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THE OLD FARMER'S ELEGY.

On a green grassy knoll, by the banks of the brook. That so long and so often has watered his flock, The old farmer rests in his long and last sleep, While the waters a low, lapsing lullaby keep. He has ploughed his last furrow, has reaped his last

No morn shall awake him to labor again.

You tree, that with fragrance is filling the air, So rich with its blossoms, so thrifty and fair, By his own hand was planted; and well did he say It would live when its planter had mouldered away. He has ploughed his last furrow, has reaped his last

There's the well that he dug, with its waters so cold,

No morn shall awake him to labor again.

With its wet, dripping bucket, so mossy and old, No more from its depths by the patriarch drawn, For the "pitcher is broken," the old man is gone. He has ploughed his last furrow, has reaped his last No morn shall awake him to labor again. 'Twas a gloomy-giving day when the old farmer

The stout-hearted mourned, the affectionate cried; And the prayers of the just for his rest did ascend, For they all lost a brother, a man and a friend. He has ploughed his last furrow, has reaped his las

No morn shall awake him to labor again. For upright and honest the old farmer was; His God he revered, he respected the laws; Though fameless he lived, he has gone where his

Will outshine, like pure gold, all the dross of this He has ploughed his last furrow, has reaped his grain; No morn shall awake him to labo again.

Josiah D Canning.

ESSIE'S FORTUNE.

"It's the same old pain in my side again," said Essie Hooper sadly.

She was sitting at the window where she always sat and sewed-a little, coopedup spot, with a view of tin roofs, factory chimneys, and the neighbors' back yards. Just above a stack of brick flues one could catch a solitary glimpse of silver cloud floating across the ethereal blue-and this was Essie's sole dream of rest and glad-

A pale, violet-cyed girl, with red-brown hair gathered into a net, and fitful shadows of color upon her cheek, she seemed scarcely more than a child in years. Life, however, begins early with the poor-and Essie Hooper had been earning her own

living ever since she was twelve years old. "You have been sitting too steadily, child," said Lucy Deall, her neighbor. 'Here-jump up, and run around to the trimming store for half a dozen cards of outtons to match this sample. Mrs. Peck told me to get them, but I guess you need

the exercise more than I do." Before Essie could get on her hat, however, the door opened, and Mrs. Peck herself came in with a troubled and pre-occu-

"Young women," said she, in her hard, ousiness-like way of speaking, "I desire your attention for a few minutes."

"She's going to cut down our wages ten per cent.," whispered Haddie Hall. "She's going to clap on an extra hour to

the day's work," murmured Jane Simpson, apprehensively. "I regret to say," spoke up Mrs. Peck,

"that business is decreasing, and times are dull, and I find it necessary to dispense missal I have decided."

Essie had turned very pale.

"Must I go," she faltered. Mrs. Peck, who was, upon the whole, not a bad-hearted woman; "but I cannot possibly afford to keep on so many girls, and | with a black bottle clasped tenderly in her one must go, you see. And it's always the custom to send away the one who has been

with you the shortest period of time." She counted out the slender sum of money which was due to the girl, and stood calmly by, while Essie tied on her hat, took down her shawl, and mechanically bade the other girls adieu.

It was an every-day affair with her, this dismissal of a superflous hand, and she never stopped to think what might possibly become of the poor forlorn young creature who was thus set adrift on the world. She had never troubled herself to ask any questions of her youngest apprentice or she might have learned that Essie Hooper was quite alone and friendless in the

"Of course I must go to Aunt Jocasta," said Essie to herself. "I have just money enough to take me to Butternut Vale, and Aunt Jocasta can at least advise me if she

can do nothing else." But when she reached the old red farmfound it had been modernized by the addition of a fine new veranda and rustic fences of twisted cedar wood, and instead of Aunt Jocasta and her knitting-work at the window, she saw the dimpled faces of little children, standing on tiptoe to peep over the sill.

"Where is old Miss Hooper?" she asked of a smart young woman, who was training sweet peas upon a home-made trellis. "Miss Hooper!" echoed the young woman, with a start. "Well only think of that. Don't you know she's been dead for three | ried."

months ?" "Dead! My Aunt Jocasta," cried poor Elsie, feeling as if all the world were in a whirl around her.

"Then you are the niece from New York," said the stranger. "They wrote to you, but I suppose the letter never reached you. It was a paralytic stroke; she only lived six hours, poor dear! And after she was buried and the expenses paid, there was nothing left. My husband moved into the py tears. house last month—we have a three years' lease from the landlord," rather defiantly added the young woman, as if she wished old Jocasta Hooper's niece to understand lilies in the State."

that she, Mrs. Morris Mills, was no usurper

"Yes: I understand-I know," said Elsie, feebly; "but I have come all the way from New York, and I am very tired. Might I stay here to-night?"

"And welcome," said Mrs. Mills kindly. "We've a house, full of boarders coming to-morrow. Mr. Mills is acquainted with a doctor in Boston who recommends all his ailing patients here, for the pine groves and mountain air, you know; and there are two young theologians from the seminary who have engaged a top room, and an old gentleman who is wild about trout. So we are likely to be full enough by-andbye. But just to-night we have plenty of

But while Mrs. Mills was chatting on and the children were making merry tumult over their toys, and the birds were singing in the woods, Essie's mind was busy with the ever-recurring question, "What am I to do ?-What is going to become of me?" Aunt Jocasta had not been much of a help to her, but she was something to cling to-and now she, too, was

"I might sell stencil plates," she thought dreamily, to herself, "or turn book agent, or look out for a place in the woolen factories. But I am not so very strong; and I am afraid I have not courage and enterprise enough to make my living as a gen-

teel pedler." "Oh, dear! oh, dear! I don't see what I

was put in this world for." And a quiet tear or two trickled down her cheek and fell noiselessly into the bowl of hot water wherewith she was assisting Mrs. Mills to wash the super dishes.

At sunset the young farmer himself came home, a stalwart, hearty, black-bearded specimen of humanity.

"Well, Polly," he said, as he acknowledged the introduction to Essie Hooper with a kindly nod. "I engaged a first-class cook for you-a woman that has had lots of experience in Newport hotels, and wants to come up among the mountains for a change of air; but as for waitresses and chambermaids, there wasn't one would consent to leave the city limits, though I offered them as high as two dollars a week."

Mrs. Mills's blooming countenance fell visibly.

"Oh, Morris, what am I to do?" she cried. "The chamber work I might manage myself, but the waiting! And with twelve people coming to-night!"

"At this Essie Hooper spoke up; "Could

I do it?" she said, wistfully. "I am in need of employment of some kind." "You?" cried Mrs. Mills. "But you are

"But why can't I be a waitress, too?" said Essie. "I must do something to carn house before his next snow-storm gets "You are a darling," said Mrs Mills,

with a kiss. "And I do believe Providence has sent you straight here to help me out and include some of the Middle Atlantic of my dilemma. Put on that big apron, States. Ulsters will be felt as far South as and I'll show you about the china closets at once." It was hard work, but after all, as Essie

confessed to herself, not unpleasant. Miss Earle, the Boston beauty, turned up her | dle Atlantic States, including Washington, nose at her, and old Mrs. Hallowell was perpetually finding fault because Essie with one of my hands. Miss Hooper, as didn't come quickly enough to her call, the youngest, is the one upon whose dis- | while Mr. Miggs, the vegetarian, harangued her on the proper preparation of salads, and Mrs. Jetsam and her daughter treated her as if she were the dust beneath their "I am very sorry for it, my dear," said dainty, French-booted feet. The first-class cook who had been imported was found senseless beneath the wash-tubs one day, arms, and Mrs. Mills was compelled perforce to take her place, while Essie assumed double duties of chamber-maid and wai-

"What a very remarkable specimen of the New England young person that waitress-woman is!" said Miss Earle, one day, with a giggle, to Mr. Gerald, the young theologian, whom she had incidentally dis-

covered to be rich and of a fine family. "Yes," said Mr. Gerald, "I think she is rather remarkable." "Reads Hiawatha on the back door step when the dishes are washed," said Miss

Earle. "Has a collection of rare dried ferns on the kitchen dresser, and trimmed a hat for Mrs Mills as if Madame Navarro world, except an old aunt down in the herself had trimmed it. Are all the farmhouse waitresses like this one?"

"I don't think they are," said Mr. Ger-When the summer was over Mrs. Mills

counted up her gains gleefully. "We've made a success of it my dear," said she to Essie. "And I'm quite willing house on the edge of the pine thickets, she to divide the profits with you—that is, if you'll stay here and help me through the

winter. The Thompsons are going to stay, and old Mrs. Hallowell, and-" "I-I am afraid I couldn't stay," said Essie, coloring.

"You are not going back to dress-making ?" said Mrs. Mills. "No," said Essie, in a low voice. "Have you any other place in view?"

arged the farmer's wife. "No-that is, yes," confessed Essie. "To tell you the truth, I am going to be mar-"Well, I declare!" cried Mrs. Mills, a

sudden blaze of light breaking in upon her brain. "Not to old Mr. Miggs?" "Of course not."

"Mr. Pepper, the clerk in the bank?" "Do you think I would marry him ?" alnost indignantly retorted Essie. "Then it is-it must be Mr. Gerald?" And Essie could only hide her face on

her friend's shoulder, and shed a few hap-A Philadelphia girl upon being remon-"But, my dear, he's rich," said Mrs. Mills. "Yes, I know it," said Essie.

"And Miss Earle has been laying steady seige to his heart ever since he came into the house," added Mrs. Mills.

"I don't know anything about that," said Essie. "I only know that he loves And so our courageous little heroine

passed out of the world of trials and troubles into woman's truest element-that of a beloved wife. And Miss Earle thought it very strange

-she believed that society was all upside down now-a-days.

Practical Imformation. "What is rack rent, dad?" inquired a

oung Comstocker who had been reading the news from Ireland. The patient parent laid down the stock list and replied:

"Do you know how much I charge Mr. Boggarty for his room up stairs ?" "Yes, sir; \$12 a month." "Well, now, suppose Mr. Boggarty should take it into his head to have, at his own expense, new paper put on the

wall, the ceiling whitened, and all the

furniture mended, the room would look

aheap sight prettier, wouldn't it?" "Lor!" murmured the intelligent boy. "Well, if the very minute Boggarty had got all these improvements made I should go up and look around and smile and jin-

gle my money in my pocket and remark: "This is a pretty good sort of a lay out for a single man, Boggarty, and you have altogether too soft a thing. Your rent will be \$20 a month hereafter. What would you think of it ?"

The innocent child giggled and said "That would be cheek, wouldn't it dad?" "Bet your mony on it, my boy," replied the father, beaming kindly upon his offspring. "That would de rackrenting Mr. Boggarty, and if he kicked and claimed that all the improvments had been made by him without costing me a cent, and I should fire him out, that would be eviction. I will now," continued the parent, warming up, "briefly review the history of Ireland for the past seven hundred years.

When Brian Borhu-"

But his son had fled.

Mr. Vennor and the Weather. Vennor, the weather prophet, has resigned his position in the Canadian geo logical survey and opened a mining stock exchange. Now a suffering people will have revenge. Because he has been successful as a predictor of weather fluctuations he thinks he can predict stock fluctuations, and therefore become a millionaire. We predict he will be in the almsaround. This is Vennor's forecast of th weather next week: An area of sore throat and cold feet will prevade the lake region Indianapolis and indications of slight variations of umbrellas and over shoes prevail through a vast belt including the Middle States and Pittsburg. For Midslight overcoat with occasionly straw hat, light easterly and southwesterly spring

bonnet, shifting to seal skin sacque.

Little Robbie's Prayer, Tired Robbie, in his night-gown, After playing all the day, Kneels, with heavy, drooping eyelids,

By his mamma's side to pray. Come, begin, my pet-'Our Father-" "No, not 'at," breaks in the elf, At too long, and me too sleepy,

Make a little prayer myself. 'Dod bless all the folks an' chilums. "Keep 'em safe till mornin' light, Speshly me and my dear mamma,

Amen. Tiss me quick-dood night."

ATTENTION TO SMALL THINGS .- In all the affairs of life the stitch in time saves us trouble. Some of us seem to find it impossible to take it; we are delayed about repairing the roof for want of material, till the dampness cracks the plaster, and peels off the wall paper, and gives us bronchitis; we would take such pleasure in settling our bills before the interest doubles them as only he who owes them knows; we realize the necessity of a stitch in time in our affairs, but have no thread and needle, so to speak; or we fancy that we will attend to them to-morrow, or next week, or after we have gotten through with the work in hand, and then they are beyond mending. Sometimes it is our friendships that show a break. When a word is spoken in season, how good it is! What tears and regrets it saves us! Many a heart-ache could be spared us by a sea-

sonable adjustment of difficulties.

[Detroit Post and Tribune.] I have a little girl, said Mr. Henry Dole, of this ciry, in a conversation, who was troubled with a severe lameness in her legs, pronounced by some Erysipelas, by others Rheumatism. I had tried several remedies without effect, when I was induced to apply St. Jacobs Oil, and I am happy to say that the use of but one bottle cured her, and now she is able to go to school again.

Full many a maid has toyed with kero-And sailed to glory in a gorgeous glare;

Full many a man has picked at glycerine, And flown promiscuous through the desert

strated with for refusing an honest and industrious young man, exclaimed: "It's no use in arguing, ma! His nose is so flat "And he belongs to one of the best famthat I'm sure he must snore!"

HIC JACET.

In rosy light it lies, the earth its urn: Under the funeral pyre of dying day, Amid brown leaves and fern,
The soul of fire hath flitted far away. And the still clay, that cannot rise or t

Content to stay Amid dead leaves and blossoms, day by day Fast moulders to decay.

Where two have met-a stone: Where two have joyed-a sorrow. Where two have parted, all the way's o'ergrown With violets darkly blown:

And mosses borrow Fresh verdure from the dust of one that sleeps Where two have stood-one steals to weep alone, Here-where the night wind creeps.

In the moon's light it lies, no more to buin With pangs of baffled hope or vain desire; In life's rude school and of the lesson tire. From bush to bush the nightingales inquire,

And answer one another in the calm;

The glow-worm glitters like a fairy fire,

And shadowy arches of the wild rose briar Weep from their half-closed blossoms tears of bal In darkness dull it lies. All that we prize-All that we seek to earn with sacrifice Of toil and tears

For many days and years, And clasp and call our own, but cannot keep Frail as a dream of sleep, C. M. Gemmer. A flower that dies.

Memories of Yorktown. FROM A LONDON PAPER.

There is, however, in the memories of Yorktown even now much to draw living Englishmen and Americans nearer together, and unquestionably the bearing of General Washington at the supreme moment towards his vanquished and humiliated enemy was of that character which it is meet and right that historians should "not willingly let die." When, on the 15th of October, 1781, Lord Cornwallis had lost his two advanced redoubts by storm, he made an attempt to escape with his rank and file who were still fit for duty-rather more than 4,000 in number-across the river to Gloucester. The attempt was frustrated, as might have been expected, when it is remembered that the opposing forces, French and American, vastly outnumbered the British, and that a French fleet of more than 30 sail, under Comte de Grasse, lay in the adjoining river and roads. On the morning of the 17th of October Lord Cornwallis accepted the inevitable, and the terms of capitulation were settled between him, as representing the British side and General Washington and the Comte de Rochambeau as severally representing the triumphant forces of America and France. But it is not generally known that at the moment when Lord Cornwallis surrendered to Gen. Washington, the humbled Englishman simultaneously uncovfulness General Washington prayed him to put on his hat as-the weather being chilly and wet-there was danger of his catching cold. "It does not much matter what now becomes of me," exclaimed the dejected Englishman; to which, in a firm voice, General Washington at once replied : "On the contrary, my lord, I anticipate for you a long career of distinction and honor in the service of your King and country." How truly these generous and prophetic words were borne out may be seen by those who care to read the epitaph upon the

monument erected by a grateful country to

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the closest amity both with France and

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of events which happened a century since

are likely to diminish the cordiality of

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Recently when the lawyers in Judge

Clay's court in Carson city, were waiting

for a verdict in a petty larceny case sever-

al stories were told by the legal lights

which provoked considerable surprise.

Judge Clay evinced the greatest interest

in these weird tales and edged up to the

"These are curious varns, gentlemen, but

I believe them all. I had a dog once,

back in Nebraska, that I kept to herd

"Beg pardon, Judge; did you say the

"Yes, sir; cottonwood boards. We al-

ways kept a dog there to bring the lumber

Everybody now paid the closest atten-

"It was this way. Cottonwood boards

warp like thunder in the sun. A board

would begin to hump its back up at 9

the other way with the heat, and make an-

other flop. Each time it turned it moved

a couple of feet, always following the sun

the upland. An ordinary board would

climb a two-mile hill during a hot week,

and when it struck the timber it would

keep wormin' in and out among the trees

like a great snake. Every farmer in the

State had to keep shepherd dogs to follow

his lumber around the country, keep it to-

gether and know where it was in the

Gratitude is the music of the heart when

its chords are swept by kindness.

tion, as they knew the boss was at

dog herded lumber?"

in at night."

work.

their friendship.

Paul's Cathedral. Yet memories of this kind serve to remind us that, in Keble's beautiful words, "Brothers are brothers

assigns ?" evermore. No distance"-and, it may be "I do," said the bride doubtfully. added, no bickering-"breaks their tie of blood." England is happily, on terms of

cents." "Are we married?" asked the bride. "Yes, when the fee comes in." After ome fumbling it was produced and handed to the "court," who pocketed it and continued: "Know all men by these presents, that I being in good health and of sound and disposin' mind, in consideration of a dollar 'n' fifty cents to me in hand paid,

There is one patient worker who does not expect and is not expected to "take a vacation." The house mother's needs are forgotten. It has often been pointed out -how to the men comes a change of scene in going out to business; how they get at least an hour or more of fresh air every day, and lubricate the machinery of life by contacts with friends and acquaintances; while the women suffer from the very quiet of their home life, not to mention the nerve wearing anxieties, cares and labors. The wife mother should be gently forced out of the home ruts. Because she thinks she doesn't want to go is no sign that she does not need to go. A tread mill is one of o'clock in the morning, and in half an hour the hardest to get out of gear, and the pait would turn over. By 11 it would warp | tient plodder therein at last comes to think that there is no other round for her in the great world. Therefore, husbands, sons and daughters take this admonition. towards the West. The first summer I and help mother off. Enter into an amilived in Brownville over ten thousand feet able conspiracy to convince her that she of lumber skipped out to the hills the day | can go. Persuade her that home is not the before I advertised a house raising. I best place to travel in, nor the best place went to the county seat to attend a lawsuit, for some kinds of rest. And don't wait and when I got back there wasn't a stick | too long, nor mistake resignation for con of timber left. It had strayed away into tentment. Minister to her while you have the chance.

Little four-year-old Fred refuses above

While most of our traveling men, our

commercial tourists, are nice gentlemen,

there is occasionally one who is as full of the Old Nick as an egg at this time a year is full of malaria. There was one of them stopped at a country town a few nights ago where there was a church fair. He is a blonde, good-natured looking, serioustalking man, and having stopped at that town every month for a dozen years, everybody knows him. He always chips in towards a collection, a wake, or a rooster fight, and the town swears by him. He attended the fair, and a jolly little sister of the church, a married lady, took him by the hand and led him through green fields. where the girls sold him ten cent chances in sawdust dolls, and beside still waters where a girl sold him sweetened water for lemonade, from Rebecca's well. The sister finally stood beside him while the deacon was reading off numbers. They were drawing a quilt, and as the numbers were drawn all were anxious to know who drew it. Finally, after several numbers were drawn, it was announced that No. 15 drew the quilt, and the little sister turned to the traveling man and said: "My, that is my number. I have drawn it. What shall I do?" "Hold up your ticket and shout 'keno,' " said he. The little deaconess did not stop to think that there might be guile lurking in that traveling man, but full of joy at drawing the quilt and ice cream, because the traveling man bought it, she rushed into the crowd toward the deacon, holding her ticket, and shouting so they could hear it all over the house, "keno!" If a bank had burst in the building, there couldn't have been so much astonishment. The deacon turned pale and looked at the poor little sister as if she had fallen from grace, and all the church people looked at er sadly, while the worldly minded people snickered. The little woman saw that she had got her foot into something, and she blushed and backed out, and asked the traveling man what keno meant. He said he didn't know exactly, but he always seen people when they won anything at the game yell "keno." She is not exactly clear yet what keno is, but she has sworn off on taking advice from nice-looking traveling men. They call her Little Keno

A Western Wedding.

A newly elected justice of the peace, who had been used to drawing up deeds and wills and little else, was called upon as his first official act to marry a couple who came into his office very hurriedly and told their purpose. He lost no time ered his head. With characteristic thought- in removing his hat, and remarked: "Hats off in the presence of the court." All beovered he said: "Hold up your right hands. You, John Marvin, do you solemlny swear that to the best of your knowledge and belief you take this ver woman ter have an' ter hold for yourself. yer heirs, exekyerters, administrators and assigns, for your an' their use and behoof

forever?

"I do," answered the groom. "You, Alice Ewer, take this yer man for yer husband, to hev an' ter hold forever; and you do further swear that you are lawfully seized in fee simple, are free from all incumbrance, and have good right to sell, bargain and convey to the said grantee yerself, yer heirs, admininstrators and

"Well, John, that'll be a dollar 'n' fifty

the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do and by these presents have declared yer

man and wife during good behavior and until otherwise ordered by the court." A Needed Rest.

all things to be pitied. The other day he fell down stairs and was picked up badly bruised, and was pitied accordingly. "It is too bad," his mother said, "really too bad. Poor fellow!" "Taint too bad!" exclaimed Fred, stsuggling to keep back the tears. "I've been just dying to fall down stairs this long time!"

THURSDAY MORNING, MAY 12, 1881.

GARFIELD-CONKLING.

Garfield sat down on the lordly Roscoe on Thursday last, and the summary proceeding has met with almost universal approbation. For some time there has been a dead-lock in the Senate. Last week the Republican Senators in caucus determined to go on with the Executive business for which the Senate had been convened by the President. Among other nominations sent in by the President for confirmation was that of Judge Robertson for collector of the port of New York. Judge Robertson was an anti-third-termer, and as such antagonized Conkling at the Chicago Republican Convention last year. Hence the Senatorial Adonnis determined to crush Judge Robertson by preventing his confirmation. This became well known, and also that Conkling intended to have the other New York appointments confirmed, 'eaving Judge Robertson for the last in order to defeat him. Mr. Garfield blocked the game by withdrawing nearly all of the New York appointments except Judge Robertson. This was a "bomb" from an unexpected quarter, and threw the Republican camp into consternation. Elsewhere we print the particulars of Mr. Garfield's action, which is good reading, for all of us can enjoy the discomfiture of the pea-cock Senator from New York.

MARSHAL LEWIS' ANSWER.

Elsewhere to-day we print a synopsis of the reply of Hon. John F. Lewis to the charges made against the officers of the Federal Courts for the Western District of Virginia,by a special agent of the Department at Washington, C. C. Lancaster. In John F. Lewis the agent caught a tartar, for bad as Mr. Lewis is politically, being a Mahone-Republican, yet no one has ever impugned his honor and personal integrity. That is just what cannot be done. As a county-man Mr. Lewis excites our pride, and we are glad to see the manner of his defence. Politically, however, we have nothing to do with the affair, and perhaps no right to say a word, as the fight is between Republican Lancaster and Republican Lewis-both of the same party, which at present does not appear to be a very happy family.

Ah ha! that's the little game, is it? "We expect to have the federal patronage, and this fall will carry the State," say the Mahone representative leaders. Nominate a Mahone man for every office however petty -it will buy some support-says Mozart

"We can hardly count on New York as a certain Republican State, and it were better to use the money now spent for election purposes there, in Virginia, North and South Carolina, Florida and Louisiant, which can be bought, and will more than compensate for the loss of New York," says a leading Republican newspaper. And thus, Democrats of Rockingham, Mahone and his lieutenants (having sold out to Republicanism themselves) propose, for a price, to transfer you like so many sheep to your most deadly enemies. The infamous bargain of Mahone commenced last summer, and so shamefully carried on since, many Republicans hang their heads in

shame. Take care, Democrats, lest some of you ty at Nashville, Tenn., was dedicated Sunbe led into the snare this coming May election. Recollect that those who cry Ring! Ring! so much are the very men who met at cross-roads school houses, &c., and nom- that gentleman was hung in the hall. In inated (for every office down to overseer of his name, Bishop McTyeire, president of the poor) a mixed ticket, composed of Ma-hone (not Readiusters) and Republican ing to the senior bishop for formal acceptmen. Can oil and water mix? You know better. There can be but two parties-Democratic and Republican. Ask yourselves to which this mixed party belongs.

Democratic Readjusters, read the para- Grant Office-Holders to be Decapitated. graph below. If you are not going with Mahone into the Republican party, then it will hardly be a sweet morsel to your taste. The fight next fall is to be made against the Democrats by all the odds | comfortably put in operation for that purand ends, assisted by Republican federal patronage. It is not the debt question over which the fight will be made. Remember that!

It is the prevailing impression here now that not only the President but the whole time that the most influential officer of his National Republican party are bent upon defeating the Democrats in the next coning his presidential aspirations, and he retest in Virginia, and for that purpose not only all the sederal patronage but all the other influence of the government will be thrown in that direction, and that everything that looks toward a straightout Republican move will be discountenanced by them. They say repudiation or no repudiation, Virginia must be secured in order to compensate in part for the loss of York which they now look upon as certain in consequence of their split in the Senate, and that both wings of the party will work to that end irrespective of their differences with each other .- Wash. Cor.

Now that the dead-lock in the Senate is broken, Executive business is proceeding. his share from the President, or anybody But it affords no consolation for Mahone, else who would give it to him, and in the Gorham and Riddisberger. Neither of the latter can get the places they are seeking. No officers will be elected at this session, and in December they will not stand a ghost of a chance.

a hundred others be taken but this one or. The Whig sees through a glass darkly. rvive. Soon we hope he may be at his no it again. There is always "music in the air" when St. Andrew is around. Get well, old hoy,-quick.

Journal: "For Governor, Judge Waller R. Staples; for Lieutenant-Governor, General William H. F. Lee; for Attorney-General, Captain P. W. McKinney."

Cadet Whittaker's ears have already cost the government \$100,000. Alex. Gazette.

A CORRECTION.

Last week we copied a paragraph from the Charlottesville Jeffersonian, which was

Mr. John Paul said in a speech at Luray last Monday that the Readjusters would have the National Republican party to back them next fall, and they would also have the federal patronage to aid them, and then they would settle the debt as they pleased. The programme is foreshadowed here, the patronage gained, the debt may lamnation .- Charlottesville Jeffer

. Seeing the same statement in several papers we gave it credence, and in another column of our same issue we commented upon the statement. Subsequently we received the Page Courier which makes the following emphatic denial of it.

"The only necessary answer to make to the above statement, which we have noticed in several other papers, is that 'Mr. John Paul' did not make a speech in Luray last Monday, nor at any time since the election last fall. Will the Republican and other papers in which this statement has occurred make the correction ?"

We make the correction most cheerfully. We do not wish to misrepresent Capt. Paul or any man, politically or in any other way. We strive to do what is right, and if we' err sometimes it is only because we are but human. Having given currency to a statement that is shown to be false, we cannot honorably refuse such reparation as we can field him. He was one of the twenty-two make.

NEWS ITEMS.

The thermometer registered 85 degrees at Chicago Sunday, and there was one case of Specimens of American tea were exhibited by Commissioner Le Duc in New

York Saturday. It takes three days to marry an Austrian prince. On Tuesday the marriage of Prince Rudolph of Austria, and Princess Steph-

ania, of Belgium, was concluded. A mad dog running wild in the streets of Springfield, N. S., Saturday savagely attacked and bit seven children three men and one woman, before being shot. Parties are still being arrested in Phila-

delphia, charged with complicity in schemes to defraud the United States Government, by putting in straw bids to secure 'star" contracts for carrying the mails. The German government, having prohibited the use of tobacco by boys under six-teen years of age, is considering the prac-

ticability of still more stringent laws, including the prohibition of beer in the Allegheny county, Pa., has nearly completed the payment of losses by the rail-road riots of 1877. Thus far claims amounting to about \$2,750,000 have been

issued. It is thought that \$45,000 will cover all the unsettled claims. Eliza Tifft, aged 18, committed suicide at Adams, N. Y., Saturday, by taking morphine. She was to have been married to a young man named Allen, who was arsted a week ago for accomplishing the ruin of a young lady of the same place.

Dr. Stephen H. Tyng, Jr., who lately resigned the rectorship of the Church Ho-ly Trinity, New York city, has accepted a proposal from an insurance company of that city to supervise the operations of the company in Europe, with his headquarters

Mexico has the worst case of railroad tapeworm on record Its "concessions" and "grants" now amount to \$171,000,000 to build 14,263 miles of road. Meantime, the State treasury has not enough in it to pay for a decent banquet to General Grant, and the debt, repudiated or current, is

Up to the first of May the weather in Britain was more crops than in this country, but still the wheat crop prospects both in England and on the Continent are incomparably better than they were at any time in 1879, and has been so tho: oughly exposed that even many Republicans hang their heads in sired, they were at latest accounts improv-

> day. Bishop Paine, the senior bishop of the Southern Methodist Church, presided. It being the 60th birthday of W. H. Vanderbilt, the donor, a full-length portrait of ance and dedication, which ceremonies were impressively performed. A rising vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Vanderbilt by the faculty, students and citizens. The building cost over \$100,000.

----[Correspondence of the Baltimore Sun.]

The heads of the Grant officeholders are commencing to fall, and it is generally understood that they will be ejected from position as soon as the machinery can be oose. Commissioner of Internal Revenue Raum, who was away for weeks last spring and summer working up the cause of Grant, is said to be one of the most prominent of those marked for destruction. Secretary unfortunate for all of those now in office who are known as pronounced friends of Gen. Grant. as all the elements antagonistie to Gen. Grant, and Senator Conkling will combine against them.

General Mahone's home organ of yesterday said: "The die is cast; and the unfalt ering hand of Mahone has won the prize for his State, the South and the whole coun-

And yet at that very time the Republican Senators who had bargained with the General and received their share of the profit, had determined in caucus to "go back" on their promises to him, and to let him get best way he could; and that at the same time the leading republican papers of the North, those who had advised the bargain and supported it until their party had, by it, got control of the Senate commit-tees, had opened a fire of denunciation upon him and his confederates, Gorham and Riddlebarger, and upon the principles ad-We read in our State exchanges with pain of the severe illness of Brother St. Andrew of the Farmville Mercury. Let a confer upon them they have practically treated him as they would a squeezed le

Now let the democrats of Virginia show their gratitude to the democrats in the U. S. Senate for their brave and successful defense of them and their defeat of the Sen-This is the ticket of the Farmville atorial Mahone-republican coalition, with all the danger incident to such a coalition, by settling all their difference at once and making sure of a victory over the Mahonites next fall as will sew up that party with a single stitch, and make its fate a warning example to future generations.

We are assured that their gratitude can be of the finest horses on the English turf, warning example to future generations.

-Aur. Gazette.

Garfield Shows His Teeth in the Fac-

WASHINGTON, May 5 .- The Senate went into executive session, on motion of Mr. Dawes, immediately after the reading of the journal, and for a while matters looked dull enough. Mr. Wm. Walter Phelps was promptly confirmed as United States minister to Austria. There were also some unimportant nominations confirmed, and then. Mr. Pruden, the President's private secretary, made his appearance message. A rumor was put out that Robertson's name had been withdrawn, but it found little credit. The real truth of the matter was soon gathered.

GARFIELD'S BOLD AND DECISIVE STEP. The President had taken the bold and decisive step of withdrawing all the New York nominations except that of Mr. Robertson, to be collector of the port of New York. The impression created in the Senate was profound. For some time Senators could hardly realize it and knew not what to say. But as the facts came to be weighed the general expression of comment was very favorable to the President. It was felt that the movement showed he was ready for the fight with Mr. Conkling, which that Senator has so plainly exhibited his purpose to have unless he should be allowed to dictate. The plan of the New York senator has been, as is generally believed, to have all the New York nominees acted on except Mr. Robertson, most, if not all, of them being special friends of his own or at least members of his wing New York delegates who had at the Chicago Convention signed a paper declaring their purpose to resist the nomination of Gen. U. S. Grant. Robertson's name head-ed this list of signers. He was the leader of the rebels. To Mr. Conkling's mind there could be no graver offense than this. Accordingly the plan was, after all the other New York nominations should be confirmed, to have the Senate adjourn without action on Robertson. Senator Dawes has telegraphed to-day to a Massahe had ever, as head of a caucus commitee, proposed to the President to withdraw Robertson or to have the nomination post-poned to next winter, but whether this be rue or a trick upon words, it is certain that Mr. Conkling and his senatorial allies were seeking to have Robertson disposed of finally by a failure to act on his case. This little game cannot very well be played now. The senators who may aid it will place themselves in open and flagrant hostility to the administration, and will have to take the usual consequences of such hostility.

THE HAND OF BLAINE. The movement of the President is understood to have been suggested to him by Mr. Blaine, Mr. Murat Halstead, editor of the Cincinnati Commercial, and other eminent gentlemen of both political parties. The President was told that the crisis was one that called for him to use the reserve force that is inherent in his great office, and he has done it in a manner that will teach Mr. Conkling that he is dealing with an adversary able to strike as well as to receive blows. The Democratic politicians who have all along been surprised at the meekness with which the President endured Mr. Conkling's arrogance and hostilty think that the President has shown the true spirit of manhood in this proceeding. The Republican senators are divided in opinion. The reliable friends of the President are gratified; the Conkling faction is indignant, and the others are halting between two opinions and talking both ways till they can find out the strong side. Mr. Conkling will now have a good excuse for making his threatened assault in open Senate on the President, but he may think better of it. In all this hurly-burly the position of Mahone becomes grotesque and comical. Gorham is gone up, Riddleberger do.; the "bargain" is thrown aside with last year's almanac, and the little fellow has to make his choice between Garfield and Conkling, and jump very quick in order to get anything. will, of course, go where the spoils are, but to satisfy Mr. Conkling will be no easy matter. Taking one consideration with another the situation is exciting.

NO COMPROMISE TO BE MADE WITH THE CONKLING FACTION. WASHINGTON, May 6 .- The action of the President on yesterday in regard to the New York appointments is the one topic of discussion to day in political circles. number of Republican senators were at the White House last evening to see the President, and others were up there this morning. It has been very hastily assumed that all those senators went to urge upon the President the policy of withdrawing Robinson in order to avoid complication.

* * On the contrary, it is reasonable to assume that most, if not all, of the senators who have waited on Garfield in the past few hours did so for the purpose of giving in their adhesion to the executive policy.

THE PRESIDENT CONFIDENT.

At any rate the President's friends now claim, with great apparent confidence, that Mr. Conkling's backing in the Senate will be small. The tone of the press seems to be decidedly with the President, and he has received an avalanche of assurances of support from all quarters. There is every indication that the stalwart Conkling element mean to fight Robertson to the bit-

GLOOMY FEELING AMONG THE REPUBLICANS. There was a good deal of gloomy talk indulged in by some Republican senators this morning. It proceeded on the theory that the Republican party was now hope-lessly devided, and that at the next session the Democrats would not only be able to defeat any change in the Senate offices, but also be able to regain control of the com-mittees. It was said that Gen. Mahone, indignant at the failure to stand up to Riddleberger and Gorham, will decline to vote on questions of organization. As the Democrats do not want him, and would not have him as a gift, he could not go over to them, but he could redress his account wite the Republicans by refusing to vote, and thus leave the field clear for the Democarts to assert their supremacy as respects the committees. While this theory of the future appears to be premature, to say the least, there are those who now confidently predict that there will be no change in the Senate officers, either now or next winter. That Gorham and Riddleberger cannot be elected, either now or then, is generally conceded. But if the attempt be made to take up new men as more acceptable than there are those (friends of Gorham) who may refuse to help to change the original programme. And thus it happens that the way of the transgressor is hard. It is said Riddleberger will be provided for some-

Profit, \$1,200.—"To sum it up, six long years of bedridden sickness, costing \$200 per year, total \$1,200—all of this exense was stopped by three bottles of Hop Bitters, taken by my wife. She has done her own housework for a year since, without the loss of a day, and I want everybody to know it, for their benefit."—N. E.

Mr. James R. Keen has purchased the celebrated English racing stallion Peter, five years old, by Hermit out of Lady evinced in no more agreeable manner.— and will be a valuabe addition to the Alex. Gazette,

VIRGINIA NEWS.

The Luray Caverns have been purchased by a joint stock company. The "local option alliance" movement is going ahead vigorously in Highland coun-

The Lexington Presbytery met at Bethesda Church, near Rockbridge Baths, on Tues-

Rev. Chas. Smith, a well-known colored Baptist minister, died at Waynesboro', Va.,

The sales of leaf tobacco in the Lynch-burg warehouse last week aggregated 986,-

Percy Echols, son of Gen. John Echols, of Staunton, Va., is dangerously ill in Kentucky of typhoid fever. Robert Robinson of Winchester, Va., a well-known colored preacher of the M. E.

Church, died Tuesday night. The democrats of Augusta county will hold primary district meetings May 28 to elect delegates to the State convention.

Montpelier, the home of President James Madison, in Orange county, Va., is advertised to be sold at auction in July next. The sawmill of Hinton & McClung, near New Hope, Augusta county, Va., was de-

stroyed by an incendiary fire last Saturday night. A barkeeper named Pug, tried at Covington, Va., last week, charged with the murder of a colored barber named Burrell,

was acquitted. S. M. Mullin, of Winchester, a hotelkeeper of experience, has leased Orkney Springs and will operate that famous re-

sert this summer. The contracts have been let by the Shenandoah Valley Railroad for building the link of road between Waynesboro and the

Norfolk and Western road. The Lynchburg Iron and Steel Manufac turing Company have completed some val-uable improvements to their blast furnace, which will greatly increase its capacity.

The readjusters of Rockbridge county have determined not to contest the re-elecchusetts paper, denying emphatically that tion of the present county and circuit court clerks, both of whom are regular demo crats.

The following pointed witticism on the new Senator from Virginia is attributed to Blaine: "Mahone has never repudiated his secession, nor seceded from his repudia-

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Shenandoah Valley Railroad, held in Luray last week, F. J. Kimball was re-elected President. A Board of Directors was also elected.

A joint-stock company has been formed who will erect a large steam flouring mill at Wytheville, Va. A mill for making car wheels is also to be started at Max Meadows, Wythe county. S. M. Woodward, Jr., superintendent of

the Valley Railroad and agent of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad at Staunton Va. has resigned, and been succeeded by James Bartol, of Baltimore. Ample arrangements have been made for

the entertainment of the ministers, elders and visitors to the Southern General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, which meets at Staunton, Va., May 19. Rev. Frank D. Moore, formerly of Rich-

mond, Va., but for some time a prominent divine of Covington, Ky., having been suspended from the ministry of the Presbyte rian Church on account of certain loose views, will practice law. Congressman Dezendorf, of Virginia, has published a letter mildly protesting against merging the 80,000 Virginia republicans in-

to the readjuster party of 31,000. He does not think Mahone can ever poll as many votes as he did last November. Charles Baker, of Winchester, Va., jump ed from a Chesapeake and Ohio train Friday night, at Ronceverte, Va., and was kiffed. He saw another train approach-

A man plowing a field near Centralia, in Chesterfield county, Va., on Friday last, discovered a fluid bubbling up through the ground, which, upon examination, proved to be oil of some kind. It is to be ana-

lyzed, in order to ascertain if it has any commercial value. The commencement exercises of the Normal School at Hampton will begin on Thursday, 19th inst. They will be unusually interesting, and President Garfield, with a number of other distinguished men, and a large crowd of visitors, are expected

to be in attendance. The Low-Moor Iron Company has just purchased that valuable tract of land near Callahans, on the C. and O., in Alleghany county, Va., known as the "Slack Ore' Banks." The price paid was \$30,000, equivalent to cash. A broad gauge railway will be built from the C. and O., road to the mines-distance one and a quarter miles.

Rev. Thomas J. Wilson, pastor of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Petersburg Va., expects to leave on a visit to Ireland and Rome about the middle of this month, to be absent four or five months. His congregation, it is stated, will present him with a handsome purse before he leaves, the dimensions of which are already quite large. At a meeting of the colored readjusters of Fredericksburg, Va., Wednesday evening, the course of Senator Mahone was warmly indorsed. One of the speakers, Andrew Williams, said he "wanted the law so fixed that the colored man should have the right to sit on juries, hold offices and marry white women"-a sentiment which

was loudly applauded. The Alleghany County Tribune says: "A large lot of walnut timber is now being loaded at the depot here for Richmond, where it will be loaded in vessels and shipped direct to Europe. The shipment will foot up probably 500,000 feet. A. E. Huddleston has just sent off a bill of 50,000 feet of white oak lumber, to be used in the manufacture of cars, part for England and part for Scotland. He also sold a bill of 30,000 feet to parties in Scranton, Pa., for similar use, showing that that State must have our timber as well as our iron."

A PENNSYLVANIA SENSATION .- In the House of Representative on Friday last 6th inst., Mr. Bierly, of Lycoming county, presented by request a petition of citizens of Lackawanna county, asking for the impeachment of Govenor Hoyt and Attorney-General Palmer for their action in referance to the judiciary of that county, and, fruther, on the ground of corrupt conduct

in pardoning Kemble and his companions, Mr. Ruddiman offered a resolution char acterizing the petition as "impertinent, improper, and scandalous"; that it should be returned and the proceedings expunged from the record. A stormy scene ensued, and amid the utmost excitement, speeches of violent character were made. Finally the resolution was adopted by a vote of 80 to 52, the majority of the nays being Demo-

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LITERARY.

Mr. Howells, in resigning the editorship of "The Atlantic," evidently means to carry out his plan of devoting himself assiduously to authorship. He has just put the last touches to "A Fearful Responsibility," which, although covering as many as fortytwo of SCRIBNER's pages, will be given complete in two numbers of the magazine, namely, those for June and July. The scene of this story is laid in Venice. Mr. Howells is now said to be busily employed upon a longer serial story for SCRIBNER'S MONTHLY, and has in contemplation other literary enterprises whose scope has not yet been announced.

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For sale by all News Dealers. The Edinburgh Review.

We have the Edinburgh Review for April from the LEONARD SCOTT FUBLISHING Co., 41 Barclay street, New York. The article on "The Reminiscences of Thomas Carlyle" well repays perusal. In his early days Carlyle was closely connected with this Review; and this notice of the "Reminiscences" is written in a kindly but discriminating spirit. Of the other articles we note "The Song of Roland," which gives a history of this famous poem, now translated into Ening, and fearing a collision tried to escape.

The trains were in collision, but did no analysis of the story. There is a very interesting taining a description on the method of observation. and some of the results obtained, which go to favor the theory of an analogy between the power of move ment in plants and the motor power of animals. River Floods" gives statistics of damage done by floods in England. The subject is of painful interest here, and the suggestions for their prevention or

nitigation may be profitable in the West Other articles are "The Pellagra in Italy," a singuar malady which afflicts the population of certain provinces of Italy; "Schliemann's Ilios," which closely scrutinizes that discoverer's Homeric theories; and "Egypt Bound and Unbound," which reviews the main facts which led to the establishment of the prevailing system of government, and also gives a long account of the financial history of Egypt.

The periodicals reprinted by the Leonard Scott Publishing Co. (41 Barclay Street, N. Y.) are as follows: The London Quarterly, Edinburgh, Westmin-

ster, and British Quarterly Reviews, and Blackwood's Magazine. Price, \$4 a year for any one, or only \$15 for all, and the postage is prepaid by the Publishers. DIED.

At the residence of her husbend, near Ottobine, in this county, on Wednesday morning, May 11, 1881, after a prolonged and painful illness, Mrs. Mariah Jackson, wife of Col. T. A. Jackson, formerly of Cedar Creek, in Shenandoah county, in the 71st year of her age.

On Thursday, May 5th, of paralysis, at his ho this county, about three miles southwest of Timber ville, Michael Branner, aged about 72 years. On May 5th, after a short illness, at his residence on the back road, between Spartapolis and Timber-ville, Henry Hydecker, aged about 60 years.

Obituary.

At Mt. Crawford, in this county, May 3d, 1881, James M. Shinnick, a worthy and respected citizen of that place. He was born near Baltimore. Md., May 5th, 1813, and at the time of his death had nearly reached the age of 68 years. He learned his trade of potter in that city, and when a young man enlisted for three years on the U. S. ship North Carolina, cruising for more than two years with the South Atlantic squadren, visiting, many places of interest, among others the grave of Bonaparte on the Island of St. Helena. After his term of service expired he resumed his trade, and worked for a number of years at Alexandria and Strasburg, Va. In 1866 he moved to Mt. Crawford, and became a member of the firm of Ireland, Ducy & Shinnick, Stone and Earthenware manufacturers. About two years since he fell in the street from an attack of vertigo, and since that time he has suffered severely from heart disease. For the past 31 years he was an carnest and consistent member of the M. E. Church South, and bore all kis sufferings with a patient resignation to the will of the Master. He was buried by Council No. 15, Friends of Temperance, of which Order he had long been an honored member. The funeral sermon by his paster, the Rev. David Bush, was an able and impressive discourse on the text selected by the deceased some time before his death, from Job, XIV chap., XIV verse: "If a man die, shall he live again? All the days of my appointed time will I wait, till my change come." At Mt. Crawford, in this county, May 3d, 1881,

[From the Baltimore Sun.] CATTLE MARKETS. Monday, May 9, 1881.

BREF CATTLE.—The market this week was quite active throughout, and the stock offered was closed out at an earlier front even than last week. Prices were fully 3/2 higher. The quality of the offerings was somewhat better than last week, more of the Beeves selling at and near our top quotations. We quote at 3.85 f5, and heard of sales on private terms of some prime Steers at a higher figure, understood to be \$7, most sale ranging from 6.86 50 per 100 lbs. to be \$7, most sale ranging from 6a\$6 50 per 100 los.

Best Beeves......\$6.50 a \$7 00

Generally rated first quality....\$5 75 a \$6 50

Mediam or good fair quality....\$4 75 a \$5 75

Ordinary thin Steers, Oxen and Cows...\$3 00 a \$4 50

Extreme range of prices....\$3 00 a \$7 00

Most of the sales were from ...\$6 00 a \$6 50

Total receipts for the week 1148 head against 1194
last week, and 1879 head same time last year. Total
sales for week 016 head against \$55 last week
and 1146 head same time last year.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

To the Voters of Rockingham County : I announce myself a candidate for re-election to the fice of Clerk of the COUNTY COURT of Rockingham county, at the election to be held on the 4th Thurs-County, at the election to be held on the 4th Thursday in May next.

As the office I reck at your hands has never been considered a political one, I respectfully ask the support of my fellow citizgn s of the several parties as they now exist, and as it has been hertofore my good fortune to receive. In the past, I have constantly endeavored to address myself to an impartial and efficient discharge of the duties of the office and will be proud to receive your endorrement by a reselecncient discharge of the duties of the office and will be proud to receive your endorrement by a re-election; promising to relax no effort in the faithful discharge of the responsibilities of this important trust thus confided to me. Should I be, by your suffrages, again called to serve you in this c-pacity, Mr. J. S. Messerly, who is fully qualified, will be continued as my Deputy.

Very respectfully, feble'81-te

JOSEPH T. LOGAN.

To the Voters of Rockingham County: I respectfully amounce myself a andidate for re-election to the office of Clerk of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County. If re-elected, Col. D. H. Lee Martz will be my Deputy as heretofore, and in the future as in the past, it will be my endeavor to faith-fully discharge the duties of the office. J. H. SHUE.

New Advertisements.

RUSTEE'S SALE

OF A VALUABLE STORE HOUSE.

By virtue of a Deed of Trust executed to me, as
Trustee, by J. R. Jones and wife, of date December
24, 1877, to secure a certain debt, therein mentioned,
due the Pelersburg Savings and Insurance Co.. I will,
on FRIDAY, THE 3RD DAY OF JUNE, 1881, at 2
o'clock P. M., offer for sale, at public auction, that
Valuable Brick and Stone property, situated on the
corner of East-Market Street and Federal Alley, in
Harrisonburg, Va.

corner of East-Market Bates.

Harrisonburg, Va.

TERMS:—Enough cash to pay the amount secured under the Deed of Trust and cost of executing the Trust, the balance in three equal annual payments.

ED. S. CONRAD, Trustee.

OMMISSIONER'S SALE
OF REAL ESTATE.
Pursuant to a decree rendered in the Circuit Court
of Rockingham county, at the January Term, 1881, in
the Chancery cause of First National Bank of Barriscophure, See You Wen D. Herching sonburg, &c , vs. Wm. D. Hopkins, &c., and other causes therein pending, I will sell at public auction, at the front door of the Court Honse, in Harrisonburg, on SATURDAY, THE 4TH DAY OF JUNE, 1881, the following valuable real estate, viz. e following valuable real estate, viz:
(1.) The stable and lot in rear of the Revere House,

(1.) The state and lot in fear of the Revice House, Harrisonburg.

(2.) The undivided one-half of a tract of 456 ACRES of LAND near Rawley Springs, purchased of Wm. B. Lurty. Com'r, in the Chancery suit of Hopkins vs. Hume, and a tract of about 90 acres situaced in Hopkins' 6ap, in said county, purchased in part from Henry E. Rexroad and the remainder from the estate of A. Hopkins, Jr., dec'd. I will also sell, at the same time, about 160 shares of stock belonging to the said W. D. Hopkins in the New Rawley Springs Company, upon the same terms as the real estate. pon the same terms as the real estate.
TERMS:—Costs of suit and sale in hand and the emainder in three equal annual payments, with erest from day of sale; purchaser or purchaser

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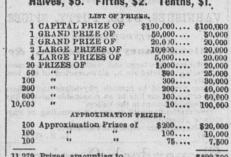
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HAVING TAKEN CHARGE OF THE ROOM Just vacated and formerly occupied by Dan.
O'Donnell, we have on hand one of the best assortments of Liquors to be foand in the Valley. Persons
wishing anything in our line will do well to call upon
us before buying elsewhere. In addition to Liquors,
we offer the best grades of Tobacco and Cigars to be
had in this market. All we ask is a trial call, and we
guarantee satisfaction. Respectfully. J. LAMB,
PATRICK LAMB, Manager.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK, HABRISONBURG, VA., FEBRUARY, 8TH, 1881. THIS BANK is now prepared to discount GOOD PAPER, well endorsed, in sums of \$300 and upwards, at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum,

By order of the Board. Feb. 10 3m. C. C. STRAYER, Cashier. REAL ESTATE.

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AND THE FURNITURE FOR SALE.

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Wirginia, known as the "REVERE HOUSE." This Hotel has a patronage second to none in the State, and to any one wishing to engage in a profitable business A RARE OPPOTUNITY IS HERE PRESENTED. The Hotel is comparatively new, is in first-class order, and is only offered for rent or sale because of the III—health of the owner, which obliges ner to discontinue the business. The Furniture is nearly all new and every room is well furnished.

The Hotel is three stories high; a handsome structure; contains £0 rooms, and has now £0 regular boarders. The dining-room tables will seat 120 persons at one time, and the "Revere" is the only first-class Hotel in the Town. Abundance of Water on the premises, there being both a good well and a large cistern in the yard.

The entire property will be sold, or the Hotel rented and the Furniture sold to the lease.

cistern in the yard.

The entire property will be sold, or the Hotel rented and the Furniture sold to the lesse. For terms, &c., apply in person or by letter, to oct28-tf Mns. M. C. LUPTON. DUBLIC SALE,

Pursuant to a decree rendered at the September term, 1874, of the Circuit Court of Rockingham, as modified by decree rendered at the January term of said court, 1831, in the chancery case of Wm. H. Moyerhoeffer against Elizabeth Shank, &c., I shall,

On Saturday, the 7th day of May, 1881, in front of the Court house in Harrisonburg, proceed to sell so much of the land in the bill and proceedings mentioned as will be sufficient to satisfy the balance of the unpaid purchase money, and all costs unpaid. This land is situated about one and a-half miles Southwest of Cross Keys, and adjoining the lands of Peter Hile, Slusser, Earman, and others, upon the following terms:—One-half cash in hand on day of sale, the balance in twelve months from day of sale, with interest, the purchaser to give bond with approved security, a lien retained as ultimate security.

GEO. G. GRATTAN, apr14-4w-h

POSTPONEMENT.
The above sale is postponed until WEDNESDAY,
MAY 25TH, 1881.

GEO. G. GRATTAN, Comm'r.

OF REAL ESTATE,

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Rockingham county, Va., in the chancery suit of Cornelius Armentrout, et als, against Henry Argenbright's executor, et als, rendered at the Fall Term, 1879, we, the undersigned, commissioners appointed for that purpose, will proceed to sell, on the premisee, ON SATURDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF APRIL; 1881, at 1 O'clock P. M., the Henry Argenbright Farm of about 178 ACRES (or so much therof as may be necessary) OF LAND, at public auction. This is desirable preperty, and is situated near McGabeysville, Va., and near the Shenandosh Valley Railroad. Persons desiring to look at the farm will be shown the same by calling upon Silas P. Miller, or S. K. Miller, who are now in possession of the same.

TERMS.—\$500 cash on the day of sale, and the residue in three equal annual payments from the day of sale, with interest, the purchaser to give bonc's with approved security, and the title to be retained as further security.

O. B. ROLLER. J. S. HARNSBERGER, O. B. ROLLER,

The above sale has been postpoued until SATUR-DAY, THE 30TH DAY OF APRIL, when it will take place at the front door of the Court-house, in Harrisonburg.

J. S. HARNSERGER,
O. B. ROLLER, apr21-2w

POSTPONED. The above sale has been postponed until WEDNES-DAY, THE 1st DAY OF JUNE, when it will take place at the front door of the Court house, in Harrisonburg, J. S. HARNSBERGER, O. B. ROLLER,

LEGAL.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

In Chancery in the Circuit Court of Rockingham Co. The Court doth adjudge, order and decree that this cause be referred to one of the Master Commissioners of this Court, with instructions to make and report to this Court an account,

1st. Of all the real estate or interest in real estate. owned by Charles A. Yancey on the 30th day of July, 1889, and the liens thereon according to their priori-

cey as Commissioner, Receiver, Administrator, Trus-tee, cr other fiduciary capacity; 4th. An account of all other debts due by said C. A. Yancey:
5th. Settle the partnership account of the late firm
of Yancey & Conrad;
6th. Any other matter which to the Commissioner
may seem partinent or any person interested may require.

To all the parties to the above named cause, and to all other persons interested: You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon MONPAY, THE 23RD DAY OF MAY, 1881, at my office in Harrisonburg, to take and state the accounts required by a decree of Rockingham Circuit Court, rendered on the 18th day of April, 1881, in a suit in Chancery depending in said Court between C. E. Haas and Ed. S. Conrad, Trustees, Plaintiffs vs. C. A. Yancey's Adm'r, &c., Defendant, at which time and place you are required to attend. Given under my hand as Commissioner in Chancery, the day and year aforsessid

A. M. NEWMAN, Commissioner,

Haas & Conrad, p. q.—apr21-4

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE. CHARLES A. YANCEY, &c.,

WM. B. YANCEY, &c. CHARLES A. YANCEY, &c., B. P. TEEL, &c. WM. B. YANCEY, Adm'r, &c.

It is adjudged, ordered and decreed that these causes be and are hereby referred to one of the Commis-sioners of this Court, to ascertain and report as fold

J. S. Harnsberger, p. q. Com'r in Chancery. apr38 4w

VIRGINIA, TO WIT:—In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, and as such, Administrator of Charles A. Yancey, deceased.

Vs. Jos. A. Hammen, Mrs. Dora V. Hammen, S. M. Hammen, Mrs. Julia Winsborough, Wm. L. Yancey, (Was. Devries & Co., Buck, Hefiebower & Neer, Brosius & Co., Shipe, Clond & Co., Smith, Hanaway & Co., Penniman & Bro., Shipley, Roane & Co., Edward Connelly, Stoneburner & Richards, Pearre Bros. & Co., Carroll, Adams & Co., Jesse Lazier & Co., Hquery Masten & Co., Howard Bokee, and all other creditors of J. A. Hammen and S. M. Hammen, & Eco., Secured under deed of trust executed by J. A. Hammen, D. V. Hammen, and S. M. Hammen, to Chas. A. Yancey, trustee, May 21, 1877. — Defendants In CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to convene all of the creditors of S. M. Hammen & Bro. and J. A. Hammen, b. Chancer, the certain their distributive share in the proceeds from the assets conveyed by J. A. Hammen, D. Y. Hammen and S. M. Hammen & Co., Shipe, Cloud & Co., Smith, Hanaway & Co., Penniman & Bro., Shipley, Roane & Co., Edward Connelly, Stoneburner & Richirds, Pearre Bros. & Co., Carroll, Adams & Co., Jesse Lazier & Co., Henry Masten & Co., Shipe, Cloud & Co., Smith, Hanaway & Co., Penniman & Bro., Shipley, Roane & Co., Edward Connelly, Stoneburner & Richirds, Pearre Bros. & Co., Carroll, Adams & Co., Jesse Lazier & Co., Henry Masten & Co., Shipe, Cloud & Co., Smith, Hanaway & Co., Penniman & Bro., Shipley, Roane & Co., Edward Connelly, Stoneburner & Richirds, Pearre Bros. & Co., Carroll, Adams & Co., Jesse Lazier & Co., Henry Masten & Co., Edward Connelly, Stoneburner & Richirds, Pearre Bros. & Co., Carroll, Adams & Co., Jesse Lazier & Co., Henry Masten & Co., Edward Connelly, Stoneburner & Richirds, Pearre Bros. & Co., Carroll, Adams & Co., Jesse Lazier & Co., Henry Masten & Co., Edward Connelly, Stoneburner & Richirds, Pearre Bros. & Co., Carroll, Adams & Co., Jesse Lazier & Co., Henry Masten & Co., Edward Connelly, Stoneburner

On Saturday, the 7th day of May, 1881,

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

POSTPONED.

C. E. HAAS AND ED. S. CONRAD, Trustees, .. C'm'ts,

isco, and the heast hereon according to their priorities;
2nd. An account of all debts due by Charles A. Yancey for which Wm. B. Yancey is in any wise liable;
3rd. An account of amounts due by Charles A. Yancey as Commissioner, Receiver, Administrator, Truscey as Commissioner, Receiver, Administrator, Truscey

Commissioner's Office, Harrisonburg, April 19, 1881. \{
To all the parties to the above named cause, and to

GEO. O. CONRAD, Guardian, &c., [Extract from Decree of April 20, 1881, in vacation.]

siners of this Court, to ascertain and report as follows:

1. To state and settle the account of Charles A.
Yancey, as late adm'r of Wm. B. Yancey, Sr., dec'd.

2. Fo state and settle the account of Charles A.
Yancey as late Receiver in these causes.

3. To ascertain and report the amount of unpaid
debts and liabilities of the estate of W. B. Yancey,
Sr., dec'd, and their priorities.

4. To ascertain and report the assets of the said estate of Wm. B. Yancey, dec'd, both real and personal,
and what is solvent and insolvest.

5. A distribution account showing the amount dueeach of the heirs of Wm. B. Yancey, dec'd, after all
the debts and liabilities of the said estate are property
provided for.

the debts and liabilities of the said estate are properly provided for.

6. To ascertain and report any other matters which to the Commissioner may seem pertinent, or any party may in writing require.

Notice is hereby given to all parties interested in the taking of the foregoing accounts that I have fixed on MONDAY, THE 23D DAY OF MAY, 1881, at my office in Harriscoburg, at which said time and place I shall proceed to take and state said accounts, at which said time and place is the said accounts, at which said time and place they will appear, and do what is necessary to protect their respective interests.

Given under my hand this 22d day of April, 1891, 500.

J. S. Harnsberger, p. q.

J. B. JONES,
Com'r in Chancery,

OLD COMMONWEALTH

THURSDAY MORNING, MAY 12, 1881.

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LOCAL MATTERS.

Commencements.

We have been furnished with a copy of the commencement programme of Mrs. W. T. Rosenberger's Female Boarding School, of New Market, Va. The exercises begin Monday, May 23d, and will continue until the evening of the 24th. The annual address will be delivered by Judge Chas. T. O'Ferrall, of this place. Judging from the programme the exercises will be more than usually interesting, although we fear too much has been crowded into the two

On Wednesday evening, May 25th, the commencement exercises begin at the New Market Polytechnic Institute. The exercises continue until Friday evening, 27th, The annual address will be delivered by Judge Hugh W. Sheffey, of Staunton, on Thursday evening, May 26th. Both of the above are fine schools, and

deserve public recognition. The Polytechnich Institute has a wide-spread reputation as a classic school, and we believe that Mrs. Rosenberger will succeed in establishing for her institution a high reputation as a female boarding school, such as it deserves. New Market has taken an interest in her schools-hence it has them. Other towns of even more pretension might take a few lessons from New Market on the establishment and maintenance of good schools.

The finest tonic in the world, B. B. B.

Escape of Waller, the Horse Thief.

We learn from the Richmond Dispatch of Thursday, that on last Wednesday morning about two o'clock it was found that Henry Wilson, alias Henry Johnson, alias James Waller, alias Benjamin Waller, who occupied one of the cells in the third tier, had cut his way out and lowered himself to the ground.

Henry Wilson, with the many aliases, is five feet nine and three-quarter inches high; age forty-two years; dark complexion, black hair, gray eyes; born in Spottssylvania county, Va.; sear on both shins; scar on head; woman in Idia-ink on both arms. Was sent to the penitentiary from Fredericksburg for house-breaking in 1874, and served three years; was again sent from Rockingham county in 1878 for fif teen years for horse-stealing.

Superintendent Williams represents him as being a desperate character, and says that if he had been detected in the attempt to escape would have given the guard trouble. A reward has been offered for his re-capture.

Neuralgia, Headache, &c., cured by B.B.B.

The Narrow Guage.

President Allemong is back from Boston, where he went in the interest of the Naronly necessary to say "narrow guage" for them to understand what road we mean. To the outsiders we will say that we mean the Washington, Cincinnati and St. Louis Railroad. He is confident of the early rerailway line, but he places us under much embarrassment by his reticence, and we have to take for granted many gratifying assurances which are not expressed directly in words. He gives us, however, very satisfactory signs, and we are left to draw our own inferences. The best information we can give is: that work will be resumed within the time we stated in our former issue—thirty days.

With this road built, west and east of us, the boom for our section will begin and a prosperity be ours wondefully at variance with the dead-drag of the present depression in business and dull times. Vive la Narrow Gauge.

No more dyspepsia, B. B. B. cures it.

JAPANESE.—The ladies of the Rectory Fund Association of Emmanuel P. E. Church held a Japanese Tea Party on Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings last, in Mrs. S. C. Dold's store-room on the corner of West-Market street, from which they realized a handsome sum of money. Their entertainment was well patronized, so well indeed that by 10 o'clock of each evening they sold out their entire stock of tea, ice-cream, cake, etc. The novel Japanese costumes worn by those who were dispensing the good things offered of course made the entertainments more attractive. Mrs. D. Sheffy Lewis and Mrs. L. H. Ott, as President and Secretary of the Association, had the general superintendence, and whilst they had able assistants, yet much credit is due to these ladies for the energy displayed by them in carrying foward and making successful the Japanese tea party.

Rev. R. Douglas Roller preached on Sunday last in Emmanuel P. E. Church. Rev Mr. R. is residing at Martinsburg, W. Va., at present, where he is engaged in ministerial work as well as editor of an Episcopal church paper published at that place. He officiated for Rev. T. Jervis Edwards, the Rector of Emmanuel church, whose health is much impaired. Mr. Edwards paid. Nothing less than positive urgency left on Monday for Baltimore, where he will take medical advice.

A Trip to Dayton.

On Monday afternoon our friend Dr. R. S. Switzer hooked up his handsome threeyear-old quick-stepper to his light buggy, and invited us to take a ride to Dayton. Now going to Dayton in the long ago, and not nearly so long either as when it was known as "Rifetown," going there was always a matter of necessity. Now it is a pleasure. The Dayton of to-day is so 15.00 greatly improved and modernized that it bears but slight resemblance to the town of our acquaintance of twenty years ago. Reubush, Kieffer & Co., located there; the Shenandoah Seminary sprang into being. Following in their wake came a renewed prosperity, and everybody was benefitted. These enterprises grew and widened, and they are still expanding. Churches were hen built; stores followed; a general revival of business is perceptible, and the population has multiplied, until Dayton is a thriving town of busy people and active

Among the latest accessions is Mr. W. H. Carpenter, who purchased the property of Mr. W. P. Rhodes, and who has just received and is placing upon his shelves the argest and best selected stock of goods Dayton has ever possessed. He has remodeled the store-room and made it a fit place for business. It looks neat and attractive.

As we passed along the pike we observed the improved condition of the farms along the highway with pleasure. Many old bushy places have been cleaned up and improved, and given a bright and cheerful appearance. New farm houses, barns, etc., have been erected, and there is an air of comfort and prosperity in the community that is really refreshing. The growing crops generally look well, although here and there fields of wheat have bare spots, from which seed cannot be harvested. These spots, however, we think, only occur upon thin land, where the sprouting wheat was winter killed.

Once that we have the Narrow Gauge Railroad running out through that section, we may reasonably look for giant strides to be made by these energetic people in progress and improvement.

Bumgardner's Bodega Bitters. Spotswood Bar.

I wish to inform my friends and the public that I have fitted my bar-room in first-class style, not excelled by any bar in the Valley, and have the finest and purest stock of Liquors in the State, comprising Clemmer's celebrated whiskies, which are pure and direct from his bonded warehouse, and in fact everything else to be found in a first-class bar. Idefy competition. I mean what I say. This is no idle newspaper advertisement. A call will convince you. Bergner & Engel's celebrated Lager

Beer on draught, ice cold. Thankful for past favors, I respectfully ask a continuance of the same, feeling satisfied I will be able to please all who favor

Medicinal whiskey a specialty.

Meals at all hours at my Restaurant. Give orders at the Bar.

Respectfully, JOHN WALLACE. Harrisonburg, Va.

Improved.

It always affords us pleasure to note improvements in town, and make it a part of our business to look them up. A few days ago, in passing, we were invited in to see the new dental rooms just finished up by Dr. R. S. Switzer. His old office has been literally torn to pieces and rebuilt, and he has a splendid set of rooms for reception, operation and work. The first room is a reception room, newly arranged, handsomely papered, freshly painted, with new carpet and fine furniture. Just about as cosy a place as one can imagine. The next row Guage Railroad. To our people it is room is for operating, and is so handsomely fitted and arranged as to make it almost a luxury to have a tooth extracted. The third room is the mechanical department where he makes his fine sets of teeth, which add so much to the appearance of the sumption of work upon this important toothless. Go and see Dr. Switzer's new dental rooms.

New, Nice and Seasonable.

If you want to see something that is both beautiful and good, go to J. Wilton's hardware house, next door to this office, and see the new "Brighton" cook stove or range, the prettiest and best piece of kitchen furniture ever offered in this market. Besides this he keeps every kind of best quality of cook stoves, from the smallest coal oil or gas burner stove to the large size cooking range. His stock of hardware is full and complete, embracing almost every article in his line of trade. Don't forget to call on Monday next and see, whether you buy or not. He will be pleased to show you the new "Brighton," the prettiest, and we believe the best, cooking range you ever saw.

No family should be without "B. B. B." Counterfeit Silver Dollars.

A very dangerous counterfeit on the United States standard silver dollar has made its appearance recently. It is said to be almost a matter of impossibility to detect the bogus dollars by careful examination, as they have the ring of the genuine metal, the milling is perfect, and there is an absence of that greasy substance which is found by running the thumb over the general run of base coins. The coins, however, are light and can be detected by a good balance. They are also a slight shade thicker than the genuine. A large number of counterfeit ten cent pieces are also in circulation.

Don't fail to read D. M. Switzer & Son s advertisement,

NOTICE.-More than half the subscriptions to this paper expire May 1st. We want the money, and on Monday next (court day) we want those indebted to come forward and pay up. Our creditors demand their money, and they must be would induce us to publish this notice. I Don't forget us next Monday.

Federal Court Proceedings.

DISTRICT COURT.

United States against Henry Jones, Burrell Laton, alias, and Milton Anderson, for removing spirits illegally. Continued on offer of compromise.

The grand jury presented the following

Against J. F. Jackson, colored, of Page, for retailing spirits without license; against Mann Powell, of Green, for wholesaling spirits without license; against B. F. Lery and Mann Powell, for removing spirits il legally; against Wharton Keyser, colored, of Page, for retailing spirits without license; against Wm. D. Maiden, for re moving and concealing spirits.

U. S. vs. J. T. Jackson. Plea of guilty Sentenced to ten months imprisonment

U. S. vs. Jacob T. Payne, retailing. U. S. vs. John Elkins, &c., illicit distil-

U. S. vs. W. T. Judy, retailing.

U. S. vs. John Grogg, same. U. S. vs. A. G. Walker, violation of pen

U. S. vs. B. C. Flanagan, wholesalin

U. S. vs. J. E. Carson, dealing in tobac

These cases were dismissed. U. S. vs. D. C. Powell and M. Shifflet for conspiracy. Jury, and verdict no

Accounts of John F. Lewis, U. S. Mar shal, amounting to \$2,995.75, audited and proven.

U. S. vs. Rebecca Kite, for retailing spir its, was dismissed on compromise. U. S. vs. James Rouzie, for illicit dis tilling. Bail bond forfeited and new ca pias awarded to next term.

U. S. vs. Hasting Shifflet, for wholesaling spirits. U. S. vs. Wm. D. Wonter, for removing spirits. New capias awarded.

U. S. vs. Mann Powell, removing spirits U. S. vs. B. F. Long, removing spirits. U. S. vs. D. C. Powell, illicit distilling. Continued and party recognized to next

U. S. vs. A. C. Swindler, for illicit distilling. Jury, and failure to agree. Cause continued to next term for new trial.

U. S. vs. Wharton Keyser, retailing spirits. Jury, and verdict guilty. Sentenced to one month imprisonment and \$100 fine. U. S. vs. John A. Bowersett, removing spirits. Cause dismissed.

D. H. Ralston, adm'r of A. S. Gray, dec'd. vs. Josiah Neff, debtor to Julia Cowger. Judgment in behalf of plaintiff for \$76. with interest from May 2, 1878, and costs. Accounts of W. S. Lurty, U. S. District Attorney, for \$580.40, audited and proven. Accounts of Arthur Stephens, U. S. Commissioner, for 29.85, audited and prov-

Accounts of Wm. B. Lurty, U. S. Clerks for \$236.50 audited and proven. Accounts of John F. Lewis, U. S. Mar-

shal, for \$2,365.55, audited and proven. In re Isaac Walton, bankrupt. Decree approving act of assignee, and for his dis-

In re Joseph Stickley, bankrupt. Decree approving assignee's account. In re A. G. Clark, bankrupt. Assignee discharged.

In re John R. Miller, bankrupt. Decree sustaining exceptions to report of liens, and leave given to take evidence as to

other exceptions. In re T. P. Pendleton, bankrupt. Decree for payment of costs and attorney's fees, and continued.

In re Joseph Crabill, bankrupt. Decree for payment and distribution, as per Commissioner's report, of liens.

In re Henry Clem, bankrupt. Decree confirming Commissioner's report of liens, and for distribution. In re James W. Clare, bankrupt. De-

cree confirming proceedings, and for discharge of bankrupt. In re Noah Kibler, bankrupt. Decree approving payments by Assignee, and for

further distribution. In re B. T. Bagby, bankrupt. Upon a petition to set aside discharge. Decree giving time to petitioner to file his bill of particulars, and to bankrupt to file his an-

In re D. C. Hall, bankrupt. Decree directing Assignee to settle his account before the Register.

In re Henry Johnson, bankrupt. Decree discharging Assignee.

In re Joseph Stickley and 135 others in bankruptcy. Decree dismissing cases, on account of non-conformity with requirements of the law.

In re W. Jenkins, Alfred Carpenter, H. H. Washington, John W. Keller, John Francisco, T. W. Ruckman, Samuel Landes, John W. Lewis, Levi Shafer and Edwin Bowen, bankrupts. Decrees discharging bankrupts in each of these cases.

John E. Roller, assignee, vs. Christian Beard, administrator of A. J. Craig, dec'd. Judgment for plaintiff for \$38.22, with interest from February 3, 1878, and costs.

In re John Bowman, Jr., bankrupt. Deeree directing disposition of \$2,636.33 collected from estate of John Bowman, Sr.. dec'd, and for corrections of errors in report of liens.

In re Wm. J. Shumate, bankrupt. Decree confirming Commissioner's ascertainment of present value of Mrs. Virginia Shumate's right of dower, and for her costs. In re Geo. Hogshead, bankrupt. Decree discharging assignee and dismissing cause. In re S. M. Bowman, bankrupt. Decree

for discharge of bankrupt. In re George H. Sowers, bankrupt. Rule against purchasers of real estate for failure to comply, &c. In re D. W. Sowers, bankrupt. Decree

recting assets to be collected and held subject to order of court. In re John Bowman, Jr., bankrupt. Decree for costs in Circuit Court in behalf of Appellee, and dismissing cause.

reappointing John Paul assignee, and di-

In re John Graves, bankrupt. Decree for rule against purchaser of realty. In re Jos. R. Bowman, bankrupt. Decree for dismission, upon the final settle-

ment of Assignee. Harvey Risk, assignee, vs. Joseph Andrews, &c. In equity. Answer of defend- cinct in this county, instead of Wm. B. which, no doubt, we shall have the usual

In re John Bowman, Jr., bankrupt. Decree confirming settlement of Special Receiver's accounts, and for collection of

John Paul, assignee, vs. Rob't S. Bickle,

&c. In equity. Decree for sale of a house and lot in Staunton, in default of payment within sixty days.

CIRCUIT COURT. E. P. Swartz vs. Schmidlopp & Co. Nonsuit by agreement of parties. Aultman & Taylor vs. T. H. Yowell, &c.

Cause continued generally. Bickle, Semple & Altemus, Trustees, Plaintiffs vs. Charles P. Haynes, Henry Y. Haynes, John P. Haynes, M. L. Pendel and Willard R. his wife and Jno. H. Haynes Defendants. In ejectment.

Death of Bickle suggested, and cause revived in name of surviving Trustees. Death of Betsy Ann Haynes suggested, and cause dismissed as to her.

Semple and Altemus, trustees, vs. Chas. L. Haynes, et als, in ejectment. Defendants, Wm. H. Haynes, and J. R. Steele, allowed to withdraw plea of not guilty, and cause dismissed as to them.

Semple and Altemus, trustees, vs. Chas. L. Havnes and others, in ejectment. Jury, and verdict for plaintiffs, involving the possession of some 100,000 acres of land in Highland, Bath and Pendleton coun-

United States vs. D. H. Ralston, adm'r of A. S. Gray, dec'd. Cause continued, with plea of covenant performed. Allen Devier, for &c., vs. Henry Shacklett, in debt. Judgment for plaintiff for

and costs. J. S. Sharp, assignee, vs. German Smith. Pleadings settled in part, and leave to file further pleas in 60 days, and cause contin-

\$1,000, with interest from January 13, 1876.

George H. Desher vs. John Lewis, in ejectment. Jury, and judgment for plaintiff, involving several thousand acres of land in Rockingham county.

Emily Hollingsworth vs. Sarah J. Koogler, &c., in ejectment. Jury, and verdict for plaintiff, involving some 10,000 acres of land in Rockingham and adjoining

Emily Hollingsworth vs. Absalom Blosser, for &c. Jury, and verdict for plaintiff's demand except 150 acres. This is a large tract of land.

First National Bank vs. Staples & Kent, upon a suggestion. Answer filed and suggestion dismissed.

H. C. Wyeth vs. Royal Land Company. Cause dismissed. Susan M. Hardesty, by &c., vs. S. W. Ficklin, trustee, &c., in chancery, and J. R. L. Hardesty, &c., vs. S. W. Ficklin, trustee, &c., in chancery. Leave to file answers in 60 days, and rule for security

for costs within 60 days. Harvey Terry vs. Central Bank of Va, in chancery. Decree confirming report of master commissioner, and fixing liability of stockholders.

General continuance of most of closing causes on the docket.

B. C. Faucet vs. Winchester Paper Co., in chancery. Cause dismissed. The Federal Court closed its spring term on Tuesday evening.

Merchants everywhere sell B. B. B.

A Handsome Present.

Miss Cornelia J. Switzer was the recipient a few days since of a handsome present from the authorities of the M. E. Church South of this place. During the recent session of the Baltimore Conference in March, and for a short time previous, Miss S. very kindly consented to become the temporary organist at the M. E. Church. By her skill as a musician and performer she added greatly to the effect of the survices of the choir, and the officials deemed it fitting that they should bestow upon the young lady some testimonial of their appreciation of her kindness. They procured a very handsome music case for her and a few days ago presented it. The young lady was very much surprised, modestly thinking that her services-efficient and valuable as they were-were not worthy of special recognition. She doubtless felt that the performance of duty would bring the usual reward of happiness, and this unexpected present was therefore the more highly appreciated. The stand is a very handsome one and is an elegant piece of parlor furniture.

Weather of the Week. THURSDAY, May 5-Cloudy. FRIDAY, 6-Rainy morning; noon clear-

SATURDAY, 7-Clear, warm. SUNDAY, 8-Beautiful, warm day. Monday, 9-Morning sultry warm. Began clouding by 8 A.M. Evening clear. TUESDAY, 10 .- Morning cooler than yes-

terday. Very warm from early forenoon. Afternoon cloudy, indicating rain. WEDNESDAY, 11-The shower of yesterday evening cooled the temperature, which this morning was very pleasant. Later the weather became warm wither a prospect for more rain.

Trial of Joseph Bamber.

The trial of Joseph Bamber, of this town, took place at Woodstock, in Shenandoah county on Monday last. He was under indictment for breaking into and stealing bacon and lard of a Mr. Maphis, near Mt. Jackson, a couple of months ago, a full account of which we published at the time. He was found guilty of the charge and the jury fixed his punishment at four years and six months confinement in the penitentiary. Having been an inmate of the penitentiary before, of course his sentence this time will give him a chance to do the State some good.

Next week we will publish an original story by a lady of this county. It is "A Masonic Story," and will be found inter esting not only to the brothers of the "mystic tie" but the profane world as well -ladies particularly.

G. W. Mauzy, Esq., has been appointed ant filed, and decree for account of liens, &c. | Yancey who declined to serve.

Jurymen for Circuit Court.

The following named persons have been summoned as jurymen for the May term of the Circuit Court for Rockingham county. The jury are summoned for May 17th, next

John B. Gangwer, J. P. Dellinger, Jos. Bauserman, R. L. Gowl, W. R. Fallis, John W. Strickler, Valentine Bolton, I. N. Miller, Green Amentrout, John W. Stern, J. W. Mauck, W. H. Carpenter. M. M. Sibert, David Suter, Jeremian Armentrout, Wm. H. Bowman, H. H. Beall, Jackson Horn, Albert Miller, Julius J. Martz, B. F. Shaver, David E. Rhodes, James F. Lowman, Geo. L. Croushorn.

There are 63 cases on the office judgment docket, 68 on the issue docket, and about 71 cases on the motion docket. The docket for the term is comparatively a light one.

G. A. Myers & Co., sell B. B. B.

An Annual Occurrence.

Every year about this time one reads in the columns of all the leading newspapers throughout the country a stunning announcement that over half a million of dollars will be given away to some persons who shall send \$10, \$5, \$2, or \$1 to M. A. Dauphin, No. 212 Broadway, New York City, N. Y., or same person at New Orleans, La., for a whole or a fractional part of a ticket in the Grand Semi-Annual Distribution, to be made on June 14th, at New Orleans, La., by the Louisiana State Lottery, under the exclusive management of Generals G. T. Beauregard of La., and Jubal A. Early of Va. The management pays the Charity Hospital at New Orleans. La., over a million of dollars for the priv-

Building.

A. Shacklett is building an additional warehouse in the rear of his store for the

accommodation of goods in his line. Rohr Brothers are erecting a very large warehouse near the depot for the storing of goods. Their warehouse will be 30x100 feet in size, and yet it will not afford more room than they need for the immense stock of groceries kept by this energetic firm. Their success as grocers has been wonderful, and we rejoice at it, as the firm is composed of clever gentlemen, born and raised here, and who conduct their business on liberal business principles.

Ask your merchant for B. B. B.

The weather for May has been of the best possible kind for the growing vegetation. At this writing the warm season seems to have set in in earnest, and lighter clothing and ice have became necessary for comfort. In a fortnight the summer resorts will be open and visitors coming forward to secure comfortable and healthy quarters for the hot months. All except editors can go and enjoy themselves at these various places of resort; they must remain at home, no matter how sweltering the weather becomes, to pursue the weary round of their tread-mill life.

Death has been reaping a golden harvest in this and surrounding counties, as the reports of the newspapers have shown, for some weeks. Last week we chronicled several who died in this county, who were very estimable citizens, and this week we add to the list the names of several more, who have joined "the innumerable caravan." But few of these had reached three score years. Paralysis seems to be a common malady in these later years, much more so than formerly. Can any scientist give a sound reason?

LINVILLE, May 9, 1881. Since everything seems to be fair in war, according to Mahone politics, let us ask how Mr. John Acker, the candidate for Supervisor in Linville District stands on

the "Fence Law" and Ring Nominations, and how Mr. Neff, the candidate for Road Commissioner, and Henry Beery for Magistrate, stand on Republicanism. Nobody would possibly have said a word about these matters, but these same gentlemen. as they believe in the sign, must plant in the sign. FAIR PLAY.

J. Will. Houck, a Harrisonburg boy, now of Cumberland, Md., has been on a visit to his old home here for some days. He is with his brother-in-law, Robert Fletcher, Esq. "Billy" always was a good boy and a gentleman, and ourself among his many friends here wish him well. He is in prosperous business at Cumberland, we are pleased to hear, and hope he may have a

continuance of it through life. The indications of an abundant fruit crop this year in this section are most flattering. Go upon some high spot, and glancing over the landscape you will have such a glorious view of trees and vines and shrubbery in full bloom as you never beheld before. Do so, and your heart will swell with gratitude to the Giver of every good and perfect gift for His supreme be-

RUN OFF .- A horse, attached to a buggy, driven by Pat. Neligan, belonging to Bridgewater, became frightened at the depot by an approaching train on Thursday last. The buggy was smashed and Mr. Neligan thrown out and badly hurt. He is recovering from his injuries, which consisted mostly of cuts and bruises about the head and face.

There is no such Bitters as B. B. B.

Jacob Acker, a former citizen of this county, who became well known as a soldier during the war, by reason of his bravery and undaunted courage, we are in Kansas, on the Arkansas river, recently. He was about 51 or 52 years of age.

Strawberries and small fruits are later than usual this year. There is plenty of a judge of election at McGaheysville pre- time, however, for strawberry festivals, of

Officers of the West Augusta Guard.

At a meeting of the West Augusta Guard on last night, James T. Byers was elected 2nd Lieutenant. The officers of the Company now are :- Captain, John McQuaide; 1st Lieutenant, Thomas J. Crowder; 2nd Lieutenant, James T. Byers; 3rd Lieutenant, Wm. B. Logan; 1st Sergeant, Sandy Wilson; 2nd, Charles Burchell; 3rd, Robert Wrenn; 4th, James B. Taylor; Corporals, Pierce Bucher, John Hardy, Wm. Hyer, and Harry Hoshour; Recording Secretary, Charles Hudson; Treasurer and Quartermaster, S. S. McFabb. - Staunton Specta-

THE COURTS .- Monday next will be County Court day, 16th. It is also the date at which the Circuit Court will begin its May term. This conflict of date will probably cause a very short term of the County Court. Judge Bird will be here on Monday afternoon and will open Court on Monday evening. The jury has been summoned for Tuesday May 17. The list of jurymen will be found elsewhere.

Snell & Bro. keep B. B. B.

Hon. Wm. Milnes, it is said, has leased Mt. Torry Furnace, and will, perhaps, move t to the north side of Mt. Torry Ridge, three miles nearer the Railroad. We may reasonably expect to hear of big movements in the line of iron manufacture in the region of the old Kennedy Furnace and adjacent lands that will be hard by the extension of the Shenandoah Valley Railroad. -South River Advertiser.

Mr. Samuel M. Woodward, Jr., of this this statement a large number of letters are city, who has been for some time the effi. | filed, mostly from the proprietors and mancient and popular Superintendent of the Valley Railroad and depot agent at this place, has resigned to accept a position in the employ of the Shenandoah Valley Railroad. He is succeeded by Mr. James Bartols, of Baltimore, who has entered upon his duties .- Staunton Spectator

Every family should subscribe for the New York Atlas. The prospectus set forth in another column describes the various departments, and it is only the immense circulation that enables the proprietor to furnish the paper at such a low price.

Subscribe for your local paper, and select a first-rate journal from the metropolis.

Dick Dunlap, the doorkeeper, is missed in the U. S. Court-room. We did not hear that the Court had adjourned for a single hour, however, in respect to Dick's memory. The officers of the Court should have more respect shown them.

pal church on Sunday next. The Rev. T. Jervis Edwards is absent in Baltimore, to take medical advice, and his physician has prescribed for him an entire rest from professional work. This will probably be a good year for

bee-keepers and honey. The superabund-

ant bloom has drawn the bees out in im-

mense numbers, and every tree and bush

There will be no service at the Episco-

in bloom is made musical by their busy

Herman Wise sells B. B. B. The first Quarterly Meeting of Dayton Circuit, U. B. Church, will be held at Mt. Clinton next Saturday and Sunday, May | up the illicit traffic in liquor. It says the 14th and 15th. The Presiding Elder will J. W. Funk, Pastor.

Memorial Association will meet at Mrs. L. of Virginia, from the nature of its situa-W. Gambill's at 4 P. M., Saturday, 14th May, 1881. MRS. C. C. STRAYER,

Buckingham's Dye for the whiskers is an elegant, safe and reliable article, cheap, and convenient for use: will not rub off.

There were hardly as many "roosters" on the Court-yard fence during this term of the U.S. Court as formerly.

for 1880 you cannot vote at the election this month. Remember this.

It is time to put a mower to work in the Court-yard. The grass is luxuriant.

Read D. M. Switzer & Son's advertise-

MAKING WATCHES.

Defective Watch Cases are one of the chief causes of so many watches not being good time pieces. The case being thin and not fitting well, admit dust and dirt to the movement, which soon interferes with the running parts of the watch necessitating cleaning, reparing, &c., and the amount thus paid out-if applied toward buying a good case in the begining, would have saved all this trouble and expense. We have recently seen a case that meets all these requirements, it having been carried for over twenty years and still remains perfect. We refer to JAS. BOSS' PATENT STIFFENED GOLD CASE, which has become one of the staple articles of the Jewelry trade, possessing as it does so many advantages over all other watch cases, being made of two heavy plates of solid gold over a plate of composition, and we advise all our readers to ask their Jeweler for a card or catalogue that will explain the

manner in which they are made. I is the only STIFFENED CASE made with two plates of gold, seamless pendants, and center, solid joints, crown pieces, &c., all of which are covered by letters patent Therefore buy no case before consulting: Jeweler who keeps the JAS. BOSS' PAT-TENT STIFFENED GOLD CASE, that you may learn the difference between it and imita

tions that claim to be equally as good. For sale by all responsible Jewelers. Ask to see the warrant that accompanies each case, and don't be persuaded that any other make of case is as good.

Why will the Richmond Whig continue to assist the radical hoters and revilers of the people of its own State in their hypocsorry to learn, died at his adopted home ritical appeals for the free vote and a fair count in Vinginia, after we have taken the trouble to inform it that more colored votes than when that machinery came into the hands of the Mahonites and their radical exception to the rule. - Alex, Guzette,

1From the Richmond Dispatch. United States Marshal John F. Lewis's Defence against Charges of Special-

HARRISONBURG, May 2, 1881. The answer of United States Marsha! John F. Lewis, of the Western district of Virginia, to the report of C. C. Lancaste: special agent of the Department of Justice copy of which was called for by Senator Mahene of Thursday the 28th ultimo, be gins by stating that his answer was necessarily dereyed until the 27th ultimo, be cause he could not obtain from the Department of Justice copies of the exhibits filed by Lancaster. He was unable to obtain them until they had been printed in compliance with Senate resolution to that effect. The answer shows that the report is not only not sustained by the exhibits to which Special-Agent Lancaster refers, but that said exhibits actually contradict him in many instances. It declares that the mar-shal and his deputies therefore rest the case. upon Lancaster's report and exhibits with confidence that no impartial tribunal could sustain him in the report. They do not propose to rest under this negative sort of a vindication, however, but propose "to carry the war into Africa," and to prove that Lancaster has "placed himself in the postion of falsifying even the records" and 'convicted himself of misstatements, as

demonstrated by his own exhibits." It then goes on to show by Lancaster's own exhibits that his assertion in reference to the number of warrants issued upon complaints of deputy marshals and "their works" is wrong to the extent of 136 warrants-more than one fourth of the whole

In reply to the allegation of "great greed for fees," it shows—first, that where deputy marshals made complaint against parties and procured warrants for their arrest, it. was upon the urgent request of businessmen who complained that their business was being interfered with by the illicit agers of large iron-works in Southwest Virginia. Secondly, it shows by certifi-cates under the hands and seals of county clerks, by letters from county judges and Commonwealth's attorneys that in a great many counties the grand juries had to take action against these retail liquor-dealers, thus showing that if there is any cause for complaint it is because deputy marshals and deputy collectors have not been strict enough in enforcing the laws.

In regard to the assertion that deputy marshals employed professional imformers, the answer makes an indignant denial, and calls attention to the fact that Lancaster's assertion to that effect is utterly unsup-

ported by even an attempt at proof.

To the charge that deputy marshals took prisoners by the nearest United States commissioner to others from fifty to sixty miles further, the answer asserts that the duputies simply obeyed the mandate of the writs, and carried the prisoners wherever they

were commanded by the said writs. The answer, in referring to Lancaster's charge against Marshal Lewis's son uses these words: "The next charge is that my son D. S. Lewis (who was for a time one of my deputies) had made a fraudulent account against the Government amounting to \$17.60." His (my son's) statement is filed herewith, marked "Exhibit M," and it shows conclusively that the charge is entirely groundless; and as Special-Agent Lancaster was in possession of all the facts in reference to this transaction when he made his report he was guilty of an outrageous and malicious slander.

It alleges that Lancaster was guilty of a suppressio veri when he pretended to quote from the court records, in that he only gave the number of persons sentenced, and withheld the number found guilty and the

number acquitted. In reference to the increased expense of the district for the fiscal year included between the 1st of July, 1879, and July 1, 1880, the answer asserts that it was owing to the large increase of the criminal busi ness, and this increased business arose from the activity and vigilance of the revenue officials, who seemed determined to break expenses since that date have not been near so large, as the efforts of the revenue officers seem to have resulted in suppressing this illicit traffic to a great extent. It con-MEMORIAL Association .- The Soldiers' tends, however, that the Western district tion, is necessarily an expensive district, as it embraces all of the mountainous parts of the State, where the people from time immemorial have been accustomed the pro-till their own fruit, &c., and sell the product, and where they consequently upon the revenue laws as haish and oppressive and delight in evading and nulifying them. It calls attention to the additional fact in proof of this, that the district borders upon the States of North Car-

olina, Tennessee, Kentucky, and West Vir-Marshal Lewis claims in his answer that when he suspended a number of deputies it was done upon representations made to If you do not pay your capitation tax him by Lancaster, which representations

made to him by Lancaster he has since discovered to have been false. The answer concludes as follows: "The great discrepancies between the allegations of the report and the exhibits filed in support of them, together with the reply of the parties censured and their explanations and evidences, coupled with other facts that have become known to me since the examination and publication (primarily in certain leading Democratic papers) of Special-Agent Lancaster's report, compels me to the conclusion that this whole movement was but an artful and sinister scheme instigated for the purpose of prejudicating

the existing Administration against me. "Again asserting my earnest desire to cooperate heartily and effectively with your department in reducing the expenses of this district in any legitimate manner, I have the honor to be," &c.

The exhibits referred to in Marshal Lewis's answer embrace extracts from the records of the United States courts; letters from Daniel F. Trigg, Esq., who is a son-in-law and law partner of United States Senator Johnston; from Lieutenant-Governor General James A. Walker: from Circuit-Judge John H. Fulton; from County-Judges Lybrook, Ward, McTeer, Mays, Bailey, Morgan, and Cornett; from Com-monwealth's-Attorneys John S. Crockett, J. D. Watts, H. W. Holdmay, and C. T. Duncan; from Deputy-Collectors W. O. Crustin, R. M. Goodell, and G. D. Smit, from United States Internal-Revenue-Agent Tracie; certificates from County-Clerks Sexton and Orr; and a letter from Attorney General James A. Field,

A GOOD EXAMPLE. The thrifty stockraisers of Ber kele; county, W. Va., have set an excellent example by arranging for an exhibition of sheep, under the auspices of the Berkeley County Wool Growers' Association, to come off at the fair grounds ner Martinsburg, on the 18th and 19th of the present month. Liberal premiums have been offered for sheep in the classes long-wools, Merinos and Southdowns, to which a sweepstakes prize will be added. Several noted flocks have already been entered, and a very fine exhibition is anticipated. Sheep raising promises to become an extensive and productive industry in West Virginia, which will be greatly fawere case in the State when the democrate cilitated by proper attention to the imhad control of the machinery of elections provement of the breeds, having reference particularly to the yield and quality of the wool. The Berkeley farmers are the allies? There is an old saying to the effect | pioneers in that section so far as a special that "when a Virginian falls he falls mighty | sheep exhibition is concerned, and the ex low," but we hope the Whig may prove an terprise will doubtless be attended with excellent results,



THE FARM AND HOME.

Onion Culture. The Germantown Telegraph says that in Connecticut more profits are made from an acre of onions than from any other garden crop raised. In regard to onion culture it has been noted that few crops like a deepsoil better than onion; yet they do not like it loose, and soil should lie some time after digging, so as to get compact. It is also found that wood ashes is an excellent manure, but there is nothing equal to a top dressing of hen manure. Fresh stable manure is one of the worst fertilizers, making a rank growth of top with but small bulbs comparatively. In gardens generally no manure is put on the onion ground the same season of planting; but a piece of ground is selected which has been heavily manured for some other crop the season previous. Generally they go in after potatoes or celery, where an extensive crop is desired. In England enormous crops of this vegetable are raised, sometimes as high as thirty 'tons to the acre, which brought, even at the low p i es in that country, \$1,000 per acre. Many of the bulbs were one pound in weight, some more than that. The statement that "in onion there is strength" when applied to a financial profit like this, is no joke.

Cribbing Horses.

In regard to the cribbing of horses, the Western Rural has this to offer as the reason and remedy: "The horse should be placed in a stall where the manger is lower than the knees, and the lowest part of | it will be found that the increased weight the hay-rack, as window or air hole, is was as near as possible five pounds for higher than the top of his withers. The arrangement of the muscles of the neck | inches. and jaws is such that he can only practice the cribbing when these can be brought into exertion at a certain leverage. There ing five feet and upward: fore remove all the objects within the heights mentioned, as he cannot crib when stretching his neck up or down. When young horses are continually licking their manger, which generally precedes the habit of cribbing, the above arrangement should be made forthwith, and some salt constantly kept before them, without being mixed among their food; and the habi may thus in the start be effectively pre vented."

Care of Brood Mares.

As a rule, excepting among those who make it a specialty, enough attention is not team she should not be driven faster than ruining the colt.

Manuring the Garden.

The cost of manuring a garden plot is so trifling, and the result so satisfactory, that it is a matter of wonder that those who desire a fair harvest of fruits or vegetables do not treat the soil a little more liberally in this respect. Before getting seeds, plants, splittings or cuttings, get well worked into the soil. It is of little use to a garden to throw it upon the ground and there leave it. Let there be as thorough pulverization as possible, and then intermixture of the manure, and the land will show its gratitude in the results.

Points on Seed torn.

In a recent address on the subject of corn, Prof. Beal remarked that the topmost ear was the best for seed; of two fields, one planted with seed taken at random and the other selected in the field, the latter yielded as much again as the former. Manure and cultivation may be thrown away on poor seed. The best itme ering for sale packages which, after purtime to cultivate corn is before planting. chase, are found to be only half full of the A shallow cultivation was recommended. Twenty-three ears of corn can be produced strolled up to one of these deceptive charfrom one kernel; by proper cultivation and the use of the best seed as high as twenty-five ears. Smut is a great damage to corn, and smutty corn is very injurious how you can sell twice that quantity." cattle.

The Corn Crop.

Thorough preparation of the land, even if it costs some time, pays. So does ample manuring. For giving the plant a startoff use a handful of rich compost in the hill. Where other materials are used in the hill, such as super-phosphates, care must be taken not to bring them in too close contact with the seed, which may thereby be burned. Some farmers soak the seed in a strong solution of saltpetre as a safeguard against insects and vermin; others coat thinly with tar-a pint of which at times I was completely helpless. I used made hot and stirred in a peck of seed will | that incomparable remedy St. Jacebs Oil

"Begorrah, Mary, how do ye suppose the egg ever got that color?" remarked the your room every morning, as if you had new chambermaid to the cook who was some one to drink with." "Yes, sir; one admiring a large yellow Easter egg. "Per- | cocktail makes me feel like another man; haps," returned Mary, glancing at her sly- and of course, I am bound to treat the ly, "the auld hen had the ja'ndice."

Height and Weight.

THE PHILOSOPHY OF HUMAN LENGTH, BREADTH AND THICKNESS.

"How much should a person of given

height weigh? Is there a standard be-

tween height and weight?" A healthy child, male or female, grows in length by more than one-half its size during the first two years; it increases from 19,685 inches to about 31.10 inches. It trebles or quadrubles its weight; that is to say, it weighs 71 to 10 pounds at birth; 25 pounds in the first year; 30 pounds in the second. On the average a child from 6 months to 8 years grows in length about 2.4622 inches each year; the weight of the body goes on increasing to the eighth year, rising in boys to 50 pounds, and in girls to 471 pounds. From this age until puberty, boys increase in height 2.165 feet each year, reaching at the age of 12 years a height of over 4.52 feet, and girls 4.421 feet on the average. Boys gain about 5 pounds in weight per year, girls a little more, so that in the twelfth year children of both sexes weigh on the average about 75 pounds. From 13 to 20 years youths grow some 11.8 inches: girls 7.8 inches. The increase of weight is even more rapid than before, reaching 145 pounds in boys 18 years old, and in girls of the same age 1271 pounds. In the twenty-fifth year the man is over 51 feet in height, and weighing 1571 pounds, while the woman is 5.15 feet in height, and weighs 1271 pounds. Man in the fortieth year attains the maximum weight, 150 pounds, and then begins to lose flesh. Women continue to grow heavier, reaching about 140 pounds, until the fiftieth year. Between 45 and 60 men become more corpulent, and women rapidly grow older; in both the size of the body diminishes.

It is desirable for all persons, whether suffering in health or otherwise, to know as near as possible what the normal weight should be. We are indebted to the late Dr. Hutchinson for weighing alone men at various ages. There is indeed, an obvious relation between the height and weight so pertinaciously weighed and measured; starting with the lowest men in the tables, every inch in height beyond sixty one

The following figures show the relative height and weight of individuals measur-

	STATURE.
Feet. Inches.	Weight, lbs
51	should be120
52	should be126
1 5 3	should be133
	should be
	should be142
56	should be
	should be148
58	should be
59	should be162
	should be169
	should be
	should be178

The Religion We Want.

We want a religion that bears heavily, given to feeding brood mares. Best food not only on the "exceeding sinfulness of is chopped barley, mixed with bran, which , sin," but on the exceeding rescality of lyenables her to feed the growing foal on the | ing and stealing; a religion that banishes very best kind of feed to make the most | small measures from the stalls, pebbles from bone and muscle. On the care and treat- the cotton bags, clay from the paper, sand ment of the mare depend the size and con- | from the sugar, chickory from the cofdition of the colt at birth. We often see | fee, alum from the bread, and water from farmers working their brood mares in a the milk-cans. The religion that is to save heavy team and treating and feeding them | the world will not put all the big strawin the same manner as they do the other | berries on the top, and all the little ones horses, up to within a few days of their at the bottom. It will not make one half foaling. This is a very unprofitable course | a pair of shoes of good leather, so that the to pursue, to say the least. The dam first should redound to the maker's credit, LOWEST PRICES AND BEST GOODS. should have moderate exercise, but it and the second to his cash. It will not should be regular. If she is used in the put Jouvin's stamp on Jenkin's kid gloves; nor make Paris bonnets in the a walk, or loaded heavy, for in either case | back room of a Boston milliner shop; nor · there is danger of injuring the mare and let a piece of velvet that professes to meas ure twelve yards, come to an untimely end in the tenth, nor a spool of sewing silk that vouches for twenty yards, be nipped in the bud at fourteen and a half; nor allwool delaines and all-linen handkerchiefs to be amalgamated with clandestine cotton; nor coats made of old rags pressed together be sold to the unsuspecting public for the real broadcloth. It does not put bricks at five dollars a thousand into manure. Study the character of the soil chimneys it contracts to build with seven- EXCELSIOR CARRIAGE WORKS. and seek to give it the manure best calcu- dollar material; nor smuggle white pine inlated to enrich it, and there is nothing bet- to floors that paid for hard pine; nor leave ter than well-rotted stable manure. Let it be yawning cracks in closets where boards ought to join; nor daub the ceilings that ought to be smoothly plastered; nor make window blinds of slats that cannot stand the wind, and paint that cannot stand the sun, and fastenings that may be looked at, but on no account touched. The religion that is going to sanctify the world pays its debts. It does not consider that forty cents returned for one hundred cents given is according to law. It looks on a man who has failed in trade, and who continues to live in luxury, as a theif.—American Wesleyan.

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----[Attleboro Chronicle]

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