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A T the request of the beneficiaries in a certain trust deed, executed by F. S. Grove and Bettie M. Grove to the undersigned Trustee on the 6th day of February, 1879, to secure certain debts named in said trust deed, which is of record in the County Clerk's office of Rockingham county—Deed Book No. 16, p. 143—the undersigned will proceed to sell at public auction at the front door of the Court house, in Harrisonburg.

public auction at the front door of the Court house, in Harrisonburg.

ON SATURDAY, THE 31ST DAY OF JULY, 1880, that valuable HOUSE AND LOT in said trust deed conveyed, lying on North-Main Street, Harrisonburg, immediately South of the residence of Nelson Sprinkel, and recently occupied by Col. D. H. Lee Martz. The house is large, new and comfortable; good neighborhood, good out houses and a splendid yard and garden, containing nearly balf an acre of land.

TERMS:—One-third cash, and the residue in equal payments of six and twelve menths, with interest, for which the ourchaser is to execute his bonds secured by a lien retained on the property.

For further information address Winfield Liggett, Harrisonburg, Va., who is authorized by all parties to make the above sale for me, JESSE J. PORTER, jy8-4w

Trastee

POSTPONEMENT. The above sale has been postponed until MONDAY, AUGUST 16TH, 1870, (COURT DAY) JESSE J. PORTER, Trustee. augs POSTPONEMENT.

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POSTPONEMENT. The above sale has been postponed until SATUR-DAY, SEPTEMBER 25th, 1880. septi6 JESSE J. PORTER, Trustee.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

-OF THE-

Rushville Mill Property.

Thursday, the 30th day of Sept., 1880, at the front door of the Court-house in Harrisonburg, to sell the one undivided half of the Rushville Mill Property, in the bill and proceedings mentioned and described, to the highest bidder who may be able to comply with the terms of sale, for so much cash in hand as will pay the costs of suit and the expenses of sale, and the balance upon a credit of six and twelve months, the purchaser to give bonds for the deferred payments, with approved security and bearing interest from the day of sale, and the title to be retained as ultimate security. est from the day or sale, and as ultimate security.

This property is situated on Muddy Creek, at Rushville, in said county, and has a very fine water power and some improvements upon it.

B. R. BERLIN,

Commissioner.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Valuable Land

ON THE HEAD OF BEAVER CREEK.

IN pursuance of a decree rendered by the Circuit Court of Rockingham county, on the 19th day of June, 1880, in the chancery cause of David Zimmerman vs. Wm. P. McCall, I will proceed on

Thursday, the 30th day of Sept. 1880. at the front door of the Court-house in Harrisoburg, to sell one undivided eights part of the Hines farm of 291 acres in the bill and proceedings in the abovenamed cause mentioned and described upon the following terms, to wit:—One-third of the purchase money in hand, and the balance upon a credit of one and two years; the purchaser to give bonds for the deferred payments with approved security and bearing interest from the day of sale, the title to be retained as ultimate security. ing interest from the cap.

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This is good land, with valuable improvements up n it; the title is good and the property is located in good neighborheed.

6. W. BERLIN, sept2.4w

Commissioner.

PUBLICSALE

-OF-REAL ESTATE

S ADMINISTRATOR of D. D. Dovel, deceas I will proceed to sell to the highest bidder iblic auction, on the premises. ON, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 25TH, 1880, a tract of land belonging to said deceased at the tim of his death, being a part of his Home Farm, con

100 ACRES.

This hand lies in the county of Rockingham, about four miles from Courad's Store, adjoining Wm. Sigler, Lucius Dovel and Shepherd McCoy, on the Shenandosh River, near the Shenandosh Valley Rallroad. One half of the land is cleared, the residue finely timbered, and has upon it an orchard of good fruit. TERMS OF SALE:—One-fifth of the purchase money cash, the residue in four equal annual payments, with interest from the day of sale, the purchaser to give bonds, with approved personal security, and the title to be retained as ultimate security.

D. H. RALSTON, S. B. C.,
And as such Adminisarator, d. b. n. c. t. a., sepp-ts of Daniel D. Dovel, deceased.

Commissioner's Sale

PURSUANT to a decree rendered in the Circuit Court of Rockingham county, in the chancery cause of Nancy Crawford, &c., vs. St. Clair Shifflett, curator, &c., at the May term, 1830, I will sell at public auction. on the premises.

On Saturday, September 25th, 1880. the saturday, september 25th, 1880, at 12 o'clock m., the real estate owned by St. Clair Shifflett, dec'd, consisting of a tract of 8 ACRES OF LAND, near Hungrytown, in the Eastern part of said county, purchased of Reamer and Hatl and a tract of about 8 acres purchased of C. F. Harnsberger and wife. The lands will be surveyed.

TERMS.—Costs of suit and sale in hand, and the remainder in three equal annual instalments, with interest from the day of sale, the purchaser giving bonds therefor with approved security, and the title to be retained as ultimate security.

O. B. ROLLER, Commissioner.

PUBLIC SALE -OF THE-

"OLD COMMONWEALTH" NEWSPAPER.

PURSUANT to decree of the Circuit Court of Rockingham county, rendered at the May, 1880, term thereof, in the chancery cause therein pending. Rockingham county, rendered at the May, 1880, term thereof, in the chancery cause therein pending, in style: C. A. Sprinkle, trustee, Complainant, vs. B. Long and others, Defendants, in chancery, I will offer for sale at public auction, at the front doer of

On Thursday, the 23d day of September, 1880 the "OLD COMMONWEALTH" NEWSPAPER, and all its material, including paper, furniture, printing-press, bonds notes and credits of all kinds, and good will, upon the following terms, viz:—Costs of suit and sale in hand, the residue upon a credit of six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest from day of sale, as to so much as shall be necessary to pay all of the debts reported, amounting to about \$1600, and the residue of the purchase money, if any, upon such terms as will meet the unpaid instalments of purchase money coming to C. H. Vanderford, the purchaser to give bond with approved security.

An inventory of the presses, type, paper and other material and boeks, accounts, bonds, notes, subscription lists, &c., will be in the possession of the undersigned on the day of sale, and may be inspected by persons desiring to purchase of a well established and patronized journal, and one which the craft will consult their interest by looking after.

D. H. RALSTON, S. R. C. sept2-tds

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THE AGUE.

Once upon an evening bleary, While I sat me dreaming, dreary, In the sunshine thinking over Things that passed in days of yore, While I nodded, nearly sleeping, Gently came a something creeping, Creeping upward from the floor.

"Tis a ccoling breeze," I muttered, "From the regions 'neath the floor; Only this and nothing more." Ab! distinctly I remember --It was in that wet September, When the earth and every member

Had for weeks and months been soaking, In the meanest, most provoking, Foggy rain, that without joking, We had ever seen before. So I knew it must be very Cold and damp beneath the floor-Very cold beneath the floor.

So I sat me, nearly napping, In the sunshine, stretching, gaping, With a feeling quite delighted With the breezes 'neath the door, Till I felt me growing colder, And the stretching waxing bolder And myself now feeling older, Older than I felt before; Feeling that my joints were stiffer Than they were in days of yore. Stiffer than they'd been before.

All along my back, the creeping Soon gave place to rustling, leaping.
As if countless frozen demons Had concluded to explore All the cavities—the varmints Twixt me and my nether garments. Through my boots into the floor; Then I found myself a-shaking, Gently shaking more and more, Every moment more and more

'Twas the ague: and it shook me Into heavy clothes, and took me Shaking to the kitchen, every Place where there was warmth in store; Shaking till the cains rattled, Shaking till the morals battled; Shaking, and with all my warming, Feeling colder than before; Shaking till it had exhausted All its powers to shake me more Till it could net shake me more.

Then it rested till the morrow, When it came with all the horror That it had the face to borrow, Shaking, shaking as before. And from that day in September-Day which I shall long remember-It has made diurnal visits, Shaking, shaking, oh! so sore: Shaking off my boots, and shaking Me to bed if nothing more, Fully this if nothing more.

And to-day the swallows flitting Round my cottage see me sitting Moodily within the sunshine Just inside my silent door, Waiting for the ague, seeming Like a man forever dreaming; And the sunlight on me streaming Casts no shadow on the floor. For I am too thin and sallow Narv a shadow any more.

AN ANECDOTE OF A GREAT PAINTER.

An interesting story is related of Giotto, which will show not only the independent spirit of the painter, but also how conscious and confident he was of his own great powers. It is said that Giotto's fame having reached the ears of the Pope, the latter resolved to dispatch one of his courtiers to Florence, in order to ascertain what kind of man the painter was and what were his real talents, as he was then on the point of having certain paintings executed in the church of St. Peter; and the Papal representative was also commissioned to obtain at the same time designs from other celebrated masters. that he might compare their skill with

that of Giutto. Arrived in the city, we are told the courtier proceeded one morning to the studio where Giotto was at work, and having informed him of the purpose of his visit and of the manner in which his master was desirous of making use of his services, he asked him if he would prepare some design which he could take back as a specimen of his skill. Giotto, it is said, who was a very pleasant and courteous man, thereupon took a sheet of paper, and placing his arm firmly to his side to keep it steady, drew with one stroke of his pencil, which was dipped in a red color, a circle, which was so accurate and exact that it was wonderful to see; and, indeed, "round as Giotto's "O" became eventually a proverb throughout Italy.

This completed, he handed it to his visitor, and said, with a smile: "Here is your drawing." "Am I to have but this?—I asked for a design," said the amazed messenger, thinking that Giotto must be jesting. "Go, sir," said the great painter. "I tell you your master needs nothing else from me." And so at last, though still thinking that Giotto had made him the victim of a joke, the courtier returned home, very doubtful whether he ought to submit the insignificant looking round O with the elaborate designs of the other painters

which he had procured. He thought it better, however, after all, to send it with the rest, and to state the method in which, without the aid of compasses, the circle had been made; and it was well he did so, for the Pope, who himself quite understood the art, saw at once by it how greatly Giotto surpassed all the other painters of his time; and he was not only fully satisfied with it, but sent for Giotto to Rome, where he executed not a few of his works-chief among which was a ship in mosaic, called "The Navicella," over the portico in the grand entrance to the church of St. Peter, which came be known by the name of Giotto's vessel.

"If you are a quiet, honest citizen, how did these skeleton keys and brass knuckles happen to be in your coat pockets?" "I reckon, Judge, me and the policeman must have changed coats in the scuffle. We were very much excited."

"What is the difference between me and St. Paul?" asked one man of an-BALTIMORE, MD. men, and you are nothing to nobody." the sacrifice.

WHERE LIGHTNING STRIKES.

An article in the August number of Lippincott's Magazine gives the following information in regard to the con struction of lightning rods:

"After the most careful and extended inquiry possible to him, it is the writer's conclusion that in nearly every case of serious damage by lightning to a building having conductors of any well known system [except the horizontal, which is not a conductor at all in the usual sense of the word,] the failure to protect has been on account of a defective ground connec tion. The fact is the more surprising as this connection is so much within control, and is the least costly part of the system. This fault has arisen from the failure of lightningrodmen, as well as owners of buildings, to apprehend what constitutes a ground connection for electricity. If the eye sees the end of the conductor pass a short distance beneath the surface, all the connection necessary is thought to be effected, because 'the ground is always wet enough in a shower.' In the cities it is customary to connect the rod with the water or gas pipes in the street, which makes the conduction perfect. In the absence of these it is best to carry the rod to a well; and it is always desirable to enlarge the lower end of the conductor, which may be done by soldering it there to a sheet of copper. If the termination of the line cannot be carried to a well, it should be deeply buried in a bed of coke or charcoal that has been subjected to a red heat.

"A season or two ago a large barn in the vicinity of Boston was struck by lightning, and though there were rods at three of the four corners, three kine were killed by the discharge. The barn stood upon the side of a hill, having a cellar and sub cellar, the bottom of the last being very moist. An ox stood in one corner, a cow in another and a heiffer at the third, and each received a fatal stroke. On examination it was found that the rods entered the ground to the depth of about one foot, and the soil being being dry perfectly 'insulated' them. Consequently, on the way to damp earth, the current jumped to the nearest conductors, which happened to be these unfortunate animals. In placing conductors it must not be forgotten that dry earth in general is not a conductor. Neither will any small quantity of surface water serve to check the rage of the electric stroke, unless there is a connection of moisture with the mass of moisture below the soil.

"The depths to which lightning may penetrate before it is so dissipated as to lose its dangerous character is shown by the fulgarites or 'lightning tubes," sometimes found in sandy soils. Their formation has been conclusively traced to disruptive electrical dischar es from the clouds, which have melted the sand by the intense heat generated in passing through to a moist earth. These tubes generally divide into prongs, like a parsnip, as they descend. The inner surface is smooth and very bright. It scratches glass and strikes fire as flint. They are sometimes found three inches in external diameter, and extending to a depth of thirty feet. In one instance five of these tubes were found in a single hill.

HOW THE RUSSIANS KEEP WARM,

The Russians have a great knack of making their winters pleasant. You feel nothing of the cold in those tightly built houses where all the doors and water. Continue the boiling and evapwindows are double, and where the rooms are kept warm by big stoves hidden in the walls. There is no damp in a Russian house, and the inmates may dress indoors in the lightest garbs, which contrast oddly with the plow, insert them in a hydraulic the mass of furs and which they don when going out. A Russian can afford to run no risks of exposure when he leaves his house for a walk or drive. He covers his head its strength in a bucket of tepid water, and ears with a fur bonnet, his feet and legs with felt boots lined with wool or fur, which are drawn on over the ordinary boots and trousers and reach up to the knees.

He next cloaks himself in an ample top coat with fur collar, lining and cuffs, and he buries his hands in a pair of fingerless gloves of seal or bear skip. Thus equipped, and with the collar of his coat raised all around so that it muffles him up to the eyes, the Russian exposes only his nose to the cold air, and he takes care frequently to give that organ a little rub to keep the circulation going. A stranger, who for the courtesy of the Russian, who nose "whitening," and will, unbidden, belp him to chafe it vigorously with snow. In Russian cities walking is just possible for men during winter, but hardly so for ladies. The women of the lower order wear knee-boots; those of the shop keeping classes seldom venture out at all, those of the aristocracy go out in sleighs. These sleighs are by no means pleasant vehicles for nervous people, for the Kalmuck coachmen drive them at such a terriffic pace that they frequently capsize: but persons not destitute of pluck find their motion most enjoyable .-Pall Mall Gazette.

About the only thing an American will go to any trouble about is the age of his grand-mother. He will make her older than any one else's grandmother if lying can do it.

It is a good thing to make a sacrifice for a friend, and is also a good thing

SILENCE UNDER TRIALS.

When words and acts nutrue, unkind, Against thy life like arrows fly, Receive them with a patient mind,

Seek no revenge, make no reply. Oh, holy science! Tis thy shield, A hidden strength, a might concealed, Which worldly shaft in vatn assail

He who is silent in his cause Has left that cause to heavenly arms, And Heaven's eternal aid and laws Are swift to ward the threatening barms,

God is our great protecting power! Be still! The Great Defender moves: He watches well the dangerous hour, Nor falls to save the child he loves.

THE EARTHQUAKE IN MAINE.

WHAT LEADING JOURNALS HAVE TO SAY ABOUT THE GREAT DEMOCRATIC VICTORY IN THE PINE TREE STATE.

From the Philadelphia Times. Since the Harrison whirlwind of 1840 startled the country by the election of Whig governor in Maine, at the September election, there has been no such sudden political whirlwind in a presidential year as that which yesterday swept the stalwart Republican Pine Tree State from her political moorings. It is not a repulse or a defeat; it is the utter overthrow of a party that has ruled Maine for a full quarter of a century, with the exception of a single year of what was deemed the accidental triumph of faction in an unimportant struggle,

From the Philadelphia Press, With this reverse in Maine confronting them Republicans will renew the fight along the whole line with redoubled energy. We know and under-stand all that it involves, but we mistake the temper of the country if it does not rise to the high demand. It means a stubborn battle. It means

hard work. From the New York World.

Now that Maine has expressed a decided opinion that Garfield and Arthur will not do, there is nothing left for the Tribune but to get up and publish at once a fac simile of a treasonable letter written during the battle of Gettysburg by Gen. Hancock.

From the New York Herald. With Indiana secured and Ohio rendered doubtful the supporters of Hancock may reasonably expect to carry New York, New Jersey and Connecticut, and to have more electoral votes than they need.

From the New York Times.

The two wildest and most stupid Greenbackers in the country are returned, and one Democrat is elected in place of a Republican. The net result is not flattering.

From the Evening News. Whether the complete returns from Maine show Plaisted's or Davis's election, the result can only be a severe blow to the Republican party in the

whole country. From the Washington Post. The backbone of the Republican campaign is broken. Garfield is no

longer even a remote posibility. From the Baltimore America

The closeness of the vote is substantially a Republican discouragement.

MARK TWAIN'S COOK BOOK.

RECIPE FOR GERMAN COFFEE. - Take a barrel of water and bring it to a boil; rub a chicory berry against a coffee berry, then convey the former into the oration until the intensity of the flavor and aroma of the coffee and chicory has been diminished to the proper degree; then set aside to cool. Now unbarness the remains of a once cow from wraps press, and when you shall have acquired a teaspoonful of that pale blue juice which a German superstition regards as milk, modify the malignity of and ring up the breakfast. Mix the beverage in a cold cup, partake with moderation and keep a wet rag around your head to guard against over-ex-

citement. RECIPE FOR NEW ENGLAND PIE.-To make this excellent breakfast dish proceed as follows: Take a sufficiency of water and a sufficiency of flour, and construct a bullet-proof dough. Work this into the form of a disk with the edges turned up some three-fourths of an inch. Toughen and kiln-dry it a couple of days in a mild and unvarying temperature. Construct a cover for this redoubt in the same way and is apt to forget that precaution, would of the same material. Fill with stewed often get his nose frezen if it were not | dried apples, aggravate with cloves, lemon peel, a slab of citron; add two will always warm him if they see his portions of New Orleans sugar; then solder on the lid and set in a safe place till it petrifies. Serve cold at breakfast and invite your enemy.

PROOF OF DEATH .- For two or three hours after the stoppage of the heart the whole of the muscles of the body have completely lost their electric excitability. When stimulated by electricity they no longer contract. If, then, when faradism is applied to the muscles of the limbs and trunk, say five or six hours after supposed death, there be no contractible response it may be certified beyond all doubt that death has taken place, for no faint nor trance, nor como, however deep, can prevent the manifestation of electric muscular contractability. Here there is no possibility of mistake, as there was when the old tests were employed.

"How well he plays for one so young." said Mrs. Partington, as the organ boy and his monkey performed near the door; "and how much his dear little other. "St. Paul was all things to all to conceal the efforts made in making | brother in calico dress looks like him, to be sure."

MORE WIFE THAN COUNTRY.

The other night, soon after a ward meeting had opened, one of the electors present began edging for the door as if he meant to leave the place. He was stopped by a friend, who said:

"Don't leave us now, I want to hear what the speaker is saying. Hear Alley yesterday, and it looked at first that! He says we must triumph or the country is doomed."

"Yes I know, but I've got to edge along towards home," was the reply. "Home? great heavens, how can you talk of going home until he has finished that speech? There he goes again! He asks if you want to see grass growing in the streets of our cities -our fertile farms returned to the wilderness-our families crowding the poor houses until there is no longer room

to receive another?" "No, I don't know as I would, but I guess I'll sort o' work my way out." "Wait fifteen minutes-ten-fivewait until he finishes. There it is again! He asks whether you are a freeman or a slave? He wants to know if you have forgotten the patriotic princi-

grandsires-if you have forgotten the sound of the liberty bell?" "I don't know as I have, but I must go-really I must."

ples defended by the blood of your

"Hear that-hear that! He says your country will bless you." "I can't say as to that" replied the man as he crowded along; "but I'm dead sure that the old woman will if I don't git home in time to put this cod-

fish to soak for breakfast!" Great guns! but do you prefer codfish to liberty?" exclaimed the other. "I don't know as I do, but I git

more of it." "And you will see this country ruined-see her go to destruction?" "I'd be kinder sorry to see her go

down hill," slowly observed the delinquent, as he reached the door, "but if you had a wife who could begin jaw ing at 10 o'clock and not loose a minute until daylight, and then end up with a grand smash of crockery and a fit of hysterics, you'd kinder stand off as I do and let this glorious old Republic squeeze through some mighty

fine knot-holes."

A QUEER INVENTION. A young New Yorker has patented what he calls water skates. The skate is an air vessel made of zinc and hermetically sealed; is about five feet in length, ten inches broad and five inches deep, with vertical sides, and taper off fore and aft, or at the toe and heel, like a steamboat. On the deck, or upper surface, there is a socket into which the foot is set, the opening being guarded by a rim of metal to keep the water from washing into the socket. The bottom is fitted with a double gang of automatic paddles, one gang forward and the other aft, with five blades in each gang. The blades are set on swivels in a frame ten inches square, that hangs vertically from the bottom of the skate. As the skate is pushed forward through the water the blades are opened and offer no resistance, but when the foot rests so as to begin a forward movement with the other foot, the pressure backward closes the blades and gives a purchase on the water that materially aids in propulsion. Eack skate weighs about 8 pounds, but in the water, owing to its buoyancy, it has no perceptible weight on the foot. The other day the inventor walked across the surface of the Harlem river on them, the movement being a sort of gliding step, in which the skates are not lifted out of the water.

A BASE PROPOSITION.

A Detroiter who had the reputation of being hard pay was waited on the

other day by a man who began: "Mr. Blank, I hold your note for \$75. It is past due, and I wanted to see what you would do about it." "My note? Ah! yes, yes, this is

ised to pay, and so forth. Have you been to the note-shavers with this?" "I have, but none of them would have it." "Wouldn't eh? And you tried the

my note. For value received I prom-

banks?" 'Yes, sir: they wouldn't look at it. "Wouldn't eh? And I suppose you went to a justice to see about suing

wouldn't be worth a dollar.' "Did, eh? And now what propo sition do you wish to make?" "This is your note for \$75. me \$5 and you can have it.'

"I did, but he said a judgment

money to throw away, sir !" "But it is your own note." "True, sir, very true, but I'm not such an idiot as to throw away money on worthless securities, no matter who signs them. I deal only in first-class paper, sir, and wnen that note has a negotiable value I will be pleased to discount it. Good day, sir-looks like

"Five dollars! No, sir! I have no

settled weather." "How would you feel, my dear, if we were to meet a wolf?" asked an old lady of her little grandchild, with whom she was walking along a lonely country road.

"Oh, grandma, I should be so frightened !" was the reply.

"But I should stand in front of you and protect you," said the old lady. "Would you, grannie?" cried the child, with delight. "That would be While the wolf was eating you, nice. I should have time to run away."

Purposes, however wise, without

MODERN SKEPTICISM.

A "hired man" who has been employed on a farm in this country for several months entered suit against his employer the other day for balance of wages, amounting, as he claimed, to \$32. The suit was on trial in Justice as if the plaintiff had a clear case. He gave dates and figures in straightforward way, and seemed a very honest young man. When the farmer took the stand he said:

"I claim an offset for that \$32. No man need sue me for what I honestly owe.

"What is your offset?" asked the

lawyer. "He's an unbeliever."

"In what?" "Why, in the Bible."

"What, has that to do with your cw ing him \$32?"

"It has a heap to do with it. I had six hands in my employ, and we were rushing things when I hired this man. He hadn't been with us two days when they stopped the resper in the middle of the forenoon to dispute about Daniel in the lion's den, and in three days we had a regular knock down over the whale swallowing Jonah. The man who ran the mower got to arguing about Samson and drove over a stump and damaged the machine to the tune of \$18, and the very next day my boy broke his leg while climbing a fence to hear and see the row which was started over the children of Israel going through the Red Sea. It wasn't a week before my wife said she didn't believe Elijah was fed by the ravens, and hang me if I didn't find myself growing weak on Noah and his flood. That's my offset, sir; and if he was worth anything I'd sue him for a thous-

and dollars besider." The Court reserved his decision for twenty four hours. - Detroit Free Press.

WORK AND LIVE.

Man was put in the world to work, and cannot find true happiness in remaining idle. So long as a man has vitality to spare upon work it must be used, or it will become a source of grievous, harrassing discontent. The man will not know, what to do with himself; and when he has reached such a point as that, he is unconsciously digging a grave for himself and fashioning his own coffin. Life needs a steady channel to run in-regular habits of work and sleep. It needs a steady, stimulating aim-a tendency toward something. An aimless life cannot be happy or for a long period bealthy. Even if a man has achieved wealth sufficent for his needs, he frequently makes an error in retiring from business. A greater shock can hardly bethat which he experiences when, having relinguished his pursuits, he finds unused time and unused vitality harging upon his idle bands and mind. The current of his life is thus thrown into eddies or settled into a sluggish pool, and he begins to die. When the fund of vitality sinks so low that he can follow no labor without such a draft upon his forces that sleep cannot restore them, then it will be soon enough to stop work.

KEEP YOUR MOUTH SHUT .- The peculiar arrangement of the narrow and branched and delicately furnished nasal passages are especially suited to strain the air and to warm it before it enters the lungs. The foul air and sickening effluvia which one meets in a day's travel though the crowded city are breathed with greater impunity through the nose than through the mouth. Raw air inhaled through the

mouth induces hoarseness, cough, &c. The great actor, Cooke, when dying, told his friend and faithful attendant, Broster, that, although he could make him no bequest in money, he would give him something worth money. He then advised Broster to set up as a teacher of elecution, and to impart to his pupils, on condition of a large fee and a solemn promise not to divulge it, the secret of his (Cooke's) extraordinary powers of voice and its unflagging quality, which was to carry on respiration through the nostrils, so as not to dry or irritate the delicate organs of the voice.

A Lover's Revenge .- The latest and worst case of lover's revenge comes from Australia. A young man whose offianced went back on him and broke her engagement, received a note asking him to return the lock of her hair which he had. He looked over his trunk, collecting a heap of tresses culled from various sources during his love-making career, and forwarded them in a bundle to his lady love, inclosing a note to the effect that he had really forgotten which was hers, but she might select it from those forwarded and return the rest at her earliest convenience.

ASTRONOMERS. - Augustus and Maud linger long out these clear coo evenings, and drink in deep draughts of astronomy—that is, they attentively and persistently study the reflecte! stars in each other's eyes, while ther take particular notice of Mars' move-

A lightning rod agent was struck by lightning the other day, and the phenometion can only be accounted for on. the theory that the electric fluid got tired of being laid about.

Our distinctions do not lie in " a places which we occupy, but in e plans, cannot be relied on for good re- grace and dignity with which we fill them.

The right of trial by jury, the babeas corpus, the

perty of the press, the freedem of speech, the nat-

ral rights of persons, and the rights of property,

WINFIELD SCOTT HANCOCK, of Pennsylvania. FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,

WILLIAM H. ENGLISH, of Indiana.

ELECTORS AT LARGE. JOHN ECHOLS, of Augusta. P. W. McKinney, of Prince Edward.

DISTRICT ELECTORS. irst District-Thomas CROXTON, of Essex. Second " -L. R. Watts, of Portsmouth.
Third " -Hill Caster of Happyer.

Fourth " -Samuel F. Coleman, of Cumberland -JAMES S. REDD, of Henry. -SAMUEL GRIFFIN, of Bedford.

Seventh " -F. M. McMullen, of Greene. -J. Y. MERIFEE, of Rappahannock Eighth " Ninth " -R. R. HENRY, of Tazewell. FOR CONGRESS,

> OF SHENANDOAH COUNTY. "COMPROMISE" A FAILURE.

Judge HENRY C. ALLEN

The effort to effect a compromise between the Democracy and Mahonites has signally failed. There was a full attendance of members of both wings of the respective parties. The Demccrats submitted to the Mahoneites the Shenandoah plan-that is, to take six electors from each ticket and leave the selection of the eleventh man to the National Democratic Committee. This proposition was rejected by the Mahoneites, who submitted a counter proposition, which provided for hold-

ing a primary election for electors on the 16th of October, at which ALL registered voters, irrespective of past party affiliations, white and black, to participate in the election, the same to pledge their support to the ticket receiving the majority of votes by the fact of voting. This proposition was, in part, ac-

cepted by the Democratic committee. and modified so as to allow none but white qualified voters to participate in the rrimary election. This the Mahoneites rejected, and determined to adhere to their original plan, which allowed all registered voters to participate, whether their taxes are paid or not, and regardless of color or complexion.

Thus has ended the much talked of "compromise." Now let the true Democracy of Virginia go to work in earnest, with a firm resolve to discharge every duty required of them, looking to securing the State for Hancock and English, for it is only through the regnlar Democratic electors that such a result can be accomplished. So we

No fair-minded Democrat can now refuse to boldly and earnestly fight for the success of the ticket put forward by the Democracy in convention assembled on the 19th of May last.

We can hardly believe that any Democrat can read Gen. Mahone's last communication just before his committee adjourned, without feelings of indignation. His references are coarse and show clearly that no one possessed of the spirit and bad passion he exhibited ever had or could have a disposition to engage in the work of compromise. His arrogance shows in every paragriph as clearly as his unbearable malignity. No one could expect compromise or conciliation, when one of the parties commenced and ended by insult to his opponents, as did Mahone, nor when a spirit almost demoniac was so glaringly exhibited. We believe the Democrats of Virginia have sense enough to see through the sophistries of this pigmy who imagines that he is of the dimensions of a full-grown ox. To see him as he is, a few minutes' study of his bullying bragadocio and bluster will suffice. His own partizans will hardly approve the last effusion of theirchief.

We beg pardon of our friends of the Page Courier for neglecting last week to notice their remembrance of us in a short sketch of the week before. So far as we remember the reply of the Courier, it entirely failed to show the spirit of a compromise man, nor meet our point; that Judge Harris made a Democratic and not a funder speech. There was no other point at issue between us, and that you gentlemen failed to touch upon.

Go to work, Democrats! The 7thof-Julyers have refused all reasonable offers of compromise, and if we work as we ought we can beat both the 7thof July party and their "faithful allies." Remember the black cloud that was so threatening in 1869. We dispelled that, and by hard work can dispel this. "Eternal vigilance is the price of Liberty," and "he who would be free, must himself first strike the blow."

We call attention to the article in another column headed: "How the 7th-of Julyers voted." Taken from the record, we presume none will have the bardihood to deny the facts stated. Lacy, Stovell, Frazier, Paul and Fulkalson like Mahone, do not propose to abandon ".he faithful allies."

In the last issue of the Southern Intelligencer, (Republican,) Col. Popham hauls down the regular Radical ticket, and hoists the Mahone-7th-of-July bogus Hancock ticket in its stead. In the course of a long and double-leaded editorial article, the editor ridicules the idea of running any straightout Garfield ticket in the State, and points to the fact that no canvass is being made, no speeches, no appointments, no money, no nothing. He concludes

that the best way to advance the cause of Radicalism in Virginia is for the Radicals to support the 7th-of-July bogus Hancock ticket, in which we quite agree with him; and we leave the proposition to be well considered by honest men who want to see Hancock elected, but who have been intending

to vote the Cameron Riddleberger July

electoral ticket.

Five towns in Maine still withhold their returns in the hope of overcoming the legitimate majority that Gen. Plaisted has received. The returns thus far indicate that the Democrats have carried the State by a majority of several hundred, and the indications now are that even Mr. Blaine will not have the temerity to falsify the vote to such an extent as to count Davis in.

Abolish the poll tax as a prerequisite to voting and then white men, property-holders, pay their own poll tax and make up the deficiency of poll tax to educate the children of delinquents. The white counties will educate the black. Rockbridge, Rockingham and Augusta will educate Buckingham and Cumberland? This is Mahoneism.

Blaine to Garfield: "Don't lose your head. What we lost in votes we'll make up in the returns."

THE COMPROMISE CORRESPONDENCE

The "Shenandoah Plan" Rejected by the Mahone Committee--Mahone Takes Care of his "Faithful Allies"--No Compromise Made.

CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN THE REPRE-SENTATIVES OF THE DEMOCRATS AND READJUSTERS.

The following is the proposition made to the Readjusters by the Conservative Democratic Committee with the view of bringing about an understanding by which all the supporters of Hancock and English might cast their votes for one electoral ticket:

ROOMS OF STATE CONSERVATIVE) EXECUTIVE COMMITTER, NO 913 MAIN STREET, BET'N NINTH AND TENTH STREETS. RICHMOND, VA. September 15, 1880. TO GEN. WM. MAHONE, CHAIRMAN READJUS-

TER STATE COMMITTEE:
Sir:—In accordance with a resolution of
the State Central Committee of the Conservative Democratic party, I hereby respectfully communicate to you the following resolution adopted by them this day, and reto your comt as early reponse thereto as is possible.

Respectfully yours, &c., A. KOINER, Chairman RESOLVED. That the State Central Com mittee of the Conservative-Democratic party of Virginia, feeling that their paramount duty is to defeat the Republican party in this State and to secure the electoral vote of Virginia for Hancock and English and for Democratic principles, unwilling to permit their confidence in the strength of their par-

their confidence in the strength of their party to put to the slightest hazard a vote so valuable and possibly indespensable to Democratic success, and ready to make any reasonable advance to secure a result of such great national importance, hereby propose to the State Committee of the Readjuster party a combination of the entire strength of Virginia on the following plan:

That your committee shall name five who shall be accepted by our committee, and that our committee shall name five who shall be accepted by your committee as electors, the eleventh candidate to be chosen either by the National Democratic Commiteither by the National Democratic Committee, as proposed by the Shenandoah meeting, or, if preferred by your committee, by lot from two nominees—one named by each of the State committees.

Readjuster Response.

ROOMS STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.)

READJUSTER ORGANIZATION,
RICHMOND, VA., September 16, 1880.
TO A. KOINER, Esq., CHAIRMAN, &c.:
Dear Sir:—I am instructed by the State
Committee of the Readjuster organization, after careful consideration of the subjects involved in your communications of the 15th instant, to give their decision against the propositions therein submitted. The comnittee does not find in its chart of authority from the convention to which it owes exis-tence the right te withdraw the electoral ticket or any part the windraw the electoral ticket or any part thereof. It is true an elector might resign, but then and in that case the only rightful province of the committee would be to fill the vacancy so created by the appointment of another Readjuster elector for Hancock and English. And this committee cannot consent to any proposition which shall not evoke and consult the will of that mejority of the people of Virginia which, in the belief of this committee, is the Readjuster party. Nor has this committee any fear that the electoral ticket of Virginia is in danger-that it is not already, and in

our judgment, beyond a peradventure, secured to Hancock and English. This committee, however, in respectfully rejecting the proposition offered by your committee has not been actuated by any desire to perpetuate strife between the support-ers of Hancock and English and in deference to an apprehension felt by persons outside of the State—an apprehension not entertain-ed, we repeat, by this committee—it has been resolved unanimously to submit the following plan for the consideration of your committee, as the only method to which the Readjusters can give their assent.

I am, sir, respectfully yours, &c., WILLIAM MAHONE, Chairman. P. S. Our committee will be in session un-til 12 o'clock to-night.

PROPOSITION.

1. That on Saturday, October 16, 1880, polls shall be opened at sunrise and closed at sunset at a convenience of the convenience of set at every voting-precinct in Virginia. 2. That two judges (who shall each have one clerk) shall preside at every precinct—one appointed by the city or county superintendent of each party, with privilege to them to select a third if they see fit—(w hich judges shall take and prescribe an oat before magistrate before entering upon the discharge of their duties, to be returned with their returns of election, faithfully to dis-charge the duties of their office as judges ac-

cording to this schedule).

3. That every registered voter in the State of Virginia, who will by participating in this primary declare his purpose to support Hancock and English, shall be entitled to a

ter electors, pledged to and instructed for Hancock and English.

for us to ask, that the National Democratic Committee should bear that charge.

FUNDER HANCOCK AND ENGLISH TICKET, and followed by the names of the electors nominated by the convention assembled at Richmond May 19, 1880. 5. That each woter shall deposit in a bal-

tickets as above. 6. That at the close of the poll the judges shall count and string the tickets, state the result, and certify the same over their signa-tures, in duplicate, to the Readjuster and Funder chairman of their city or county, and

lot-box provided for the purpose one of the

shall preserve the tickets.
7. The respective city or county chairmen shall immediately certify the result in their cities and counties in duplicate to the Hon.
William Mahone, chairman of the State Committee of Readjusters, and Hon. Absalom Koiner, chairman of the State Committee of Funders.

8. That on Saturday, October 23, 1880, the State committees of the two parties shall assemble in joint meeting and canvass the re-turns, and that electoral ticket receiving the highest vote shall be declared the only Han-cock and English ticket in Virginia, and the other ticket shall be absolutely withdrawn.
And that thereafter the committee and the organization of the prevailing ticket shall conduct the canvass in Virginia for Hancock and English.

9. The National Committee of the Democratic party shall bear the expense of the election above provided for, and the fund by it provided for the purpose shall be deliver-ed—one.half to the chairman of Readjusters. the other half to the chairman of the State Committee of Funders.

10. That the party whose electoral ticket prevails shall have the right to place the names of its candidates for Congress upon the presidential ticket in every district of the State, without prejudice to the other party, to urge the claims of its own congressional candidates in any manner it seem fit

or proper.

11. The tickets to be used by both parties shall be uniform in size and color. ROOMS READJUSTER STATE COMMITTEE,

September 16, 1880. The above is a true copy of resolutions, &c., this day adopted by the Readjuster State Committee. W. C. ELAM, Secretary, &c.

In response to the proposal of the Read juster Committee for a primary election to decide between the two Hancock electoral tickets, the Conservative-Democratic Committee submited the following: ROOMS STATE CON. EX. COMMITTEE,

No. 912 Main Steet, BETWEEN NINTH AND TENTH STREETS, RICHMOND, VA., September 16, 1880. Jeneral William Mahone, Chairman State Comm

SIR.-We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your favor of this instant, and to say that we accept the proposions therein contained, with certain modifications, which we trust your committee will approve. We regret that your committee did not accept plan of compromise which we submit ted to you in deference to the desire of many of our people of all shades of opinion on local issues; but we share in the disposi tion which you declare not to "perpetuate strife between the supporters of Hancock and English," and stand ready to meet you in any fair, honorable and just terms of reconciliation and concession which shall clearly and unequivocally maintain the principles enunciated and the nominees presented by the Cincinnati Convention of the

National Democracy.

The modifications which we suggest are set forth in amendments proposed to the plan which accompanied your letter, and we deem it proper to state the reasons which

actuate us in proposing them.

1. We propose to amend the third section of the plan of conciliation submitted by your committee so as to require that none but legal voters who are National Democrats shall participate in the election proposed, and to this end offer the substitute for that section marked "Third section, Amendment 1." General Hancock and Mr. English were

nominated by a regular Democratic Convention. The delegates who shared in their nomination were all Democrats. No Democrat can fittingly object to confining the selection of those who are to be entrusted with casting the popular vote for Democratic nominees to their brother Dem-

rats alone. We by no means wish to exclude any person, of whatever political profession from voting for Hancock and English; on the contrary, we welcome all who wish in good faith to support them. But party fealty, prudence and unvarying custom alike require that the representatives of the party be chosen by members of the party; and it little imports to those outside of the party who may be delegated to express its will.

We deem it proper that none but Demo-crats should participate in the counsels of the party, for the reason that there are many outside of the Democracy who plot to overthrow it, and who would not hesitate to cast a vote in the primary for General Hancock, and thereafter cast a vote in the real election for General Garfield.

These men, and not a few of their followers, would rejoice in an opportunity to con-fuse the counsels and betray the confidence of Democrats by voting one way in the pri-mary and the opposite way in the election; and we cannot, in discharge of the trust re-posed in us, admit them to share in our af-fairs.

Let all Democrats, without regard to local issues, unite in shaping Democratic mea-ures. Those who are ashamed or unwilling ures. Those who are ashamed or unwilling to bear the name, and assert the declared principles of Democracy, cannot be fairly and rightfully admitted to select the men to carry the standards of the Dem-

ocratic cause.
Some of the members of the party which your committee represents have publicly declared that, in their opinion, a majority of Virginia Democrats are in sympathy with We cannot see that they can object to the test of a Democratic primary election, which would only result, if they be correct, in vindicating their judgment.

We invoke that test.

Let the Democratic constituency; let the people, who frankly and honestly declare themselves to be Democrats, and who verify words with deeds, select Democratic representatives; and we will cheerfully submit to their decision, and support their chosen electoral ticket, without regard to their views or our views on the debt question, or other local State issues.

2. We propose to amend the fourth sec-

tion of the plan proposed by your commit-tee by submitting for the words "Funder Hancock and English ticket" as the head of the ticket we support the words "Conserva-tive-Democratic electoral ticket, nominated 19th May, 1880." We have no objection to your committee heading or describing its electoral ticket by any words which you may deem fitting to designate its character; but we cannot consent to name the electoral ticket which we support by any words not

a strict conformity with the facts.

The truth is, that our electoral ticket nevin strict conformity er was, is not, never professed to be, and never was designed to be, in any sense a "Funder ticket." It is known of all men "Funder ticket." It is known of all men that the Convention of the 19th of May was composed of Democrats of opposing views on the debt question; that it sent a delegation to the National Democratic Convention, and nominated an electoral ticket likewise representing opposite opinions on that issue. And it would misrepresent the truth of history to denominate our electoral ticket a

The distinguished representatives of the Readjusters of Virginia, who went to the Cincinnati Convention, and who were nominated as electors by our party, attest these

As consequential, the word "Funder" to be stricken out wherever it occurs in your plan, and the words "Conservative-Democratic" substituted therefor.

3. We propose an amendment to the fifth section requiring the votes at the primary election to be cast "viva voce." This will diminish expense, avoid opportunities for fraud, and facilitate the consummation of the plan. Consequential amendments of accompany this communication, 4. We prepose to amend the ninth section

Committee should bear that charge.
We propose to strike out the tenth tion in reference to the congressional tickets, and to leave that matter entirely with the people, without prejudice to either of our parties, to put upon the presidential electoral ticket chosen at the primary election the names of such congressional candidates as

they may see fit to support. Seeking only the triumph of the National Seeking only the trumph of the Rational Democracy, we will cordially join with you in this effort to unite all of its adherents if it meets your approbation. The political destinies of fifty millions of people should not, in our judgment, be in any wise dis-turbed or imperilled by a difference of opin-ion upon a matter local to our State. We doubt not that the people of Virginia will, in their own way, dispose of local ques-tions; but we deprecate their interjection tions; but we deprecate their interjection into the national controversies which concern the whole country. To do this now would only "perpetuate the strife between the supporters of Hancock," which your letter declares you do not desire.

Now that all sections and all other States

are conspicuous in conciliating the factions and laying behind them the strifes that have and laying behind the member of the brought bitterness and sorrow upon all, and are rallying with unprecedented enthusiasm around the Democratic nominees, who represent the cause of peace, would be no little gratified for our beloved State to follow their example, and show to the country that she has the greatness to manage her own af-

sue has the greatness to manage her own af-fairs without marring its harmony. While we have every confidence that the ticket which we represent would be success-ful, we desire that the moral influence of Virginia's action may be everywhere felt ere the batte is ended, and that all popular apprehensions may at once be eased by that union of all Democrats which will put her course beyond controversy or question.

A. Koiner,
Chairman State Committee of the Conservative Democratic party.

1. That on Saturday, October 16, 1880, polls shall be opened at sunrise and closed at sunset at every voting-precinct in Vir-

2. That two judges, who shall each have one clerk, shall preside at every precinct-one appointed by the city or county superone appointed by the city of country intendent of each party, with privilege to them to select a third if they see fit—which judges shall take and subscribe an oath before a magistrate before entering upon the discharge of their duties, to be returned with their returns of election, faithfully to discharge the duties of their offices as judges

according to this schedule.

Amendment 1, Section 3. Every regis tered voter in the State, qualified by law who is a National Democrat, and who at the last presidential election voted with that party, or who has since the last presidential election become qualified to vote and who will support the electoral ticket chosen this primary election, shall be entitled to

Amendment 2. Section 4. Two tickets shall be prepared—one headed 'Readjuster Hancock and English ticket," and followed by the names of the Readjuster electors, pledged to and instructed for Hancock and English; the other headed "Conservative-Democratic Hancock and English ticket," followed by the names of the electors chosen at the Convention which assembled at Richmond May 19, 1880.

Amendment 3, Section 5. That each voter shall ballot viva voce for one of the tickets

framed as above.

Section 6. That at the close of the polls

the judges shall count and string the votes, which are to be recorded in duplicate pollbooks, which said books shall be certified by the judges, and one copy delivered at once to the chairman of the county or city of each party.
Section 7. The respective city and county

chairmen shall immediately certify the re-sult in their cities and counties, in duplicate, to the Hon. William Mahone, chairman of the State Committee of Readjusters, and Hon. Absalom Koiner, chairman of the State Conservative Committee.

Section 8. That on Saturday, October 23, 1880, the State Committees of the two parties shall assemble in joint meeting in Richmond city and canvass the returns, and that electoral ticket receiving the highest vote shall be declared the only Hancock and English ticket in Virginia, and the other ticket shall be absolutely withdrawn; and that thereafter the committee and organization of the prevailing ticket shall conduct the canvass in Virginia for Hancock and English.
Section 9. The expenses of the primary
election shall be borne equally by the two

Section 10. The tickets to be used by both parties shall be uniform in size and color. Agreed to by State Central Conservative-Democratic Committee.

J. Bell Bigger, Secretary. September 16, 1880.

ROOMS STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, READJUSTER ORGANIZATION, WHIG BUILDING, RICHMOND, VA., September 16, 1880, 12:30 P. M.

A. Koiner, Esq., Chairman, &c.: Sir,—The Readjuster Committee me to say that an answer will be made to your communication of this date to morrow. For that purpose its session will be continu-Respectfully, &c., WILLIAM MAHONE, Chairman.

Readjuster Rejoinder. ROOMS STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, READJUSTER ORGANIZATION, WHIG BUILDING

RICHMOND, VA., September 17, 1880 HON. A. KOINER, CHAIRMAN, &C.: Sir,—Your communication of the 16th conveying a rejection of our proposition of the same date, has been received.

I am instructed to express to you the following reply:
The body you represent cannot have overooked the last sentence of our letter of yes-

terday, which characterized the plan therein contained as "the only method to which the Readjusters" could "give assent." They cannot, consistently with our ideas of duty, submit to any arbitration less potent than that of the people of Virginia, whose rights and interests are involved in the questions at issue between us. We are here at your solicitation, in deference to an apprehension we did not and do not share; and we are met by a proposition which the people had al-ready rejected. It is no secret that for weeks past the proposition you made had been handed about the State from county to county, and that signal failure has everywhere overtaken the attempt to give it popular en

Our committee came here determined to omit no proper service to the presidential candidates our Convention had endorsed.

We felt no need of diplomacy.
We had no apprehensions of results.
We wanted and still desire to allay all apprehension, however well unfounded, else-

where.
To the people of Virginia will we submit as arbitrators; and before no other forum can our cause be adjudicated with the consent and approval of this committee. where.

We have simply asked a submission of our State concerns to the people of our State. When we proposed as much in the Legislature we were met by the Executive veto.

When we suggest the same to your party as a means of settling our rival claims in this matter of electors, we meet your refusal.

The amendments which you offer to our proposition as conditions precedent to your cceptance, or more truly as the basis o rejection, embody the reasons your party vouched why the McCulloch bill should not be submitted to the people for their ratification or rejection. They are the same which were alleged against permitting the Readjusters' bill of last winter to go before the people, when we might have had a solution of the question which would have reasoned. of the question which would have removed it from the arena of politics. The easiest and most conclusive solution of the whole matter is to submit it to the people. This can be done in one day without cost, and Virginia can and will cheerfully devote that day to their State and country. analysis of Democracy is that a majority must rule. By this standard we wish and

propose to measure and contrast your De-moracy and our own. 4. That two tickets shall be prepared—
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primaries, and as to designating the competing tickets otherwise than as Funder and Readjuster, do not involve any matter of principle, and might be substantially granted); the section which was and is our political ultimatum. We connot and will not yield to any demand that would place us in the position of abandoning faithful allies; and we cannot concede that any man's Democracy is to be concluded by 1876, by his previous political opinions or associations, or by the fact that three weeks before the election he should not have paid a tax which, by the terms of the law, he may pay at any time previous to the very day of election. We do not forget that in day of election. We do not forget that in the call issued by your committee for the Convention of last May, co-operation of the citizens of Virginia in your primary meeting was asked without the imposition of any of the conditions you would now require of us as essential.

We propose to recognize in its projected primary every registered voter who, by par-ticipation therein, should show a purpose to support Hancock and English. We saw support Hancock and English. and see no reason why any other qualification should be demanded of the voter. Why should Democrats wish to place limits upon the membership of their party? Why should they not seek and welcome converts and recruits? To apply your suggestions to the politics of every State in the Union would be to measure Hancock's strength by Tilden's vote, and to discard the proffered support to our candidates of men like Forman and the state of the sta ney in Pennsylvania or Butler in Massachu setts. And here let it be remembered that the National Democratic Convention found no difficulty in recognizing and admitting delegates from the Butler faction in the lat-ter State, though fresh from primaries of their own, although their leader was not in 1876 a National Democrat, nor did he "vote for that party in the last presidential election." To adopt your policy would be to consign Louisiana, Florida, and South Coroconsign Louisiana, Florida, and South Coro-lina forever to the control of the Republi-can party. If this policy had governed in Virginia in 1869 she would still be subject to a rule the very reverse of Democratic. It were folly, in our view, to proclaim so

narrow a rule of proscription, even were i not a violation of every principle and pre-cedent of Democracy. Men cannot be excedent of Democracy. Men cannot be ex-cluded from all voice in party affairs and still be relied on to champion party measures. Our desire is to attract, not to repel, votes for Hancock and English. We have deemed that the Democratic work of the hour. We have not supposed that the po-litical antecedents of a voter, nor his color, could constitute a valid reason for rejecting his assistance to our cause, and in this view we have been supported by the declarations of the Chairman of the National Democratic Committee as to the policy and duty of seeking to obtain for the Hancock ticket elements of strength heretofore given to the Republican candidates. We do not wish and have not sought to exclude from the proposed primary any class of voters. We cannot admit that it is right in you to ask, or would be otherwise than un-Democratic or would be otherwise than un-Democratic for us to consent, that one Readjuster should be excluded from the polls who is willing by participation in the primary to give token of his support of Hancock. Nor do we know under the wording of your amendment who might or might not be

proscribed from veting, nor what scope or significance might be given to the term National Democrat. Every member of our party has been declared by your official body to be beyond the pale of National Democracy; the language of your amendment may be intended to include and exclude us all. We have upon this committee which you have addressed and which is now replying to you, gentlemen who did not vote for the National Democratic candidates at the last presidential election, but who are to-day arnest and active supporters of Hancock and English. Was it expected they should be ostracised in the primary? You have upon your own electoral ticket gentlemen who within the past twelve months have voted for Republican candidates; and lest it should be said that those cases occured in local and national contests, you have opened that ticket at least to one gentleman who within the year was more than willing to give his vote for a Republican for United States senator. The term your committee has used suggests a test: how and by whom should it be applied? If by ourselves, we could not allow any plea of regularity drawn from an unchallenged attendance upon the Cincinnati Convention to cover language and acts ognized organs and official canvassers of your party, could be only accepted as show-ing a preference for Garneld's success in Virginia rather than that our ticket should give the vote of this State to Hancock. Nor could we permit the Democracy of any Rewho adhears to the platform of the July Convention and supports the ticket then proclaimed to be challenged and denied under sanction of this committee.

We claim and insist that every act and utterence of our party has been Democratic in spirit and indeed. We claim to have la-bored for years with the single view of impressing upon the administration of Virginia's government the will of a majority of the people. We claim that the original and the people. We claim that the original and continuing cause of our controversy with your party has been our Democratic respect for the popular will, and your un-Democratic resistance thereto. We claim to have spoken and to speak for a majority of the people of "Virginia, thrice asserted at the ballot-box; and we claim to have been met at every contest by methods at variance with the fundamental doctrine of Democra cy. It has been our part always, as now, to seek consultation with and authority from the people. The policy of our opponents has on the contrary, been marked by persistant refusal to seek or be bound by the popular will. But this letter is not written for the purpose of further criminations of our respective parties though the manner of your rejections of our proposition of the our rejections of our proposition of the 16th made it necessary that some notice should be taken of the reasons alleged for that action. It only remains to say that with and upon those propositions constituting, in our judgment, a just, liberal, and Democratic plan for consentrating upon one ticket the Hancock vote in Virginia, we rest our cause. The conference seems to have developed nothing more than the irreconcilability of the views of our respective bodies; and nothing remains to us but to appeal to the people at the ballot-box in support of our claims, to voice the political will of Virginia in Federal as well as State af-It is proper to notify you that the Read-

justers' State Committee has adjourned sine die. Respectfully, &c., WILLIAM MAHONE, Chairman, &c.

On the receipt of the last communication from the Readjuster Committee there was nothing left for the Conservative State Committee but to follow suit of the Readjusters and adjourn, which was done after the transaction of some routine business.

Scrofulous, carbuncles and boils, blotches, pimples and eruptions, enlarged glands, in-ternal soreness, torpid liver, and general clogged condition of the system, all yield in due time to nature's sovereign remedy—Dr. Pierce's Golden discover, Sold around the world by druggists and chemists. Foreign trade supplied from London branch, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Proprietors, Buffalo, N. Y., R. V. Pierce, M. D. President. WEST BLUE MOUND, Wis.,) March 18th, 1879.

DEAR SIR-Having suffered many weary nonths from liver complaint without relief was last summer induced to try your Golden Medical discovery and Pellets. ime I was scarcely able to walk. Owing to their effect I commenced to improve rapidly, and am now as well and strong as ever. thank you from the depths of my heart for the good they have done me and wish you all successs.

Yours truly,

MRS. S. STAGNER.

The residence of J. D. Anderson, treasurer of Rockbridge county, was destroyed by fire last week. The Charlottesville and Rapidan

railroad will be opened to travel about the first of October,

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Baltimore will celebrate its one hundredth and fiftieth anniversary in October. The business men of Baltimore are taking great interest in the matter, and the celebration promises to be the grandest thing of the kind ever gotton up in the Monumental city.

In the city at Providence, Rhode Island, on Wedneday, September 1st, 1840, hy Rev. Isaac Chese-brough, Mr. Charlos Authony Grant, of East Provi-deuce, and Miss Nellie Clara Smith, of Providence. [Miss Nellie is the eldest daughter of Mr N. Calvin Smith, formerly of this town, but now of Madison

Sept. 12, 1880, at the residence of the bride's ronts, by Rev. Isaac Long, Mr. Octavy Elliott Miss Ida Bateman, all of Rockingham.

New Advertisements.

DR. FRANK L. HARRIS, DENTIST, HARRISONEURG, VA., can be found at his office day or night. Has given up his appointments at New Market and Mt. Jackson, Va. Office, Main street, near Episcopal Church, and 3 doors South of Revere House. [sept28.]

PURSUANT to a Decree of the Circuit Court of Rockingham, rendered in Chancery Cause "Jas. W. Shickel vs. Issac Barton," I will proceed at my of-fice in Harrisonburg, Va., on Saturday, October 16, 1880, to take an account of the liens against the real

Commissioner's Notice. PURSUANT to a Decree of the Circuit Court of
Rockingham, rendered in the Chancery Cause of
"F. C. Hopkins vs. David Lamb," I will proceed at
my office in Harrisonburg, on Friday, October 16th,
1880, to take an account of the liens against the real
estate of David Lamb.
Given under my hand this first day of Sept., 1880.
PENDLETON BRYAN,
Com'r in Ch'oy Circuit Court of Rockingham.
J. E. and O. B. Roller, p. q.
sept 23 4w

REAL ESTATE.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County rendered at the January Term, 1879, in the Chancery cause of Keen & Haggerty vs. O. P. Helphenstine, I shall, as Special Commissioner in said cause, offer for rent for a period of five years, if it require that term of lease to satisfy the decree of the Court, at the front door of the Court House, in Harrisonburg, on SATURDAY, THE 2ND DAY OF OCTOBER, 1880, the

owned and now occupied by the defendant, and situated on the east side of German street, south of West

rity for the deferred rental.

UHARLES E. HAAS,
sept9-tr.

Special Commissioner

PURSUANT to a decree rendered in the Circuit Court of Rockingham county, in the chancery cause of P. Zell & Sons vs. S. G. S. Long, &c., at the October term, 1879. I will sell at public auction at the front door of the Court-house, in Staunton, Va.,

ON TUESDAY, THE 12TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1880,

A Tract of 74 ACRES OF LAND, lying in Augusta county, adjoining the lands of Henry J. Showalter and others. This is a valuable little farm, and the attention of purchasers is invited to it.

TERMS.—Costs of suit and sale in hand and the remainder in one, two and three years from day of sale, with interest from said date, the purchaser to give bonds therefor with approved security, and the title to be retained as ultimate security.

Sept16-4w

O. B. ROLLER, Commissioner.

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A well situated house and lot on East Market Street Harrisonburg, the leading business street of the town, is offered for sale privately, on easy terms, and if not sold within a reasonable time will be offered publicly. The lot contains about ONE-HALF ACRE, running through from street to street; has a great deal of fruit upon it; has a good garden and improvements. Cistern just newly repaired, with good pump, new platform, newly cemented, &c. New fencing all around and about the premises. House has six rooms, besides kitchen; a good deal of new repairs. In good order. Convenient and pleasant. Handsome front yard, in trees and grass. Conveniently arranged. For terms, &c., call at

Commissioner's Sale

PURSUANT to a decree rendered in the Circuit Court of Reckingham county in the chancery cause of B. G. Patterson, Commissioner, vs. Wm. C. Coffman, &c., at the October term, 1879, I will sell on the premises,

On Saturday, Sept. 25th, 1880,

at 1 o'clock P. M., a tract of 12% ACRES OF LAND, more or less, being a part of the Kirtley land sold to Wm. C. Coffman and R. H. Smith by Commissioner

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

HERE will be a Stockholders' Meeting of the Rawley Springs Company in Harrisonburg, Virginia, on THURSDAY, OCTOBER 77H, 1880, at 12 o'clock, noon.

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P. HUMPHREYS MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN



Bridgewater, Va

I take this opportunity of thanking my numerous customers for their liberal support during the past year, and hope to merit a continuance of the same. To the people of Harrisonburg and Rockingham county, I would say that when in need of anything in my line. I would be pleased to have you examine my stock of goods before deciding to purchase elsewhere, because I think you will find it to your interest to make selections of some of my beautiful modern desiens. Please examine the very extreme low prices annexed:

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Chairs from 50 ets. to \$5 each Lounges of all styles.......\$ 7 00 to \$ 11 00 each Sofas of all styles from...... 14 00 to 25 00 each Parlor Suits, good style and quality.....

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DOORS.

Panel Doors, with two panels..... 75 to \$2 75 each Panel Doors, with four panels.... \$2 30 to 3 00 each The above prices are confined to sizes 2 feet 10 inches in width and under. Any size door can be Outside Slat Window Blind. Blinds, 12 light windows, 8x10 glass...\$1 50 per pair Blinds, 12 light windows, 9x12 glass...\$1 60 per pair Blinds, 12 light windows, 9x12 glass...\$2 20 per pair Blinds, 12 light windows, 9x14 glass...\$2 25 per pair Blinds, 12 light windows, 10x12 glass...\$2 50 per pair Blinds, 12 light windows, 10x14 glass...\$2 60 per pair Blinds, 12 light windows, 10x16 glass...\$2 60 per pair Blinds, 12 light windows, 10x16 glass...\$2 75 per pair Blinds, 12 light windows, 12x16 glass...\$2 90 per pair Blinds, 12 light windows, 12x14 glass...\$2 90 per pair Also, Moulding, Brackets, and a full line of Scroll Work at very low figures.

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LEGAL.

C. H. Vanderford, P. B. Delany, and R. N. Pool, parkners, doing business as the Virginis Land Bureau.

Defendants,
The object of the above suit is to recover of the defendants the sum of \$25, with interest thereon from the 24th day of April, 1878, and to attach the estate of said defendants in the county of Rockingham, Va., and to subject the same to the payment of said deth, together with the costs of this suit.

And affidavit being made that the defendants. C. H. Vanderford, P. B. Delanyland R. N. Pool, are non-residents of the State of Virginia, it is ordered that they do appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and answer the plaintiffs' demand or do what is necessary to protect their interests, and that a copy of this crder be published once a week for four successive weeks in the OLD COMMONNEALTE, a newspaper published in Harrisonburg, Va., and another copy thereof posted at the front door of the Court-house of this county, on the first day of the next term of the County Court of said county.

Teste: J. H. SHUE, C. C. C. R. C. Yancey & Conrad, p. q.

VIRGINIA, TO WIT:-IN THE CLERK'S OF-fice of the Circuit Court of Rockingham Coun-ty, on the 2nd day of September A. D., 1880; The Patapaco Guano Company, (a corporation)...Plf.

R. Magalis alias Richard Magalis,......Deft.

Yancey & Conrad, p. q. -sept9-4w.

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another column .- Telegraph.

MARRIED.

By Elder S. H. Myers, at his residence on Sept. 9, Miss Alice Archart and Mr. Dan. Stark, both of Rock-

Commissioner's Notice.

Given under my hand this 21st day of Sept. 1880.

PENDLDTON BRYAN,
Com'r in Chancery Circuit Court of Rockingham.
J. E. and O. B. Roller, p. q.

sept 23 4w

FOR RENT.

House and Lot

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TERMS OF RENTING:—Cash sufficient in hand to pay the plaintiffs' costs at law, costs of suit in equity and expenses of leasing the residence annually, the lessor giving bonds with aproved personal sections of the suit of

Commissioner's Sale

A well situated house and lot on East Market Stree

Wm. C. Comman and R. H. Smits by Commissioner.

R. G. Patterson.

TERMS.—C. sets of suit and sale in hand, and the balance in three equal payments at six, twelve and eighteen months from day of sale, with interest from said day, the purchaser to give bonds therefor with approved security, and the title to be retained as ultimate security.

O. B. ROLLER, gonumissioner.

HARRISONBURG, VA.

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LOCAL AFFAIRS.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

earnest, honest purpose.

Noah Landis, auctioneer, on Friday last, sold for O. B. Roller, Commissioner, the one-sixth interest in 200 acres of land near the town of Broadway, to I F. Branner, for \$1.000

On Saturday, the 18th, the same auctioneer, sold for the same commissioner, one tract of land contaning 21 acres to Noah Holtsinger at \$24.10 per acre; another tract containing 12 acres to Jacob Minnich, at \$1 per acre, portions of the estate of George Moffett, dec'd, situated three miles southeast of Timberville.

(From the Shenaodoah Valley.) A large lot of land, belonging to the en tate of S. P. Henkel, dec'd and lying in Brock's Gap, Va., was sold on Friday, Sep. 10, by special commissioners. The first tract, known as the Smith mountain or Run tract, containing 1180 acres brought 57 cents per acre; 2nd tract, 550 acres, sold for 50 cts. per acre; Srd, Mine Mountain tract, 1000 acres, sold for 30 cts. per acre; 4th, a tract of 91 acres, at 10 cts. per acre; 5th, Overly tract, 650 acres, for \$1.03 per acre. The total sales amounted to \$1842.41 cents. Lewis P. Henkel, of New Market, purchased all of the above, and he is now the largest land owner in that vicinity, not including his 350 acre farm near town, which is worth fully \$90.00 per acre. Should, at any time, a railroad be made near this Brock's Gap land, it will be a great source of profit to the purchaser. It is well timbered-many of the white pines being 100 feet clear of limbs, and 12 feet in circumference. Some of the land is rich in minerals, especially lead. Let the resources be developed.

OYSTERS! OYSTERS! of the finest flavor, at KELLEY'S DIME SALOON.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK FOR OCTO full of interest for every reader. The loters of artisic beauty will pause long over the first page, containing Darley's last masterpiece-a scene from "Barnaby Rudge." The ladies will perhaps hasten on a little to see the numerous pages of new and beautiful fashions, and many will be the Ohs! and Ahs! of delight and satisfaction over the Novelty page, the dainty, pretty basket made out of-wonder of wonders-an old sunburnt straw hat. We shall hunt up all the straw hats stored away in the garret at once, for our wives and sisters to practice upon. The literary department is, as usual, from the pens of the most popular authors, and contains a most charming variety of stories and poems, with several pages of Christian Reid's latest and best novel,"Roslyn's Fortune." In every department we find variety, usefulness, and attraction for the use of the fair sex, the steady patrons of this most popular and attractive of Fashion

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

NEW BRASS BAND .- A Band, to be known as the Timberville Brass Band, has recently been organized at Timberville, Va. It is now composed of the following members: John A. Roller, Sam'l L. Hoover, D. K. Berry, Jos. McMullen, John M. Garber, Jos. M; Garber, John H. Crist, Peter S. Farney, Jr., and E. L. Zirkle. The drum corps is no light affair, for E. L. Zirkle tips the scales at 228 lbs. and Sam'l L. Hoover, 232 lbs.tetal 590 lbs.

The instruments, 8 horns and two drums. base and small, have arrived, and have been paid for by individual subscriptions secured in the neighborhood, with some little obtained at a distance.

John A. Roller and E. L. Zirkle, lately of New Market, were the movers in this mat-

Prof. Geo. Philips of New Market will give this band instructions.—[Shenandoah attentive listeners, men who feel a deep in-Valley.

Snell & Bro. keep B. B. B.

ACCIDENT .- Mrs. Isaac Fulk, living at Fulk's Mill, Brock's Gap, Va., not long since had her left cheek bone and three ribs broken. On her return from Orkney Springs, the backing strap broke, causing the horse to run, and the wagon to upset, throwing Mrs. F., who had a child in her arms, out and injuring her as stated.

A short time ago, a little son, aged about 4 years, of Abe Hoover, Jr., living in Brock's Gap, fell off of a heavily loaded wagon, the hind wheel of which passed over the child's head, inflicting painful injuries, and breaking four teeth out in the fall .- The escape was almost miraculous.—[Shenandoah Val. from the different stands. That of the 7th

The public are indebted to Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., not only for their standard medical preparations, but also for improving the looks of the community by their incomparable Hair Vigor.

Everything in the eating line at reasonable | cratic meeting, for the people there assemprices at Kelley's Dime Saloon. 828-1m | bled looked as if they felt that this contest

MONDAY.

A GREAT DAY FOR POLITICS—ALL SORTS AND SHADES-REPUBLICANS DELIGHTFULLY CHEERING DEMOCRATIC COMBATANTS-WISE AND PAUL LEAD THE 7TH-OF-JULY-ERS AND "FAITHFUL ALLIES"—GOV. VANCE OF N. C., SPEAKS TO THE REGULAR DE-MOCRACY-THE DAY WOUND UP BY A COM-PROMISE MEETING.

Monday last was County Court day and as esual, during a political canvass, there was discussion, noise, yelling and hooting.

The first event of the day, of a political kind, was the swinging to the breeze of the banner which has been in preparation by the 7th-of-Julyers of this vicinity for about a month. The banner is large, about 17x21 feet, and the painting is creditably done. It bears the names of Hancock and English; for Congress Hon. J. Paul; with the words underneath: "eternal vigilance is the price of liberty." The banner was run up amidst the huzzahs of a crowd of 7th-of-Julyers and the music of a brass band. After being fastened in place, Capt. Paul re-echoed his devotion to the banner; his standing by the people; the brave leader, twaddle, etc., all in about a 15 minutes' harangue. He was followed by John S. Wise, who vociferated for about ten minutes, when the perform-

ance for the forenoon concluded. A little after 12 the band broke out in a fresh place, this time in front of the Republican headquarters, where Capt. Paul has his law office, the old County Clerk's office. After playing some half dozen airs, Capt. John S. Wise, of Richmond, was introduced to the audience. Never having neither seen or heard Capt. Wise we were sufficiently interested in the strange gentleman to listen to him for from 20 to 80 minutes. He is a ready speaker and bears the marks of an energetic stumper. He speaks loud and distinct, and from the applause with which he was greeted he may well feel complimented upon his first appearance before a Rockingham audience. We could not help but think as we heard the din, which was almost incessant, that the 7th of-July managers had not drilled their hurrah boys with their usual care, as, no matter what Capt. Wise said, they slung in the yell without any regard to the proper place for it, often in the middle of sentences, from which cause we lost a number of what was doubtless intended as good points. One remark, however, we did hear, and which was somewhat out of place at this distance from Richmond, and that was: that "about six or twelve months ago, John Hamp. Chamberlayne, the editor of the Richmond "State," and the great light of the Democracy of Virginia, spent weeks in the county of Albemarle canvassing that county in behalf of Everett W. Early, a republican, against John E. Massey." - We can well understand that an antipathy exists between Captain Wise and Mr. Chambelayne, but the language of Capt. Wise was intemperate and uncalled for upon this occasion. Just here we will remark that Capt. Wise's intemperate speech here does not warrant the reputation which preceded him. He has even more recklessness in his statements than Riddleberger and a great deal less natural ability, nor is he as strong a debater. His often coarse allusions were greeted by the

bidding of Mahone, who is John's patron saint it appears. Capt. Wise also animadverted severely upon Gov. Vance, who at the same time was speaking to the Democrats in the Court-House, by calling him "a foreigner;" speaking for a salary of \$100 a week, etc., and retailing a lot of the stale slop which first finds its way to the public through the Richmond "Whig." This is hardly dignified, nor is it argument. Gov. Vance was at the time making an argument and appeal to Democrats; said not a word in reference to the local issues, as between Readjuster and Funder, but in a dignified and argumentative mannner upheld the cause of Haucock and English. Capt. Wise by this means destroyed with thinking people much of the influence his speech would have had. After

7th-of-Julyers and their "faithful allies" by

loud applause, who seemed ready to swal-

low any statement made by the speaker,

however far it might be from the truth.

John S. Wise is a Mahone man, but a 6 per

cent. debt man as well. This he did not

tell his audience. Nor did he tell them that

he was, as he stated at Staunton, "ready to

vote for the Chicago nominees, or the Cin-

cinnati nominees, a pledged ticket or an un-

pledged ticket, or no ticket at all," at the

speaking about an hour and a-half he con-He was followed by Capt. John Paul, who paid his respects also to Gov. Vance, as "a foreigner," whose State had repudiated her debt, and supposed it would be necessary next to send to Europe, England, Ireland and France to "import more foreigners to teach Virginians how to rule Virginia," and a lot more of such DIGNIFIED ARGUMENT. He spoke for about an hour, and as usual the uppermost thought was Paul. Those who wish to know what he said will find the ideas, if not the language, in any of his old

speeches heretofore published in this paper. The band played, the boys hurra-ed, the usual noises could be heard, the whangers whanged, and then all was still, and the 7th of July babe! ended. In the Court-house Gov. Vance made a

great Democratic speech in behalf of the

National Democratic ticket-Hancock and English. Like all of his speeches, it was able and dignified, and in striking contrast to the intemperate expressions which fell from the lips of those who spoke in the yard below. The Court-room was packed with terest in the Presidential contest, and who also think that it DOES matter who is elected President, notwithstanding the 7thof-Julyers continue to assert that "it makes no difference who is elected President of the United States." The meeting was attended by men who felt that they had important interests at stake, and who are in earnest in trying to do that which is best for all of us. Nor was the meeting of staid, thoughtful, sober minded people in the Court-house a very demonstrative assemblage, although the applause which greeted Gov. Vance was hearty and well-timed. As we looked over the audience for a few moments at the earlier part of the meeting we were compelled to notice the difference in the two crowds that were being addressed of-Julyers was noisy, which was no doubt taken for enthusiasm, showing a wild recklessness in applause after every sentence, whether the sentiment was wise or otherwise, and indicating that the Jemonstrative fellows believed that "it makes no difference who is elected President," so that they

can win. But it was not so with the Demo-

is a momentous one, and demands the sober thoughts and acts of patriotic men; men who feel that there is much at stake, and who want to hear the utterances of statesmen in explanation of the principles of national importance, which are to be met and decided at the polls in November next. The old Democratic leaven, which in other days permeated the masses of this great Tenth Legion of Democracy, was in that meeting, and hence it contrasted strongly with the demonstrative but less thoughtful gathering on the outside. If the 7th-of-Julyers are satisfied with their day's work on Monday, we are.

Nothing but first-class liquors and cigars handed over the bar at KELLEY'S DIME SAse23-1m LOON.

HANGOOK GLUB AT DAYTON.

On Thursday night last, the 16th inst., a Hancock and English club was organized at Dayton. The club, as organized, embraced twenty-four of the solid Democrats of that gallant precinct, to which since more have

Winfield Liggett, Esq., was the speaker on the occasion, and this energetic young Democratic canvasser is winning golden opinions by the effective manner in which he has been discharging the duty of senatoral canvasser.

The following gentlemen were elected officers of the club : President, B.F. Ritchie : 1st and 2d Vice-Presidents, Lewis Byrd and E. C. Ralston; Secretary, Jos. W. Rhodes; Treasurer, E H. Cromer. Executive Committee :- H. K. Devier, Peter Long, J. S. McLeod.

Dr. G. W. McFarland called the meeting to order, and by request acted as temporary chairman, and received a vote of thanks therefor.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Resolved, That we, the Democratic Hancock and English Club, hereby ratify and adopt the platform of the Cincinnati Convention, and pledge ourselves to eupport the nominees of that convention for President and Vice President of the United States. nt and vice President of the United States.

Resolved, That we will support the regular Demosic Electoral ticket adopted by the Democratio

nvention held in the city of Richmond on the 19th May, 1880.

Resolved. That we favor a compromise between th

two factions in the Democratic party in the State, by which the Democratic vote of the State may be consolidated on one electoral ticket. The meeting then adjourned.

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

THE COMPROMISE MEETING ON MON-DAY.

As heretofore advertised, a number of earnest Democrats, who believe there is peril to the Democracy of this State in the running of two electoral tickets for Hancock and English, and who have been and are yet anxious for some arrangement whereby there shall be but one Democratic electoral ticket in Virginia, met in the Court-house in this place on Monday last immediately after the speech of Gov. Vance. Several short and sensible addresses were made by J. N. Liggett, Esq., and others, and the following resolutions were unanimously adop-

ted: Resolved, That we, the regular Democracy of Rockinghim, regret that the 7th-of-July Convention refused the effect of an equal division of the Elector the eleventh Elector to be chosen by the National Resolved. That we also regret that the said 7th-of-July committee refused to refer the question to a primary election, to be held by Democrats, and we endorse the action of the regular Democratic Committee in refusing to submit to a primary election in which ALL the people, Repablicans as well as Democrats, could vote to decide a question between Democrats, could vote to decide a question between Democrats.

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

FUNERAL OF J. B. F. ARMSTRONG. -On Thursday last the Harrisonburg Guards, Capt. O. commanding, embracing about 25 men rank and file. went to Bridgewater to attend the funeral of their late comrade, J. B F. Armstrong, whose death we noticed last week, as having occurred at Luray whither he had gone on a visit, on Tuesday evening, Sep tember 14th. It has not been often that this gallant corps of citizen soldiers have been called upon to perform the last sad rites over the body of one of their comrades in arms, we are glad to state, though t has been about four years since the organization of the company. On this occasion there was much sadness in the ranks of the Guards, for Johnny Armstrong was held in high esteem by every member.

Several of our merchants have gone to Baltimor and Philadelphia this week for goods. Among them we noticed D. M. Switzer, clothier; W. H. Ritenour, watches, clocks and jewelry. Others are going this week, and in a comple of weeks at most we may expect to see our stores stocked with Fall and Winte

goods. Bumgardner's Bodega Bitters.

Circus agent in town. Thinks his show will ge nere about the middle of October. The addience are to be provided with pocket stoves, we suppose. It won't be much of a show if it has to give its enterainments in our town hall, by the two old woodland stoves which heat our dramatic temple.

It has been suggested that the 7th-of-Julyers should rent the Spotswood Hotel building, now that it is empty, to be used as a hospital for their partizans after the November election. Let no "faithful allies" be excluded, whether their capitation tax has been paid or not.

Ask your merchant for B. B. B.

LAST OF THE SEASON .-- There will be a basket picnic at Mt. Crawford, on Saturday next, Sept. 25th, for the benefit of the M. E. Church in that place. As this will be the last of the season, those who de light in picnics will doubtless turn out in large num-

Go AND SEE .- Mr. John C. Morrison has at his shop on German street the handsomest phæton intown. It is regarded as the handsomest piece of carriage work ever done in this town. It is a regular beauty. Go and see it.

Herman Wise sells B. B. B.

LOST AND FOUND .- Somebody lost a finger-ring which was found last week by Mr. A. E. Wallis, of the steam tannery. Any one having lost a ring, and calling upon and describing it, can get it by applying to Mr. Wallis.

H. E. Woolf, Esq., will accept our thanks for a lot of Mme. Deprorest's Fashion books. Mr. W. is the agent in this place for the Demorest patterns and fashions. See his advertisement to-day. ---

Yesterday, 22nd, the colored people celebrated the 16th anniversary of the Emancipation Proclamation. The celebration was in progress when our forms went to press. The celebration was well at-

Merchants everwhere sell B. B. B.

The "city fathers" are having a good deal of work one upon the streets. Let the good work go on The corporation has started to gather a "livery." Result se far, one horse and cart. We are progressing.

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Dr. Tanner took his last drink at KEL-LEY'S DIME SALOON before undertaking his

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

The letter of Hamilton in reply to "Truth" same

PUBLIC MEETING.

At a meeting of the men of both wings of the Den ocratic party who are in favor of a compromise of the differences between them, held at the Court-house on Monday, of the 20th of September, 1880. on the motion of J. N. Liggett, Eq., Henry N. Beery was called to the chair.

Upon the further motion of J. N, Liggett, Esq., the resolutions which were printed in this paper two weeks ago were adopted. The resolutious were warmly advocated by J. N. Liggett, Esq., and by Gen. John E. Bolter.

The third resolution calls for a State Convention he people, (in contradistinction to the politicians) to be held in Richmond, on the 12th of October. 1886 with the view to secure some compromise between the two electoral tickets now in the field.

The second resolution requests the chairman appoint four delegates from each magisterial district. Under this resolution the following delegates have

ASHBY .- Dr. T. H. B. Brown. Peter Long, Dr. G. W McFarland, M. J. Moyerhoeffer. STONEWALL.—Dr. George W. Kemper, Charles Rush, John W. Palmer, D. F. Hindle.
CENTRAL.—A. Hockman, Dr. S. A. Coffman, J. N. Liggett, John E. Roller.

Isaac N. Beery.
PLAINS.—Col. W. M. Sibert, I. F. Branner, Noah Minnich, W. F. Bowers. On motion, the meeting adjourned.

HERRY N. BEERY, Chairman,

LINVILLE .- C. F. Shank, C. J. Brock, Eli Long,

No more dyspepsia. B. B. B. cures it. SEPTEMBER TERM COUNTY COURT-1ST AND 2N DAYS PROCREDINGS, HON. ROBERT JOHNSTON PRESI-DING .- Samuel M. Burkholder qualified as administrator of Elizabeth Rhodes, dec'd. Mary E. Keezel qualified as guardian of her infant

children in the stead of Jos. Miller, resigned. Licenses as distillers of fruits were granted to James Anderson, John P. Pence, Geo. W. Fulk and John M. Barglebaugh.

Estate of Joseph Sipe committed to Sheriff. Jacob Funkhouser, J. of P. of Central District paid into Court \$1, fine assessed by him in favor o Indictments vs. B. & O. R. B. Co. and Valley R. R. Co. were quashed.

No family should be without "B. B. B."

"The people" at the meeting at Broadway, on S urday evening last, seemed more interested in the gymnastics of the 'possnm than in the oratory of the 'favorite son.'

[From the Shenandoah Herald.] THE NEW MARKET COMPROMISE MEETING.

At 2 o'clock to-day, Thursday 16th, the Lee Cornet Band announced, that the howr, for the Grand Democratic Compromise meeting, had arrived. Despite the constant rain for two days and the failing rain at this time a very full meeting assembled at the Hall. Page, Shenandoah and Rockingham Counties were well represented.

Mr. Andrew Broaddus of the Page "Cour-

ier," on motion of Geo. W. Kennedy, was elected chairman; and Geo. W. Kennedy, Esq., on motion of Capt. Rice, was elected secretary. THE CHAIRMAN'S ADDRESS.

He thanked the meeting for the compliment; reviewed the disruption of the Democratic party in the State. He came as neither a Funder or Readjuster, but as a Democrat, for the true interest of the Democrat. ocratic party—to elect Hancock and English. He reviewed the fealty of the Tenth Le-

gion to the Democratic party, and felt sure she wished the success of it by every honorable means. The opinion of himself was, that there must be unity in the party to do this. Nothing could be expected of the radicals to aid the election of Democrats. The Democrats must do this; but can not, if they are divided as now;—the Radicals are moving to arrange to poll every Republican vote—pay capitation taxes, and use every other effort to poll their full strength, if discord continues in our ranks. He neither democratic ticket can overcome the 95,000 Republican votes-their full strength, which can be polled.

THE FAULT of there being two tickets, was not to be discussed now. They are in the field; let us endeavor to have one, casting aside local politics and fueds-and move in one solid rank to put beyond a doubt the election of Hancock and English.

THIS MEETING, is to devise an honorable, equitable, just settlement, which must be made so that it may be unobjectionable to any who honestly favor

a compromise. THE PLAN. He spoke at some length as to the plan to accomplish this much desired end. He proposed that there should be no greater surposed that there should be all greater suf-render by one party than the other. That five men should be selected by the respect-ive Committees and that the eleventh should be chosen from the rank and file of Democratic voters. He urged in a potent man-ner, conciliation and concession alike on both

sides for the common weal.

After the close of his speech, which was well received, Mr. D. S. Henkle offered the following resolutions which were unanimousiy adopted and fully explain them-

mously adopted and Illily expisin them—selves:

THE RESOLUTIONS.

WHEREAS, This meeting was called solely for the purpose of inaugurating a movement whereby there might be conveyed to the executive committees of the two wings of the Democratic party in this State, the sincere wish of a large majorily of the Democratic party of Virginia, as we believe, that the present unfortionate and disastrous difficulty in regard to the Hancock and English electoral tickets, should be amicably and honorably settled, in such way as that the vote of Virginia might be secured beyond peradventure, for the democratic nominees for president and vice-president of the United States. And WHEREAS, It is not and has not been the purpose of this meeting to antagonize these committees in any efforts which they may propose to make in behalf of such settlement; and
WHEREAS, This meeting has authoritative information that certain propositions looking to such a settlement as well guarantee a single Hancock Electoral ticket in this State, are now pending and are soon to be acted upon by these Committees. Therefore be it

rat toket in this State, are now pending and are soon to be acted upon by these Committees. Therefore be it Resolved, That this meeting is highly gratified and pleased that the wisdom and patriotism of these committees have dictated such a course, and that we heartily endorse and sympathize with their action, and cheerfully pledge ourselves to abide by and suppert any settlement, which, in their devotion to the great principles of Democracy, they in their representative capacity may arrive at.

Resolved, Further, that we congratulate not only the Democracy of Virginia, but of the whole United States, that featly of party which has always characterized the Democrate of Virginia, seems now once more to override all local and State issues, and to maintain and support the great principles underlying the party organization; and in the enthusiasm awaisneed by the nomination of so illustrious a standard-bearer as Winfield S. Hancock, have resolved to hold in abeyance all differences as to the State policy, and come up to his support in solid column.

Resolved, Further, that without considering the means by which it was hoped to effect so desirable an end as the unification of the Democrate of this State, and trusting that the devotion to principle and party which has prompted these committees to the initiatory steps to an amicable settlement will enable them to readily make it, this meeting adjourns with the request and understanding that it be reconvened by the chairman only in the event that the contemplated action of these committees should fail to result in harmonising the two wings of the Democratic party, so as to retain but one Democratic electoral ticket in the field.

Capt. Sibert in seconding the resolutions offered by Mr. D. S. Hinkel, was more than happy in his remarks. They were full of feeling, honorable—worthy of any son of Virginia, past or present.

Geo. W. Burke, Esq., also made some remarks in favor of the resolutions council-

marks in favor of the resolutions counciling peace and harmony in the ranks of the Virginia Democracy. In his opinion, this only could save the State from the disgrace of casting her vote in opposition to the wishes of a majority of her people.

REQUEST TO COPY.
On motion of Capt. W. H. Rice, it was re solved that, the conservative papers of the State be requested to publish the resolutions, expressive of the action of the meet

As will be seen from the resolutions adopted, the purport and object of this meeting was somewhat modified, so as to await the action of the executive commitees, which are to meet in Richmond sometime next week. This meeting was quite orderly and well

conducted, reflecting great credit upon the inaugurators of the movement. solution of thanks was passed, complimenting Mr. Broaddus for the able and impartial manner in which he conducted the meeting, and also to the Lee Cornet Band for most excellent music rendered.

[From the Richmond Conservative-Democrat.] HOW THE SEVENTH-OF-JULYERS VO-

A correspondent writing from Wytheville, asks: "Can you inform me how the Seventh-of-July candidates and aspirants for Congress voted in the last Assembly, when Conservatives and Radicals were placed in nomination for office."

Of course our correspondent means the last session of the present Assem-

The only difficulty arises from this fact, no human being knows how many aspirants for Congress were contained within the limits of the last Assembly: and we are naturally indisposed to do injustice to any. The fact that of the eight Seventh-of-July candidates now in the field for Congress five were members of the Legislature indicates a vast amount of aspiration in that line. These five are: B. W. Lacy, of New Kent; John T. Stovall, of Henry;

James A. Frazier, of Rockbridge; John Paul, of Rockingham, and Abram Fulkerson, of Washington; and we may say, in a general way, that whenever they or either of them had s chance to vote for a Radical and against a Conservative they availed themselves of that privilege, and helped the Republican. What made the matter worse was that the Radical was usually put in by turning a good Conservative out.

Now for particulars :-The first Radical judge voted for in the last session was the somewhat notorious Bob Mays,-an excellent Conservative and sound lawyer, W. B. Simmons being his opponent. For the Radical judge, and against the Conservative, every one of these candidates for Congress voted-Frazier, Lacy, Fulkerson, Paul and Stovall.

The same day the Radical James M. Gregory opposed that staunch Conservative and honored son of Chesterfield, William I. Clopton, the heir and worthy wearer of an illustrious name. And here again Frazier, Lacy, Fulkerson, Paul and Stovall unanimously voted for the Radical.

The next Rad. was Tom Claiborne. of Franklin, whose election was postponed, as our readers remember, because Tom was publicly accused not only of gambling but of cheating at cards, by means of the frolicksome and insinuating lizzard.

No trifles of this character were allowed to interfere with the fortunes of | the band started up a lively tune. The this sample Republican, and Frazier, Lacy, Fulkerson, Paul and Stovall again sustained the Rad, and turned the Conservative aspirant from the doors of the Assemby.

The next was Lemuel C. Bristow, of Middlesex, a Radical, opposed by Thomas J. Christian, a good Conservative. And again Lacy, Fulkerson, Paul and Stovall stood by the Radical and turned their backs on the Conservative.

Not only in the judicial office did these worthies manifest their spite against Conservatives, and this for no prime but Conservatism, for many of these gentlemen had taken no part in the debt controversy; but as we know, with a spirit of proscription without example in the history of any free country, they swept from every public position, down to the door-keepers, all who were guilty of the unpardonable offence of differing from them by a quarter of a cent as to the interest due on the public debt.

ble public officer, Gen. Asa Rogers, Riddleberger replied, "Very well; we whose life, spent in the face of his people for the allotted term of man, had been one long record of faithful and upright service, was turned out of office to make way for a notorious and prominent Radical, Horace W. Dyson: and for the Radical, Dyson, and against the veteran Conservative, Asa Rogers, every one of these worthies voted-Frazier, Lacy and Fulkerson and Paul

and Stovall. On the first day of the session a gallant Confederate soldier, who had followed the fortunes of Stonewall Jackson, and suffered the loss of a leg in the service of his country-a man whom successive Assemblies had re-elected to that post, and who would have held it

to his death, had Conservatives governed Virginia, was thrust out of his place, and a paralytic negro, whose only qualification was that he was a Radical leader in the city of Norfolk, was nominated by James A. Frazier to fill it; and the only other Seventh-of July candidate for Congress in the House. B. W. Lacy, voted for the black Radi cal, and sent the gallant cripple from Montgomery to earn his bread as a

cripple may. Nor were the Senatorial gentry behind their House brothers. There also a Radical negro, J. H. Hill, contested the place of door-keeper with Geo. W. Minter, as true a Conservative as lives, and Fulkerson and Paul and

Stovall all voted for the Radical. And as the candidates were, so were the aspirants. Elliott and Riddleberger went-in the language of the Fredericksburg Recorder as it swallowed Critcher—the whole hog without a wry

face. These are matters of record which should be remembered and repeated wherever the claims of these Seventhof-Julyers for Congress are presented and considered.

MEETING OF THE HANCOCK AND ENG LISH CLUBS OF THE COUNTY .- In consequence of a misapprehension as to the day of meeting of the county clubs, there was not a very full attendance on Saturday. The clubs represented, however, submitted their reports, which showed a large increase in their membership, and were in every respect highly favorable. The county clubs are working on the right principle, and by the day of election it will be an easy matter to estimate the vote that will be cast and for whom it will go. So far as we are now informed, Allen's majority over Paul will be overwhelm ing, and will coutinue to increase until the day of election .- Staunton Spectator

WORTHLESS STUFF .- Not so fast my friend; if you could see the strong, healthy, blooming men, women and children that have been raised from beds of sickness, suffering and almost death, by the use of Hop Bitters, you would say "Glorious and invaluable remedy." See other column. -Philadelphia Press.

From the Shenandoah Herald, September 15th. THE MEETING ON MONDAY NIGHT.

A LIVELY AND EXCITING SCENE BETWEEN COLONEL O'FERRALL AND CAPTAIN RID-

As previously announced a meeting to which the ladies were invited was held at the court-house on Monday night. Mayor Rodeffer introduced to the audience Col. Ellis, of Louisiana. He delivered a beautiful address to the ladies. It would be impossible to present its beauties by attempting to give its substance. His closing remarks to the men to stand true to the Democratic party were eloquent and forcible. Col. Ellis closed his speech rather hurriedly on account of a dispatch calling him to another point on important business. Col. C. T. O'Ferrall was next introduced. He spent no time in honeyed words to the ladies, but at once made a vigorous exposure of the shall low pretences of the third, or Mahone, ticket party. He gave an account of the personel of the 7th-of-July conven-tion composed in part of 64 Republicans, of whom forty were negroes.

He gave a biography of Robert Norton, the negro member of the Mahone executive committee. While pouring hot shot into the columns of the Ma hone party, he was interrupted by Capt. Riddleberger who denied that Bob Norton had introduced the bill repealing the law prohibiting the intermarriage of blacks and whites, and added; "The nearest he ever came to voting with the readjusters was when he voted for a bill introduced by you to repudiate the state debt of Virginia." Col. O'Ferrall replied: "If you say I ever introduced a bill or voted for one to repudiate the state debt of Virginia, you are a liar."

With this Capt. Riddleberger, fol-

lowed by a number of others, rushed for the platform on which Col. O'Ferrail was standing. The Col. seized s pitcher and awaited the onset. A number of parties rushed forward and in a few minutes it was evident that there would be no serious difficulty. The ladies, of whom there was a large crowd in the building, generally held their places "manfully," and seemed to regard themselves as special conservators of the peace. The parties all seemed desirous of talking and for awhile the ladies sat in full view of a crowd of several dozen, all expressing their views and endeavoring to restore order, when soothing effects of music added to the influence of the ladies soon restored order, and Col. O'Ferrall, on resuming his speech, remarked: "If I have misunderstood the gentleman, I withdraw my ramark; but if I did not and as matters now stand, I repeat it." Capt. Riddleberger replied, "That gives me the right to reply," to which Colonel O'Ferrall remarked: "You cannot speak from this stand while I occupy it tonight, unless you are a better man than I am. I don't want you to interfere with this meeting. It is a personal matter between you and myself which can be settled elsewhere at any time." Capt. Riddleberger remarked: "Let the ladies retire and we can settle it here." Col. O'Ferrall replied: "Very well; let them retire. If you wish to make an explanation, I will give way to you, but do not propose to let you make a speech." In reply to a remark of Capt. Riddleberger, the purport of which we are not certain, and therefore omit, Col. O'Ferrall continued:-Thus that venerable and incorrupti- "Then you can't talk," to which Capt. will settle it when you come out of the court-house."

Col. O'Ferrall resumed his speech and finished his sketches of the personel of the Mahone committee. Gov. Vance made a short speech,

after which Mayor Rodeffer announced that the meeting was adjourned. On Tuesday morning the following correspondence took place between Capt. Riddleberger and Col. O'Ferrall. All parties regret the difficulty, and are glad that no serious result follow-

WOODSTOCK, V. S., C. C. T. O'FERRALL:
Sin:—I did wrong to interrupt you last night and desire to make the acknowledgement.
Respectfully, &c.,
H. H. RIDDLEBERGER. WOODSTOCK, VA., Sept. 14, 1880.

Woodstock, Va., Sept. 14, 1880.
Sir:—Your note of acknowledgement of this date is secived and is satisfactory. Respectfully, &c.,
Chas, T. O'FERRALL.
Capt. H. H. RIDDLEBERGER, Woodstock, Va.

THE LEONARD SCOTT PUPLISHING COMPANY, No. 41 Barclay St., New York, have just republished Black wood's Magazine for September. The two serials, "Dr. Wortle's School" and "Bush Life in Queensland," which have been running through several numbers, are continued. Besides these there are several short articles and sketches of the kind for which this periodical has long been distinguished. Such are "The Bayard of the East," which gives an outline of the career of Sir James Outram, a distin guished officer of the Indian army, whose achievements won from his contemporaries the above title and "A Week in Athens," a very interesting description of the remains of the ancient city, ending with a strong recommendation to travelers to go at any time to Athens. Under the head of "New Novels" a goodly number of recent publications of that description are passed in review, with brief accounts of the plots, and sundry extracts illustrative of style. The reviewer prenounces the trade of novelist "the most inex-

haustible, the most indispensable of arts."

The periodicals reprinted by the Leonard Scott Publishing Co. (41 Barclay St., N. Y.) are as follows: The London Quarterly, Edinburgh, Westminister, and British Quarterly Reviews, and Blackwood's Magazine. Price \$4 a year for one year, or only \$15 for all, and the postage is prepaid by the publishers.

The October Wide Awake opens with a suggestive story for all young girls who haven't much money, it is entitled "The Good Fairy Know How," and written by Mrs. Christine Chaplin Brush. This is followed by Part II. of Mrs. Lucia Chase Boil's amusing story of "The Boy That Was Too Beautiful," "Mrs. Hun gerford's Letter From Lome," with its very original illustrations, will a nuse all the mammas at least. "The Lost Diamona Snuff-Box," by Isabella I. Hopkins with its two excellent pictures, is a capital story; and the boys will enjoy Mr. Stewart's account of "Sam Thompson's Horsemanship." "Behind the Barn," by Mr. Horton, of the N. Y. Tribune, is a spelling book story for the little primaries. As solid and in-structive matter, there is a spirited account of the brave boyhood of Capt. James E. Eads, whose name is connected with the Mississippi Jettics, and a very interesting paper in Mr. Benjamin's "American Artists" series about engraving and the well known engraver, Mr. Anthony, and a picture of him at work. The number has many fine illustrated poems, as usual. "The Conspiracy of the Weather Cocks," has three beautiful illustrations by Robert Lewis. "Our Grandmothers." by Mrs. Clara Doty Bates, has a very quaint pen-and-ink drawing by Miss Hansell. Mr. Louis C. Elson closes the number with a capital exercise song, entitled "The Children's Orchestra." Only \$2 a year, etc., etc.

Mrs. Mary Eleanor Ranson, wife of James M. Ranson, Esq., and mother of Capt. Thos. D. Ranson, of this city, and sister of Mrs. A. H. H. Stuart and the late John B. Baldwin, died at the residence of the family near Charlestown, Jefferson county, W. Va., on Wednesday, the 15th inst. - Siau. don Speciator.

There is no reason to apprehend the loss of Virginia's eleven Presidential votes to the Democracy; for, while the attempt to effect a consolidation of the two electoral tickets has failed, the sit-

(From the Baltimore Gazette, September 21st.)

VIRGINIA.

uation of affairs has changed so materially that the danger may be said to have almost passed away. Let us see first how the matter stands. Several weeks ago the Funder wing of the Virginia Democracy took the first step toward a compromise, the proposed basis of the settlement being a fair and equitable one for both sides to the controversy. The Readjuster leaders, however, held aloof and after a conference rejected the offer, substituting in place of it a proposition that a primary election to decide popularity of the respective tickets should be held, the ticket receiving the largest number of votes to be regarded as the regular Democratic ticket—the other to be withdrawn. This proposition was secepted by the Funder committee, with the proviso that none but qualified Democratic voters should be permitted to vote at the primaries. To this proviso the Readjusters would not agree, claiming that all voters who intended to vote the Democratic ticket should be permitted to participate in the primaries. The Funder representatives very naturally declined to commit themselves to so vague and uncertain a programme, and the attempted compromise fell through. Two Democratic tickets, therefore, remain in the field, and Virginia democrats will now have to decide for themselves which ticket they will vote.

We take it for granted that the Democratic members of the readjuster party earnestly desire the election of Hancock and English. To secure this result it may not be necessary to have the votes of Virginia, but it would be most unwise to deliberately throw them over to the Republican candidates .-That such might be the result if the two Democratic sets of electors polled a nearly equal number of votes, must be evident at the first glance. It is of supreme importance, therefore, that one of the two Democratic tickets should receive a much larger number of votes than the other. Now, which shall it be? This is the question which every Virginia Democrat should ask himself, laying aside for the moment his local opinions and sympathies. -The answer is not far to seek. Undoubtedly the Funder or regular wing of the Democratic party have the better title to popular confidence and support so far as national politics are conserned. From the outset their leaders have exhibited a spirit of conciliation and a willingness to make any sacrifices which did not involve the surrender of their principles. How have they been met by the Readjuster leaders? With contumely and derision. Not only have General Mahone and his associates rejected every possible scheme of compromise, but they have jeeringly demanded that the regular Democratic organization of Virginia shall cease to

exist. That they are supported in the position which they have thus assumed by the Democratic rank and file of their party we do not for one moment believe. On the contrary, we are satisfied that the great body of Readjusters were keenly disappointed by the failure of the proposed compromise. The question which now presents itself to them is whether they will consent to be the instruments of Gen. hone's selfish ambition and the accomplices in his desperate game of "rule or rain." The indications are that they will repudiate the ticket which their leaders have decided to keep in the field. In so doing they will not cease to be Readjusters; for, as we have repeatedly urged, the Presidential canvas has nothing whatever to do with the debt paying issue. That a sufficient number of Readjuster Democrats will vote the regular Democratic ticket in November to secure it a decisive majority we regard as not only probable but about as certain as anything can be in politics. For, every vote cast for the Readjuster ticket will be a vote cast for the Republican nominces, and this simple fact cannot fail to exert a powerful influence with every Virginian who was a Democrat

The War with the Moonshipers in Floyd County, Va.

before he became a Readjuster.

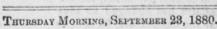
Washington, Sept. 20 .- In transmitting his report to the internal revenue bureau in regard to the recent attack on a revenue posse near Floyd Court House, Va., Collector Rives asked that carbines and men be furnished him to carry out the war against the illicit distillers in that section. He said that they were a lawless and determined class, but he believed that with a wellarmed force of men they could be broken up. Commissioner Raum has considered this report, and will farnish Collector Rives as many guns as shall be necessary, and give him authority to employ men sufficient to carry out his plans.

Gen. Benj. Butler has this kindly greeting from the Little Rock (Ark.) Gazette: "Let the old man have a chance. He is now approaching the evening of his life, and on his head and among his remaining gray hairs the falling twilight plays. Let it play. Away back behind him, in the political west, there is a red murky spot, where his old sun went down. In front of him rises a democratic moon. Help yourself, old man. Take just as much of the 'cake' as you can get, and it is reasonable to suppose that you can get your share."

Meeting of the National Convention. Is looked to with a great deal of interest by the people generally, not only of Rocking-ham but by all classes throughout the State. But we would here say that the importance of its assembling is nothing in comparison with the importance to each individual of good health. This can be secured by using SMITH & SHAKMAN'S Stomach Bitters, which are the best in the world for dynamic loss. are the best in the world for dyspepsia, loss

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THE FARM AND HOME.

ONE CAUSE OF POOR BUTTER .- In giving some directions as to the treatment of milk and ere m for churning, Mr. T. D. Curtis, of Utier, N. Y., says:

Haif the butter in the country-and I do not know but a larger proportion -is spoiled by letting the milk stand too long before skimming, and the product is still further injured by letting the cream stand still longer before churning. Milk should be skimmed, when set in a room kept at the tem perature of 60 deg., as it begins to thicken on the bottom of the pan. If it stands longer there is loss in quality without any com; ensating loss in quantity. The cream should be churued at once. The longer it stands the greater will be the loss of aroma from decomposition and evaporation of the volatile flavoring oils. Only the slightest acidity, if any, should be permitted in the cream before it is churned. Yet it is a common thing for people to let the milk lopper before it is skimmed, and to allow the cream to stand until quite sour before churning. Nothing but bad flavored and rapidly-decaying butter can be made of such cream. Yet I have seen cream standing with mould on it, and scrum filling the mould on it, and scrum filling the cracks of the creamery. Is it any wonder that there is so much poor butter in the market?

ROADSIDE CARE.—There is another place from which farmers should exterminate the weeds, and this is the roadside, says Mr. Hyde in the N. Y. We care not how nicely a farmer cultivates his fields, we call him a sloven if he neglects the roadsid, and thistles, mulhons, golden rod, or any other weed. How is he to prevent his farm from being stocked with all man ner of wild stuff if he permits the roadside to be a nursery for its propogation. Does he not know that seeds make for themselves wings and fly away? If he has not æsthetic culture en nugh to consider roadside weeds a deformity to his premises, self-interest and a due regard to his neighbor's rights should induce him to allow no weeds to seed on land over which he has juris-

HARNESS SOAP .- There can be no soap made that will clean, oil, blacker, softer, and make pliable and waterproof a barness. This is too much to expect of any soar, soft or hard. A good harness dressing may be made of neatsfoot oi', bees-wax, and lamy-black mixed in such proportions as to make a hands after it is applied to the harness. To clean a harness it should be washed first with warm water and castle soal, and then rubbed dry as possible, and while it is still damp the above mentioned dressing should be rubbed on, and rubbed in thoroughly with a woolen rag until the harness shiner, and does not blacken the hand .- N. Y.

EXPERIMENT.—An old turkey raiser give the following experiment: - Four turkeys were fed on meal, boiled potatoes and oats. Four others of the same brood were also, at the same time, confined in another pen, and fed daily on the same article, but with one pint very finely pulverized charcoal mixed with their food-mixed meal and boiled potatoes. They had also a plentiful supply of charcoal in their pen. The eight were killed on the same day, and there was a difference of one and a half pounds each in favor of the fowls which bad been supplied with charcoal, they being much the fattest, and the meat being greatly superior in the point of tenderness and flavor.

Unfailing Yeast -Boil 2 ounces best hops, in 4 quarts water, for half an hour; strain it and let it cool down to new milk warmth; then put in a quarter pound salt, half pound moist sugar, stir up 1 pound of fine flour with some of the liquor and mix all together. This should be done on Monday. On Wednesday add 3 pounds of potatoes boiled and mashed. let it stand till Thursday, then strain and boil it for use; but do not cork it until it is done working. It must be stirred frequently while making and kept near the fire. Shake well before using. It will keep two months in a cool place.

FOE PICKLING CUCUMBERS. - Gather every day. Place in some weak brine over night. In the morning put in a porcelain kettle, with a smalll bit of alum. Cover with good cider vinegar. Let them stand on the stove long enough to get heated through. Put in stone or glass jars and seal tightly while hot. Put up in this way they are as good and fresh as when gathered from the vines. I have used this receipe for years, and never failed once. Try it.

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BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD

TIME TABLE OF HARPER'S FERRY AND VAL-LEY BRANCH BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD, TO TAKE EFFECT SUNDAY, MAY 23RD, 1880 SUPERSEDING ALL PREVIOUS SCHEDULES: WEST BOUND.

610 640 636 649 618 638 Martinsburg 6:45 6:25 12:30 5:24 ** Harry'r's F'y 11:00 7:15 1:30 6:00 8:05 3:15 P.M. A've.

** Winchester 12:16 11:00 4:10 8:54 9:20 6:02 **

** Middletown 12:46 12:00 5:23 9:38 A've.

** Straeburg 1:05 12:45 6:00 10:11 6:28 8:10 P.M. Arrive Staunton... 4:50 6:45 2:00 10:00 10:00

No. 638 runs Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays only. No. 642 runs Sundays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays only. No. 640 runs Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays only. All other trains daily, except Sunday.

No. 610 connects at Strasburg with trains from and to Alexandria. No 610 dines at Mt. Jackson.

EAST BOUND.

Ferry Ac... 615 637 605 633 631 A-M. P.M. A_bM. 11:00 3:15 12:00 5:10 8:25 P. M. 1:25 7:01 10:46 Leave Staunton......
" Harrisonburg.... " Mt. Jackson.....

No. 881 runs Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Only No. 683 runs daily. All other trains daily, except Sunday. No. 605 connects at Strasburg with trains from and to Alexandria. No. 605 dines at Mt. Jackson.

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AUGUST 29d, 1890. CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAILWAY Passenger Trains Ruk and Connect as Follows:

y , 6	WESTWARD.	No. 1 No. 3 Ex-
,	Leave Richmond Due Gordonsville ' Charlottesvile	8 00 a m 10 45 p m 11 10 a m 2 15 a m 12 10 p m 3 15 a m
	" Staunton." " Williamson's " White Sulphur " Hinton " Charleston " Huntington " Portsmonth (3t'r) " Maysville " " Cincinnati "	5 30 p m 7 45 a m 7 25 p m 9 45 a m 11 23 p m 11 37 a m 5 55 a m 4 31 p m 9 00 a m 7 00 p m

No. 1 MaIL Leaves Richmond daily, except Sunday, for Huntington connects closely at Gordonsvillé for Lynchburg.

Virginia Midland Mail from Whashington conhect & closely at Gordonsville with No. 1 for Huntington, with chair car from Washington to White Sulphur.

No. 3 EXPRESS runs daily to Huntington. Connects at Huntington, with stemers for Portsmouth, Maysville and Cincinnati. Connects closely at Gordonsville for Lynchburg.

Virginia Midland Express from Washington connects closely at Gordonsville with No. 3 for Cincinnati, with Pullman Sleeper from Philadelphia to White Sulphur.

Virginia Midland Express from Danville and Lynchburg connects closely at Charlottesville with No. 3 for Cincinnati.

No. 5 ACCOM. Leaves Richmond daily, except Sunday, at 3.30 p. m., and arrives at Gordonsville at 7.15 p. m. On Saturdays only, will run to Staunton, arriving at 10:15 p. m.

No 21 MIXED Leaves Charlottesville daily, except Sunday, at 4.20 p. m., on arrival of Virginia Midland Mail from Danville and Lynchburg, and arrives at Williamson's at 1.15 a. m.

SLEEPING CARS on No. 3 from Richmond to White Sulphur. Oh No. 1 from White Sulphur to Huntington. No. 1 No. 4 Ex-

EASTWARD. MAIL. PRESS.

No. 4 EXPRESS, C. B. S. & P. P. Steamer, leaves RO. 2 EAPACES, U.B. S. & P. P. Steamer, leaves Cincinnait at 4 00 p. m., daily, and is due at Hunting-ton to connect with No. 4 Express which runs daily to Hichmond. Connects closely at Charlottesville for Lynchburg and Danville. Connects closely at Gor-donsville for Washington, with Pullman Sleeper from White Sulphur to Philadelphia.

No. 6 ACCOM. Leaves Gordonsville daily, except Sunday, at 5.25 a. m., and arrives at Richmond at 9 00 a. m. On Mondays only, will run from Stauntom leaving at 2:55 a. m. No. 22 MIXED leaves Staunton daily, except Sunday, at 540 a.m. Connects at Charlottesville with V. M. Mail for Lynchburg and Danville, and is connected with at Chorlottesville by Virginia Midland Mail from Washington, and arrives at Richmond at 5.00 P. M.

SLEEPING CARS on No. 2 from Huntington to White Sulphur. On No. 4 from White Sulphur & Richmond.

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