were sub. scribed during the day .- Staunton Vindicator, Sept. 2.

FROM EUROPE.

LATEST WAR NEWS HIGHLY IMPORTANT NEWS! SURRENDER OF MeMAHON'S ARMY!

BERLIN, Sept. 5 .- The following important dispatches have just been made public: "Before Sedan, Frnce. Friday, Sept. 2, 12:20 P. M .- From the King to the Queen A capitulation, whereby the whole French army at Sedan are prisoners of war, has jusi been concluded with Gen. Wimpeth com. manding instead of Marshal McMahon, who is wounded. The Emperor surrendered him sell to me, as he has no command, and left everything to the Regent at Paris, his resi dence. I shall appoint an interview with him at a rendezvous, to be fixed immediately. What a course events, with God's guidance, have taken !

"WILLIAM." [Signed.] LONDON, Sept. 3 .- A dispatch from Berlin ays that since Wednesday last Marshal Bazine sought to escape to the North and was

abways frustrated. BRUSSELS, Sept. 3 .- Marshal Bazine has been completely beaten before Metz by Prince Frederick Charles.

Paris, Sept 3 -The Etoile says the French have been entirely defeated, and the Emperor and McMahon made prisoners. The French massacred many of their own officers. Many officers escaped to Belgium.

BRUSSELS, Septem. 3 -Yesterday 30,000 French, including one General and two lm. perial staff officers, crossed the border and surrendered.

Washington, Sept. 8 -Mr. Bancroft, U. S. Minister at Berlin, telegraphs the State Department that Napoleon in his terms of surrender certainly stipulated that it should be without prejudice to the Paris Regency. NEW YORK, Sept 3 .- A special dispatch

to the Telegram says Bazaine at Metz surrendered on hearing of the disaster to the Emperor and McMahon. NEW YORK, Septem. 3 .- A special to the Tribune, dated at London to-day, is as fol

King's Headquarters at Vendrez, near Se dan, Friday — The battle at Sedan began at 6 o'clock in the morning, Sept.1st, two Prussian corps were in position on the west of Sedan, having gotten there by long forced marches to cut off the French retreat to Me. zeires. South of Sedan was the 1st Bayarian corps, and east across the Meuse was the 2d Bavarian corps. The Saxons were on the southeast with the Guards. I was with the King throughout the day on a hill above the Meuse commanding a splendid view of the valley of the Meuse and field. After a tre mendous battle, the Prussians having entered the fortifications of Sedan, the Emperor capitulated at 5:5 P. M. His letter to the King of Prussia said:

"As I cannot die at the head of my army lay my sword at the feet of your Majesty." Napoleon left Sedan for the Prussian headquarters at Vendres at 7 'clock' on the mornng of September 21.

McMahon's whole army, comprising 100,-The Prussians had 240,000 men engaged or in reserve, and the French 120 060.

The Tribune's special from Orlon, Friday afternood, says: 'Every hotel here is filled with French refugees from across the frontier. The frontier villages are crowded, and it is difficult to obtain anything to eat. One hundred and fifty French and one hundred Germans soldiers, while trespassing on Belgian territory, were made prisoners and conduct. ed to Namur. I also saw Paris refugees on the train to-day. They are not Germans, but Luxembourgers, expelled from Paris on account of their poverty.

The Prussians are preparing for famine by expelling all foreigners not possessed of means for their own support. A Paris dispatch to London, of the 3d, says: "The fortifications are c mpleted. Gen.

Prochu is virtually dictator.' LONDON, Sept. 3 -- A Berlin journal says: Europe must familiarize itself with the idea that Prussia's idea of self protection seeks to rectify the French frontier.'

CONGRESSMAN BUTTLER, OF TENNESsee .- Mr. Clarke, one of the officers of the Pension Bursau, who was sent to Tennessee in connection with the case of Congressman R R. Butler, charged with forgery, fraud, &c., upon the pension office, has returned to this city, having failed to secure a trial of the accused. From the reports made it would seem that the 'ring' of which Butler formed a part, was a powerful one, and not unlike the Ku K'ux, which he used so to denounce. When the case was called the principal witness was not forthcoming, the marshal having, it is charged, neglected to serve his process in time for her to arrive, and the Judge (Prigg) refused to entertain a motion for a postponement of the case, and dis missed it at once. The prisoner, it. is claimed, should have been forwarded to the District of Columbia, where the alleged offense was alleged to have been committed. The government, however, does not intend to give up the prosecu-

THE 15TH AMENDMENT -The Assistant Attorney General at Washington on Saturday telegraphed to the United States District Attorney of West Virginia to dismiss all prosecutions under the third section of the act to 'enforce the right of citizens of the United States to vote in the several States,' when the offence is not the distinction forbidden in the second section of the same actthat is, when a man is not refused registration because he is a negro. The register may refuse to register as many whites as he pleases, and he will not be disturbed by this Radical administration, but let him refuse to register a negro, and the whole power of 'the best Government the world ever saw' will be brought to bear upon him and crush him.—Rich. Dispatch.

PROSECUTION OF GOVERNOR HOL-DEN.-RALFIGH N. C., Sept. 2.— Hon. Josiah Turner, through his counsel yesterday moved for a bench warrant against Gov. Holden for illegal arrest, &c., before Judges Dick and Settle, of the Supreme Court. The motion was entertained and the argument closes to-morrow.

The Republicans of the several congressional districts of Maryland, with the exception of the third. have made their nominations for the coming campaign. In the first district, Henry R. Torbert, Esq., of Cecil; in the second, William M. Marine, of Baltimore; in the fourth, New Advertisements.

JONES, AGRICULTURAL WAREHOUSE !



WILLOUGHBY GUM SPRING DRILLS complete. We are now prepared to furnish these celebrated Grain and Fertilizer Sow-

nish these colebrated Grain and Pertilizer Sowers, with all attachments, on the very best
terms and at greatly reduced prices. A full
supply on hand.
We have a full supply of the celebrated American CIDER MILLS on hand, which greatly
surpass any Milf ever offered in this market.—
Call and examine them.

DOYLE or WINCHESTER WHEAT FANS
are greatly in advance of all others as perfect
grain cleaners. A supply, constantly fant on grain cleaners. A supply constantly kept on hand and sold at factory prices.

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A large lot of CROASDALE'S PHOSPHATE just received This Phosphate is said, by Farmers in Rockingham who have used it, to be the most active and lasting in its effects of any ever sold in this market. Sold on terms to suit purchasers. Price per ton, \$56 and freight.

Also, Pure Bone Dust—price per ton \$50 and freight. MONITOR CLOVER MACHINE. The best now made in the United States. Call or send

A full stock of CUCUMBER WOOD PUMPS WICK'S WHITE BEARDED and DEIHL'S White Smooth Wheats. Pure for seed.
Also HAY PRESSES, FARM GRAST MILLS, Genuine Dutch Anker Bolting Cloth, Leather and Gum Belting, Stump Pullers, Fodder Catter, Straw Cutters, Corn Shellers, Corn Huskers, Steel Plows, Cast and Wrought Share Plows, Broadcart Seed Sowers, Apple Parers, Threshing Machine and Grain Drill Repairers, The best Cash market prices paid for Timothy

for circulars.

S. M. JONES & BRO. COMMISSIONER'S SALE

OF VALUABLE TOWN PROPERTY.

N pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Rockingham, rendered at its last October of Rockingham, rendered at its last October term, in the chancery suit of John C. Woodson, trustee, vs. Catharine Sterling and others, I will sell at public auction, on the premises, to the highest bidder, ON FRIDAY, SEPT. 2, 1870, that very valuable estate in Harrisonburg, in said county, owned by the late O. C. Sterling at his death, consisting of an excellent

BRICK DWELLING, AND STORE - HOUSE, situated on the public square in the said town of Harrisonburg, being one of the best residen-ces and business stands in Harrisonburg. TERMS:—One third of the purchase money to be paid on the confirmation of the sale; the residue in two equal annual parments thereaf-ter, all with interest from day of sale—the pur-chaser to give bond with good personal security, and a lien reserved on the property as ultimate security.

JOHN C. WOODSON,

POSTPONEMENT.—The above sale has been postponed until THURSDAY THE 15TH OF SEPTEMBER, 1870, at 1 o'clock, P. M., when it will be positively sold without reserve.

JOHN C. WOODBON, Commissioner.

PUBLIC SALE OF LAND, &c.

DY virtue of a decree of Rockingham Circuit Court rendered at the May Term, 1870, in the case of Swank. &c., vs John W. Stern, &c., the undersigned, Commissioner, will sell to the highest bidder, at public acction, on the premises, ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3D, 1870,

THE VALUABLE TRACTOFLAND in the bill and proceedings mentioned, containing about THREE ACRES OF LAND and A DWELLING HOUSE and other buildings. The house is a first-rate Stone dwelling, and all the improvements are substantial and good. This parcel of land lies on the Valley Turnpike, about 714 miles north of Harrisonburg. or a tent 114 miles north of Harrisonburg, or a bout 11/4

niles south of Lacy Springs, and is now in pos-ession of John W. Stern. TERMS:—On third payable on the first day of the next term of the Circuit Court of Rock ingham; the residue in two equal payments at 6 and 12 months—the whole bearing interest from the day of sale—the purchaser to give bonds with good personal security.
WM. B. COMPTON,

POSTPONED.—The above sale is postponed until TUESDAY, 13TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1870. if not sold privately before. sep T ts WM. B COMPTON, Comm'r.

VIRGINIA, SS -At rules held in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Rockingham County, the 5th day of September, 1870:

Henry Royer, ... Plaintiff,
Peter Bover, jr, administrator of Peter Bover, sr, dec'd, in his own right, Elias Hudlow, John Hudlow, Mariah tinkel, Wm. H. Hud-low, Jacob Hudlow, Mary Rodeffer, Barbara Ann Hinkel, Henry Hinkel, Jacob Hinkel, John Hinkel, Andrew Hinkel, Sophia Hinkel, John Hinkel, Andrew Hinkel, Sophia Hinkel, George Hinkel, Philip Hinkel, Elizabeth Ann Eutzler, Jacob Entzler, Eliza Jane Jamison, John W. Jamison, Mary Mariah Eutzler, Benj. F. Eutzler, Margaret D. Hudlow, Margaret Ann Day. Samuel Day, James M. Hudlow, John A. Hudlow, Sarah C. Marshall, Waltor Marshall, Elizabeth Niffin, Daniel Niffin, Lucinda Merchant, Thomas Morchant, Samuel A. Hudlow, In CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to obtain a settlement of the administration account of Peter Boyer, jr, as administrator of Peter Boyer, sr, dec'd, and to make partition of the estate of Peter Boyer, sr, between his several heirs.

And affidavit being ma e that the defendants, John Hudlow, Jacob Hinkel, Andrew Hinkel, Margaret Ann Day, Samuel Day, John A. Hudlow, Sarah C. Marshall, Walter Marshall, Elizabeth Niffin, Daniel Niffin, and Margaret A. Hudlow, are non-resident of the State ret A. Hudlow, are non-resident of the Stat of Virginia, it is ordered that they appear her within one mouth after due publication of this order, and answer the plaintiff's bill, or do what is necessary to protect their interest; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Old Commonwealth, a newspaper published in Harrison-burg, Va., and another copy thereof posted at the front door of the Court-House of this coun-try, on the first day, of the next term of the County Court of said County. Teste: sept7 4w A. ST. C. SPRINKEL, C. C.

VIRGINIA, TO WIT-At Rules held in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Rocking ham county, on the 5th day of September, A. D. 1870; Jacob Ruleman, Christian Ruleman and Abraham Spit

The object of this suit is to recover of the defendants, Jacob and Christian Ruleman, \$30, with interest on \$25, part thereof, from the 4th day of April, 1860, till paid, and on \$5. the residue thereof, from the 1st day of January, 1867, till paid, and to attach any estate or debts in the hands of defendant Spitzer to satisfy said claim. And affidavit being made that defendants Jacob Rule man & Christian Ruleman are non residents of the Stat of Virginia, it is ordered, that they appear here withit one month after due publication of this order and answe of Virginia, it is ordered, that they appear here within one month after due publication of this order and answer plaintiff's bill, or do what is necessary to pretect their interest; and that a copy of this order te published once a week for four successive weeks in the Old Commonwealth, a newspaper printed in Harrisonburg, and another copy thereof posted at the front door of the court-house of said county, on the first day of the next county court thereof. Teste:

Sep7-4w A. St. C. SPRINKEL, C. C.

VIRGINIA -At Rules held in the Clerk's V Office of the Circuit Court of Rockingham county, Monday, September 5th, 1870;

.... Defendants,

Wm. H. Vanpelt, &c ...

IN CHANCERY.

The object of the above su t is to subject the land in the bill and proceeding mentioned to sale, to satisfy the vendor's lieu upon the land.

And affidavit being made that Jacob Frank, one of the defendants in the bill and proceedings mentioned, is a non resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he do appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and answer the plainiff's action or do what is necessary to protect his interest, and that a copy of tais order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Old Commonwealth, a newspaper published in Harrisonburg, Va., and another copy thereof posted at the front door of the Court-House of this county on the first day of the next term of the County Court of said county. Teste:

FOXHALL A. DAINGERFIELD, c c c a c sep7-tw Berlin, p q. IN CHANCERY.

Chevalier's Life for the Hair Ayer's Hair Marine, of Baltimore; in the fourth, John E. Smith, of Carroll; and in the fifth, James A. Gary, of Howard.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE. DY virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Rockingham county, rendered at the October Term, 1889, in the Chanbery case of Logan's Executor vs. Rodger's, &c., I will sell to the highest bidder, on the premises,

On Friday, September 2nd, 1870, THE TWO LOTS

of land, in the bill and proceedings mentioned, being the same which were sold by John C. Woodson, Executor of Thomas Logan, to Nevil Rodgers, and known as lots No. 1 and 2 belonging to the estate of Thomas Logan, dec'd. Said lots are situated in the town of Harrison burg—on the northeast side of twn—and are valuable building lots,
TERMS—One third of the purchase money to be paid on the confirmation of the sale, the res-

idue in two equal instalments of six and twelve months, with interest from the day of sale—the purchaser to give youd with good personal se curity. WM. B. COMPTON. DOST! ONEMENT.—The above sale is postponed until MONDAY NEXT, SEPTEMBER 12 1870.
sep7.1w W. B. COMPTON, Comm'r.

WIRGINIA-At Rules held in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Rockingham county, on Monday, September 5th, 1870, Jonas A. Loewenbach and Adolph Heller, surviving partners of Lowenbach, Heller & Brother, Plaintiff, Jacob Ruleman and Abraham Spitzer, Defend'ts,

Jacob Ruleman and Abraham Spitzer,.......Defend'ts,
IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to recover of the defendant,
Jacob Ruleman, the sum of \$35 with legal interest
thereon from the 11th day of July, 1805, till paid, and
to attach any estate or debts due him in the har ds of
the defendant, Abraham Spitzer, to satisfy said claim.
And it appearing by affidavit filed in this cause that
Jacob Ruleman is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that he appear here within one month
afterdue publication of this order, answer the plaintiff's
bill or do what is necessary to protect his interest; and
that a copy of this order be published once a week for
four successive weeks in the Old Commonwealth, a
newspaper published in Harrisonburg, and another copy posted at the front door of the court-house of this
county, on the first day of the next term of the County
Court for said county. Teste:
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS BOARD OF SUPERVISURS
FOR ROCKINGHAM,
The members of the Board of Supervisors for
Rockingham county, are requested to meet in
Harrisonburg, ON FRIDAY THE 16TH DAY
OF SEPTEMBER, 1870. Business of the utmost importance to the County requires that
every member of the Board should be present.
The meeting will take place at the Clerk's office,
at 11 o'cleck, A. M. at 11 o'cleck, A. M.
se7 tm A MEMBER OF THE BOARD.

HARBISONBURG, VA., Sept. 6, 1870.

THE members of the Ladies Memorial Association are respectfully requested to meet at the residence of Mr. C. C. Strayer, on SAT. URDAY EVENING next, at 4 o clock, P. M., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensu

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For Sale.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABIA Real Estate.

DURSUANT to a decree of the Circuit Court of Rockingham county, rendered on the 16th day of October, 1869, the undersigned, as Commissioner, will sell on the promises, at pub-ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1870. that portion of the home farm of Eli Tutwiler, not embraced in the assignment of the 's dower-including' a fair proportion of deed, not embraced in the assignment of the widow's dower-including a fair proportion of the cleared and timbered land, together with A FULL RIGHT TO THE USE OF THE WELL OF WATER situated upon the said dower land. Said tract contains about

621 ACRES. of very fair quality of soil, and remarkably well adapted to the growth and production of fruit. The neighborhood is an excellent one, with schools and churches convenient. The land adjoins the lands of Reuben-lluffman, John Whit more and others. Its sale is a rare chance for investment.

TERMS. -\$150 cash in hand; one-third of remainder of purchase money upon confirmation of sale, and the remainder in two annual pay-ments f, om day of sale—the last two payments to bear interest from day of sale; the purchaser and the title to be retained as ultimate security.

JOHN E. ROLLER, Aug 17 ts Commissioner.

MONTEZUMA FOR SALE.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Circuit Court P of Rockingham county, rendered at the October Term, 1869, in the case of James F. Lowman vs. John A. Fishback, the undersigned, will offer at public auction, to the highest bidder, on the premises,

On Tuesday, August 30, 1870, the valuable property known as "MONTEZU-MA," situated about two miles northwest of Bridgewater, in Rockingham county, adjoining the lands of Samuel Long and others on Dry River, containing about River, containing about 28 ACRES.

The improvements on this tract of land consist of A STORE-HOUSE, DWELLING HOUSE, and all necessary out-buildings, all in first rate order; an ORCHARD, Well, and first-class improvements of every kind. The land is of ex-cellent quality.

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two years—the whole bearing interest from the day of sale—the purchaser to give bond with good personal security, and the title to be retained as further security.

WM. B. COMPTON,

Commissioner. W. B. COMPTON, Com'r. aug31-ts

COMMISSIONER'S SALE. PURSUANT to a decree of Rockingham Circuit Court, rendered at the October Term, 1869, in the case of John E. Massie vs John Diller, I will sell at public auction, on the premises, On Thursday, September 8, 1870, the TRACT OF LAND in said cause mentioned, which was purchased by John B. Nash of Evan Henton, and of which said John B. Nash died possessed. Said tract contains about

30 ACRES of good land with tolerable improvements, situated near Taylor Springs in Rockingham county and now occupied by Mrs. Nash—mother of said John B. Nash.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-third in hand and

the residue in six and twelve months from the day of sale, bearing interest. The purchaser to give bond with good security for the def rred payments.

WM. B. COMPTON, aug3 ts

Commissioner. COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

PURSUANT to a decree of Rockingham Circuit Court, rendered at the October term 1869, in the chancery cause of Sarah M. Kyle and others vs. John Diller and others, I will sell at public auction, on the premises, ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1870, A TRACT OF LAND

in the bill and proceedings in said cause mentioned, being that portion of forty acres sold to John Diller by Joseph Henton, which Diller subsequently sold to Julia A. Washington.—

The said tract contains about 33 ACRES,

is of fair quality of soil, and with very good im-provements, and is situated near Taylor's Springs. TERMS:—\$200 in cash, or equivalent to cash; remainder in three equal payments, the first payable upon the confirmation of sale, and the others in one and two years from day of sale, the whole to bear interest from the day of sale; the purchaser executing his bonds therefor, and the title to said land to be retained as ultimate security.

JOHN E. ROILER,
Aug 10 ts

Commissioner.

Commissioner's Sale of Land.

BY virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Rockingham county, rendered at the May Term, 1870, in the case of Long's administrator vs Hewlett, &c., the undersigued, Commissioner, will sel at public auction, on the premises, On Friday, September 2d, 1870, so much of the TRACT OF LAND, in said cause mentioned, as shall be sufficient to satisfy the

said decree.
This tract of land is situated about two miles east of Harrisonburg, adjoining the lands of F. Shughru and others and contains about 118% ACRES. The land is valuable farming land and has very good improvements on it.
TERMS—One half in band and the residue in of months from the day of sale, bearing interest the purchaser to give bond with good personal security.

WM. B. COMPTON,

POSTPONED-The above sale is postponed until MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1870. aug30-ts W.B. COMPTON. Comm'r. FOR SALE PRIVATELY.

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For Sale. LAND SALE.

PURSUANT to a decree of Rockingham Circuit Court, rendered at May Term, 1870, in the case of H. Kyle vs. A. C. Bryan's Administrator, &c., I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Front Door of the Court-House of Rockingham county,

On Monday, August 22d, 1870. so much of the tract of land in said cause men-tioned as will be sufficient to satisfy said decree. This tract of land contains about 75 acres, which

This tract of land contains about 75 acres, which was sold to Allan C. Bryan by Harvey Kyle, and was afterwards sold by James Kenney, Trustee of A. C. Bryan to Samuel Sanger.

The land is well improved and valuable and adjains the lands lately owned by Peter Showalter, John Evers, William Sauliey and others, Southeast of Harrisonburg.

TERMS:—One-third payable on the first day of the next term of the Circuit Court of Rockingham—the residue in two equal annual payments—the whole bearing interest from the day of sale. The purchaser to give bonds with good personal security.

J. C. WOODSON W. B. COMPTON, july 20-4w

july 20-4w

POSTPONEMENT—The above sale is continued until Friday. September 9th, 1870, and will take place on the land.

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WM. B. COMPTON,

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decl5-tf A. J. WALL.

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Wednesday Morning. Sept. 7, 1870.

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candidates for office, would be required to candidates for office would be required to pay 85 in advance for their announcements. Some have complied with this requirement, whilst others have not. We shall be much obliged to all who are in arreas under this head, if they will make payment of their dues by the 14TH OF SEPTEMBER, as we are compelled to have money to meet expenses incurred in the publication of our paper, etc As a matter of business, we are compelled to pursue this course, regardless of parties. If any announcement should therefore be discontinued after the 14th o September, 1870, it will be because no arrangement has been made for the payment of the fee.

ANOTHER IMPORTANT MATTER 1 Many of our friends are still indebted to us for subscriptions, advertising and job work, which, for obvious reasons, we desire to have adjusted as soon as possible Bills will be made out in all such cases by the NEXT (SEPTEMBER) COURT, at which time we hope they will give us a call and arrange their respective accounts

No ARRESTS, so far as we are informed, have been made of the persons who skinned the trees in this place, to which reference was made in our last issue. We hope they may be detected and punished. Rowdyism has about cul minated here, and every good citizen is under obligation to aid in putting it down. Several of the street lamps have been destroyed by them, and other acts committed, that sufficiently indicate the character of these engaged in these depredations. The laws are very stringent against such depreto their acts of vandalism.

THE CIRCUIT COURT of this county will be held on the 15th instant, instead of the 11th of October, according to an act of the last Legislature. This arrangement brings the Circuit and County Courts at the same time. The latter, we suppose, after transacting what may be deemed indispensable business, will give way to the fermer.

The plentiful scarcity of butter in the market, at this time, is no doubt owing to the fact that it is being packed up for bigher weman, who first invented apple Latter !

THE HAWKINSTOWN PIENTO, we understand, was quite a pleasant effcir, numerously attended, and gave satisfaction to all present. There were several appropriate addresses, splendid singing conducted by Prof. | lar work, when it will be followed by Schir-Wartmann, and the pickuicking first rate. _ NER's MONTHLY, suy illustrated Magazine Sorry we couldn't be there.

The trade in flour, since the commence ment of the war in Europe, has somewhat fallen off. The anticipations of speculators for a heavy foreign demand have not been realized. The belligerents were well provise ioned before the war was commenced. Our farmers have reaped all the berefits that have been realized from the temporary advance in flour and grain.

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PERSONAL -H. H. RIDDLEBERGER, the popular Editor of the Tenth Legion Banner, published at Edinburg, Va., has been spending several days in our city, recuperating for the fall campaign. He prints a good Democratic paper, and we wish him abundant success.

WE ARE COMING! - As the Circus comes to town on our regular publication day, and as all hands, provided there should be nothing to prevent, will want to go to see it, the OLD COMMONWEALTH is sent forth in advance of its time, to herald the glad tidings to the community. If anybody could, nobody certainly thinks of working on show day.

Considerable quantities of guano and other fertilizers are being received at the depots on the railroad in this county, which would indicate that our farmers are preparing to to put out good crops of wheat,

THE EEL CHOP threatens to be a heavy one this fall. A gentleman living on the Shenandoah river, in this county, sent a large number to town for sale, last Monday, some

LARGE MILL - Capt. John G. Meem, we understand, is erecting one of the largest, if not the largest, mill in the Valley, on the Mount Airy estate, in Shenaudoah county. It is four stories and of proportionate dimen- Cherry Pectoral, writes Dr. Ayer for insions.

AN EDITOR IN LUCK -Brother Stofer, Editor of the Culpeper Observer, in his issue of Friday, says; "We stop the press to announce the fact that another pair of twins has been added to our population." We congratulate our brother on his good luck.

Peaches are becoming plentiful in our market, notwithstanding the failure of the crop in some localities.

Brown and yellow caterpillers are committing extensive depredations on the cabbage in this region. They can be easily destroyed by a little care.

The valuable property belonging to the estate of the late O. C. Sterling not having been sold on Saturday, will be sold on the

DR. THAYER'S GREAT CIRCUS, AS OUR readers have already been informed, exhibits in Harrisonburg, on Wednesday the 7th instant. This company embraces some of the best performers in this or any other country .--We observe from our exchanges that the exhibitions of this Circus bave given general satisfaction and have been attended by all ciasses of people. The magnificent bills posted on the court-house square, and at other public places, will give some idea of the true character of the grand equestrian and gimnastic feats which will be performed. Almost everybody has been putting away 75 and saving it carefully until the show comes. As the great mass of our people are prevented from attending to their out-scor work by the recent heavy rains, their thoughts and conversation seem to be turned principally toward the great Show. In fact, nobody seems to think or talk about anything else,

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Its Literary contents comprise able and very interesting Editorials on The Balance of prices. The hucksters will soon begin to Power, An Empire's Bull Run, On the Unoperate, and we may expect an abundant certainty of Things, A Desirable Calamity, scarcity of that indispensable article for some etc. It has a full summary of Home and time. Apple butter, however, is becoming Foreign News, two additional chapters of plentifully abundant, if not more so, and 'The Mystery of Edwin Drood,' a sketch of cheap at that. Blassed is the man, or the Geo. W. Childs by James Parton, and other fresh and readable articles. Altogether, it is a remarkable number of this first-class fam. ily Ellustrated Weekly.

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A VOICE FROM THE KITCHEN .- Upwards of thirty professed cooks, many of them hailing from the best batels in the United States, have voluntarily come forward and pronounced Rand's SEA Moss Faring the finest article for puddings, custards, blanc mange, creams, jellies, and other favorite items of the dessert that has ever come under their notice. So much for the palatability of the new

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coming universal.

SIGNS OF THE ZODIAC .- A Philosopher in the West, grown into admiration of the structions under which sign he shall be bled, which blistered, and which vomited, and under which he shall take Ayer's Pills for an affection of the liver: also under which sign his wife should commence to take the Sars parilla for her ailment. He adds that he already knows to wear his calves under Taurus, change his pigs in Scorpio, cut his hair in Aries, and soak his feet in Pisces or Aquarius as their condition requires.

Schoolmasters, start for Wisconsin, and visit Mr. Ham when you get there -(Lowell Daily News.

We call attention to the advertisement of the New York OBSERVER in another column. It is sent free on trial to all applicants one

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PREPARATION FOR WINTER .- We are re- ! quested to state that Jonas A. Heller, Agent, will reopen his oyster Salcon, at the com. mencement of the oyster season. As he will give further notice of the day of opening, and as he will offer the finest oysters ever brought to Harrisenburg, he confidently expects and respectfully solicits the:patronage of his old friends and customere,

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Prominent Military Places in France. We give the following brief descrip-

tions of places and positions now figuring prominently in the dispatches from the seat of war in France: The 'woody region,' in which the latest series of fights are supposed to have taken place, is probably the Valley of the Argonne, in the departments of Meuse and Ardennes. It was formerly a forest, and is still heavily wooded in parts. It forms a plateau, extending from Toul to Mezieres, and separating the basins of the Aisne and Meuse. The French still hold some of the advanta. geous points upon this wooded plateau, and, if officered with any degree of skill

for the Prussians have in these respects the advantage in that vicinity Sedan, where McMahon is said to have made his headquarters, and whith. er the Emperor and Prince Imperial have gone, is quite a large fortified town, eleven miles E. S. E. of Mezieres. It has a population of about 40,000, and possesses many railroad and canal facilities. From present appearance a general ac-

at all noteworthy, may hold their own

against superior numbers and discipline,

tion will take place in this vicinity. Longwy, said to be about to undergo Prussian investment, is a fortified town of France on the Belgian frontier, thirtythree miles N. N. W. of Metz. Louis XIV called it 'The Iron Gate of France.' The Prussians took it in 1792.

Ages of the Generals.

The leading men on both sides of the conflict in Europe are old enough to know better. Napoleon is sixty-two; King William of Prussia, seventy-three. Of the French Generals, Marshal de Mo-Mahon, Duke of the Magenta, is sixty. two years of age, Marshal Canrobert is sixty-one. Marshal Vaillant is one of the oldest officers of the French army, having attianed the great age of eighty -Marshal Count Baraguey D'Arlliers is over seventy five. Marshal Changar nier is seventy-seven General Edmond Lebeuf is sixty one. Count de Palikao, the French General and Senator, is seventy-tour. Of the Prussian Generals, Helmuth-Charles Bornard, Baron Von Moltke Chief of Staff of the Prussian forces, and the man on whom devolves the conduct of the war in behalf of Prussia, is seventy three years old. Crown Prince Frederick William is thirty nine. Prince Frederick Charles, Field Marshal General and Commander of Artillery, is sixty. He commanded the Army of the Elbe at Sadowa, General Manteuffel is sixty ni se. General Von Roon is six ty-seven.

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NEWSPAPERS -There are 5,000 or one to every 7,000 of the inhabitants; 1,260 in Great Britain, and 1.640 in France, or one to every 23,000; 700 in Prussia, or one to every 26,000; 506 in Italy, or one to every 44,000; 365 in Austria, or one to every 105,000; 300 in Swit zerland, or one to every 8,000: 275 in Belgium, or one to every 15,000; 225 in Holland, or one to every 16,-000; 200 in Russia, or only one to every 330,000; 200 in Spain, or one to every 75,000; 150 in Norway and Sweden, or one to every 360,000; 100 in Denmark, or one to every 20,000; and 100 in Turkey, or one to every 300,000.

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unutterable sorrow, which are caus-

ed by bereavement of so shocking a

The public school system is about to go into effect at Richmond White teachers have been selected for white schools and colored teachers for colored schools.

An epidemic bas broken out in King William county, visiting almost every family, which is ushered in by ulcerated sore throat. It is followed by eatarrhal or pseudo membrancus croup. Old and young are taken down, and while from its ulterous invasion of the bronchial tubes it is painful and dangerous to all, the young, who resist the usual cauterizing remedies from an instinctive dread of pain fare more fatally affected than those of more mature years.

ANOTHER BARN BURNT BY LIGHT-NING .- The barn of Mr. Craun, near Spring Hill, in this county, was burned by lightning on Sunday last, with his entire crop of wheat, oats, &c., wheat-drill, harness, and one horse. Mr. Craun was attending church at the time of the conffagration. Mr. Craun's farm adjoins that of Mr. Swisher, who, it will be remembered, had two horses killed by lightning some six or eight weeks since.—Staunt.n Vindi-

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Being out of business, and desiring employment, I am a candidate for the office of Clerk of the County Court of Rockingham, and reof the County Court of Rockingham, and respectfully ask your vote and friendship, pledging myself to a faithful discharge of the duties of said office.

If elected, with thankfulness, yours to serve, aug 34 to ISAAC PAUL.

To the Voters of Rockingham County:

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the County Court of Rockingham, at the election to be held November 8, 1870. If elected, I will give my close personal attention to the office, and will endeavor faithfully to discharge its duties.

Augl7-te JOHN R. JONES.

TO THE VOTERS OF ROCKINGHAM COUNTY:

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FLETCHER, a candidate for Clerk of the Cir-cuit Court of Rockingham, at the election to be held on the 8th of November, 1870. [au31 We are authorized to announce JOSEPH H. SHUE, E.q., a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court of Rockingham courty, at the election to be held November 8th, 1870.

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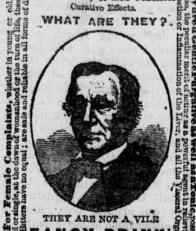
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WELLMAN'S "Pony" Shaving and Hair-dressing Saloon, in rear of the First National Bank of Harrisonburg, 18 THE PLACE to Harrisonburg, 18 THE PLACE to get a clean, smooth, comfortable thave, or to have your hair fashionably cut and dressed, or your razor honed, or your old clothing cleaned and repaired, and made to look almost as well as new. Also, head-quarters for Wellman's celebrated Hair Invigorator and Restorative. Warranted. Patronage sited olic

BOOT AND SHOE SHOP. I would announce to the citizens of Harrisonburg and vicinity, that I have removed my shop to the ror mrecently occupied by T. O. Sierliug, next door to E. D. Sullivan's Bakery and Confectionery, on Main street, and North of the Lutheran Church, where I am prepared to do all kinds of

BOOT AND

SHOE MAKING, at the shortest notice and in good style.

Particular attention paid to LADIES' PLAIN AND
FANCY WORK. I respectfully ask the patronage of the public.
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JOHN T. WAKENIGHT.

S. J. JONES, ARCHITECT AND BUILDER,

HARRISONBURG, VA., THE late firm of Jones & McAllister having been dissolved by mutual consent, I would respectfully solicit a share of the public patron age. I am prepared to do all work in the CAR-PENTERS' AND JOINERS' LINE, with promptness, neatness, dispatch. My prices for work shall not be higher than the prices chaaged by other good workmen in town.

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He will continue to occupy the old stand on
East Market Street, nearly opposite Jones' Agricultural Warehouse.

Produce taken in exchange for work, at
market prices.

Thankful for past patronage, I solicit a continuance: STROTHER J. JONES. augl0-y

BLACKSMITHING NEW BLACKSMITH SHOP! THE undersigned having recently located in Harrisonburg, for the purpose of carrying on the Blacksmitning business, would announce to the citizens of the town and county that they are prepared to do all kind of work in their line at the shortest notice and on reasonable terms. We can repair Threshing Machines, Engines, Drills, and, in fact, any kind of Agricultural Implements. We pay special attention to the repair of Plows, and will make new wrought Shears or mend old ones. Mill Gearing can be repaired at our shop.

We have in our employ one of the best Horse Shoer's in the county. Our motto is to do work QUICK AND WELL. All we ask is a trial.

work Country produce taken in exchange for work. Shop on Main street, a few doors North of the Lutheran Church.
Sept: 9, '68-tf R. B. JONES & SON.

SADDLES & HARNESS I WOULD announce to the citizens of Rock-ham and adjoining counties, that I have re-cently refitted and enlarged my SADDLERY ESTABLISHMENT.

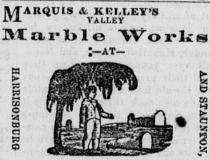
Main street, nearly opposite Scanlon's Hotel, Harrisonburg, Va., and amfully prepared to do all kinds of plain and fancy work in my line, at the shortest notice and upon reasonable terms. The sp-cial attention of the LADIES is called to my make of SIDE SADDLES.

Having had much experience in this branch of the business, I feel satisfied that I can please them. All I ask is that the public will give me a call and examine my stock and work before purchasing.

The litender my thanks for past patronage and respectfulyl ask a continuance of the same.

June 17-y

A. H. WILSON.



ARE PREPARED TO FURNISH ALL KINDS MONUMENTS HEAD AND FOOT STONES, MARBLE AND SLATE MANTELS,

Bureau, Washstand and Table Tops, or anything in our line, at city prices.

All orders from the country will be promptly filled. Satisfaction guaranteed.

GEO. D. ANTHONY, dec15-tf Agent at Harrisonburg, Va. HARRISONBURG

IRON FOUNDRY.

P. BRADLEY & CO., At the old stand, Southwestern end of Harrisonburg on the Warm Springs Turnpike, are prepared to manu facture at short notice, ALL KINDS OF CASTINGS, Mill Castings & Machinery, Plow Castings

Sugar-Cane Mills, and in fact almost any kind of GENERAL FOUNDRY WORK.

Our experience being extensive, having conducte the business of from Founders for years, we can guar antee good work at satisfactory rates. We still manufacture and keep constantly on hand LIVINGSTON PLOW, which is acknowledged, on all hands, to be the Plow best adapted to this country, and will furnish them of

our customers, certainly on as good terms as they can FINISHING! We have in operation at our establishment, a FIRST-CLASS LATHE, and are prepared to do all kinds of IRON FINISHING in the very best manner.

Country Produce taken in exchange for work. Farmers, Mill-owners and ounce.

welwill endeavor to give satisfaction
P. BRADLEY,
J. WILTON. Farmers, Mill-owners and others give us a call, an

BLANKS—Such as Notes, Checks, Constable's Warrants and Executions, Delivery Bonds, Notices on same, for sale, and all other kinds of Blanks promptly and nearly printed at THE COMMONWEALTH OFFICE:

UNION FIRE INSURANCE CO., OF BALTIMORE.

CAPITAL, - - - \$300,000. GEO. F. MAYHEW, AGENT. ALBEMARLE INSUANCE COMPANY, OF CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.

GEO. F. MAYHEW, AGENT.

NOTICE TO BLACKSMITHS—We have just received 20 tons Coal, which we will sell lew for cash. ALSO, HORSE SHOES, Norway Nail Iron, Bar Iron of all descriptions, to which we invite the attention of those who desire to purchase these articles. aug17 J. GASSMAN & BRO.

A NO. 1 ARTICLE of 25c Tobacco; just received and for sale, at augle ESHMAN'S Tobacco Store.

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Insurance.

Piedmont and Arlington Life Insurance Co. HOME OFFICE, Corner of Ninth and Main Streets, Richmond, Va.

OFFICERS:—W. C. CARRINGTON, President; J. E. EDWARDS, Vice President; D. J. HARTSOOK, Septetry; J. J. HOPKINS, Assistant Secretary; B. C. HARTSOOK, Cashier; Prof. E. B. EMITH, Actuary-D.P. FACKLER, Consulting Actuary; Drs. C. H. FERREW, C. H. SMITB, GEORGE ROSS, Medical Advisers; JAMES E. WOLFF, Sup't of Agencies.
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ALLEMONG & BERKELEY, General Agents for the Valley and Piedmont Virginia.

Dividend paid Policy Holders, April 1st, 1869. Forty per cent.

This Company has met with a success beyond all parallel in Life Insurance, and offers to the Southern Public a Home enterprise equal to any and surpassed by none.

Gommenced active operations about Nov. 1, 1867. Assets 15th Sept. 1869, \$2,000,000, now much increased. Policies issued over 11,000. It has paid \$31,000 for losses, and in every instance has waived the ninety days time and paid at once.

It advises the payment of ALL CASH premiums, because then dividends will continually decrease each next payment until nothing will be required, and the policy may be a source of income; but it will allow one-third loan on all policies.

It requires no notes for loans of the part of premiums, but endorses the loan of its pelicies until absorbed by dividends or policy is payable.

It has no restrictions on residence or travel. All its policies are non-forfeitable, and the rights of parties guaranteed on the face of the policy, as part of the contract.

It has the following valuable feature which no other company gives. The late wartaught many the penalty of being separated from the Home Office, by having their part payment forfeited. "The Piedmont" guards against this in her policies, and in event of separation from its office by any intervention, guarantees to such all the right of non-forfeiture paid-up-policy, surrender value and reinstatement, as though there had been no intervening cause.

Its investments are made for the benefit of Southern advancement. It brings money to our people—keeps money with our people. Then why should they continue to impoverish themselves by sending money off which can as easily—as safely—as profitably—be spent at home?

The PIEDMONT asks all who wish to insure to compare its rates, terms and progress.

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The PIEDMONT asks all who wish to insure to compare its rates, terms and progress, with any Company, and feels confident its merits will equal any other company, AGENTS WANTED EVERYWHERE.

B. A. HAWKINS Notifies the people of the Valley that he is AGENT for the above named Company, and ecommends it as safe and liberal. Address,

B. A. HAWKINS, Agent.

BLARRISONBURG, VA.

Miscellaneous.

NEW GOODS! SPRING AND SU MER GOODS

FOR THE SEASON OF 1870!!

THE undersigned, successor to the late firm of Sibert, Long & Co., begs to call public attention to the superb stock of NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS just received and opened by him at the old Sibert corner, on Main street, Harrisonburg, which being purchased on the best terms enables him to offer more than ordinary inducements to purchasers.

My stock embraces every article usually found in a large and well-sected assortment I would name, in part,

LADIES' DRESS GOODS, Corsets, Skirts, Hosiery, Gloves, Housekeeping Goods, MEN'S WEAR, Hats, Boots, Shoes, Itendy-made Clothing, Trunks, Traveling Bags, Notions, Queensware; in short, almost all arti-cles in the dry goods line. To my large stock of

GROCERFES, I would invite special attention, as it embraces I would invite special attention, as it embraces all staple goods in that line, such as Sugars, Unifice, Molasses, &c., &c.

I will pay special attention to the sale and purchase of PRODUCE of every description, for which I will trade or pay cash.

The public are respectfully invited to give me a call, as my goods were selected with care, and bought at the lowest cash prices, and I freely assert the belief that no one wishing to purchase can do better elsewhere.

PRODUCE ESPECIALLY WANTED.

THE OLD RELIABLE LAND ACENCY

J. D PRICE. WISH to call the attention of all parties wishing to sell or dispose of Lands in this Valley, that their interest would be to place their property, now for sale, in my hands at once, as I have made extensive arrangements for the sale of Lands this fall. or the sale of Lands this fall.

Having connected my office with the great

"Chronicle Land Agency," of Washington city,
also, with A. P Smith, of N. Y., and being determined to drive a brisk trade in the

REAL ESTATE AGENCY BUSINESS, I call upon all my former patrons and others to call and see me in regard to the sale of their property.

P. S.—In my absence, my old and reliable friend, Capt. J. M. Looke, proprietor of the American Hotel, will attend to any business re-lating to the sale of property for me. sepl-tf J. D. PRICE.

A of the Hair, I beauty. Pre brindressing & Harrisonbu ral discount ral discount s, J. M. WE TOR 2 E Z A TO

CHEAP

GREAT MAMMOTH. WE ARE NOW SELLING THE BEST PRINTS at 123 CENTS!

Bleached Muslis 10 to 25 Cts. HELLER, BRO. & LŒWENBACH

LARGE ADDITIONS HAVE lately been made to my stock, consisting of SHOES and GAITERS, for Ladies, Misses and Children; fine and coarse Shoes for men and boys; Summer Hats, various kinds, brown and white Sugar, Rio, Java and Maracaibo Coffee, Syrups, Teas, Spices, Porto Rico Molasses, Linseed, Machine and Fish Oils, Paints, Window Glass, Putty, Dye stuffs, Grain and Grsss Scythes, Snaths, Scythe Stones, Kid and Liele Gleves, Dress Buttons, Braids, Hair Netts, and a variety of Notions.

Jel5 HENRY SHACKLETT.

INSURE YOUR PROPERTY! I am acting as Agent for two good VIRGIN-IA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANIES, and will

INSURE YOUR PROPERTY at as low rates

as are offered by any other GOOD COM-

PANIES in the Union. J. A. LŒWENBACH. VALLEY HOUSE, ON WATER STREET, IN REAR OF THE MASONIC HALL,

HARRISONBURG, VA.

I HAVE just opened a first-class eating-house under the above title, and am prepared to entertain those who call. My house is opposite my Livery Stable, on Water street. Meals at all hours. I will offer at all times a choice bill of fare in the eating line, and, having a BAR attached it will be kept supplied with the best of Liquors. Liquors.
A call solicited. Charges reasonable. Terms NELSON ANDREW. ap27-I



OPPOSITE THE AMERICAN HOTEL, HARRISONBURG, VA.

A. J. WALL, - - - Proprietor. At this house is kept constantly on hand, WHISKY, BRANDY, WINES, GIN, PORTER, ALE

JOHN SCANLON.

PROPRIETOR OF THE VIRGINIA HOTEL, AND DEALER IN WINES AND LIQUORS. VIRGINIA HOUSE, MAIN STREET,

IRISH WHISKY.

Is; unquestioned, and very clearly unquestionable. I have come amongst the good people of Harrisonburg to live with them, and help forward the town, and I am well persuaded I have the good wishes and kind feeling of all the best citizens of the town.

I do not boast of my weelth, for I hav'nt much of that, but I do stand, and want to stand upon my good name; I can say that "he who steels my purse steals trash, but he that steels my good name, steels that which does not him enrich, but makes me poor indeed.

Aug. 8, '68.-tf (fe 26)

JOHN SCANLON.

READ! READ! READ!

"Why I, in this weak piping time of peace,

CALL AND EXAMINE. CALL AND EXAMINE.

Besides TRIMMINGS, he has also a choice loc of GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS—Collars, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, Cravats, Ties, &c. These goods will be sold low, and made up at short notice in the latest style.

A call solicited from the public, at my old stand, Main street, in the house adjoining Ott's Drug building.

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LIVERY, FEED & EXCHANGE

PETER PAUL, Jr. HAVING made arrangements to meet every demand of the usual Spring and Summer season, the undersigned respectfully calls the attention of citizens, sojourners and the travelling public to the fact that his LIVERY AND FEED STABLE is supplied with Saddle and Harness Horses, also, Hacks, Carriages, Buggles, f., and that he is prepared to accommodate the public with horses or vehicles.

EXCURSION PARTIES to any of the surrounding Summer resorts, or to Weyer's Cave, or the Cave of the Fountains or to any accessible point, provided with equipages at short netice. Persons wishing transportation, who are looking for lands, etc., will always find me prepired to meet their wants.

My charges will be low, but my terms are invariably cash. No deviation from this rule. Striving to merit, I hope to receive a fair proportion of patrenage.

Respectfully,

Ma19 PROPRIETOR.

ROSADALIS. RENORTH A STAND AFOR

ROSADALIS TO THE PUBLIC.

FROM THIS DAY until further notice I will sell you such Goods as you may wish, and as cheap as any in Harrisonburg, and will take YOUR TORN GREENBACKS

Liquers, Etc.

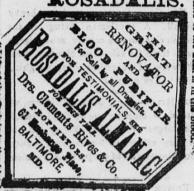
DIXIE HOUSE

A LL persons in want of Liquors for Medicinal or other purposes, will do well to call before purchasing elsewhere.

HARRISONBURG, VIRGINIA: While I connot boast, as one ofmy friendly neighbore has done, of having procured my license from the Honorable County Court of Rockingham, yet my legal moral and civil right to sell and yend all kinds of

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FRENCH BRANDY,
HOLLAND GIN,
PORT WINES,
MADEIRA WINES,
MALAGA WINES,
CLARET WINES,
CLARET WINES,
DOMESTIC BRANDY,
NEW ENGLAND RUM,
PURE ROURBON WHISKY,
PURE OLD RYE WHISKY,
MONONGAHELA WHISKY,
IKISH WHISKY,
Isiz unquestioned, and very clearly unquestionable.

BUT if King Rlchard bad lived in these days he would have had no cause to "descant upon his defermity," for he could remedy that affliction, by buying his goods and having them made up in the latest style and best manner by GEORGE S. CHRISTIE, GEORGE S. CHRISTIE,
FASHIONAALE MERCHANT TAILOR,
HARRISONBURG, VA.



HAVING been removed from office by Gen.

On toneman, I will hereafter devote my whole time and attention to the business of selling property of all kinds as an AUCTIONEER.

JAMES STEELE,

JUST received or

...orway Nail Iron, G. W. TABA

And a complete assortment of all Liquors

Have no delight to pass away the time; Unless to spy my shadow in the sun, And descant on mine own deformity."

FASRIONAALE MERCHANT TAILOR,
HARRISONBURG, VA.
Who respectfully invites public attention to the fact that he has just received his SPRING AND SUMMEL stock of goods for gentlemen. It is unnecessary to enumerate his stock in detail, as it embraces all articles usually kept in a Merchant Tailoring establishment, and guaranteed to be of a choice and elegant description.

STABLE. HARRISONBURG, VIRGINIA.

Thankful for past favors, I hope for a continuance of the same.

When I am not in Harrisonburg nor at home,
persons wishing my services can leave their
names at the office of Woodson & Compton, with
the time and place of sale, where I will get

of all denominations for the face of the note.

Bring all your torn money to me.

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WM. LOEB.