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The hour of twilight rings forth the knell, Chauts a gloomy lay.
'Tis so with life, it fleeteth by,

Unconsciously to man; Each quick n'd breath is but a sigh, Closing the earthly span. And with the day, a week has died,

And gone forever more,
Adown the fierce, relentless tide,
To dark oblivion's shore
Thus 'tis with human hopes and plans, They, too, soon pass away
And leave the soul in gloomy bands,
That hold a giant sway.

With day and week, a month has passed

Where beacons never beam.
Thus 'tis with joys we foully love,
They vanish like a breath,
Our only love is found above: Below, all ends in death

Days, weeks, and months, and fleeting year Sink to one common tomb. And not a sigh or parting tear
Can break the midnight gloom. Can break the midright gloom.
E'en so with all of human kind,
From babe to buoyant youth,
And hoary head, they all must find
A common sleep in death.

Then as with Time we pass adown Then as with Time we pass adown
The highway of the tomb,
May virtue wear a shining crown,
To rob it of its gloom
And when the grave of Time is inade,
And God the Son shall come,
May we 'n robes of white arrayed,
Be welcome to our home.

THORVALDSEN'S FIRST LOVE.

Some fifty years ago, a young woman of prepossessing appearance was seated in a small back room of a bouse in Copenhagen, weeping bitterly. In her lap lay a few trip. kets and other small articles, evidently keepsakes, which she had received from time to time. She took up one after the other, and turned them over, but she could scarcely distinguish them through her blinding tears .-Then she buried her face in her hands and rocked to and fro in her ageny.

"On!" moaned she, "and is it come to this! All my dreams of happiness are vanishedall my hopes are dead! He will even go with out bidding me fa ewell. Ab, Himlen! that I have lived to see this bitter day! Love vare God!"

At this moment a hasty tap at the docr was followed by the entrance of the object of her grief. He was a young man ab ut twenty five years of age, his person under sized and strongly built, his features massive, reg. plar and attractive-his long hair flaxen, his eyes blue. This was Ber el Thorvaldsen-a name which has since been sounded throughout the world as that of the most Illustrious sculptor of modern times. His step was firm and quick, his eye bright, and his features plowing as he entered the room: but when he beheld the attitude of the weeping female, a shade passed over his countenance as he gently murmured, "Amelial"

The young Dane drew a chair to her side. and silently took her tear-bedewed hands-"Amelial" said he, after a pause broken only by her quivering sobs, "I am come to bid thee farewell; I go in the morning."

She ceased weeping, raised her face and released her hands, pushed back her disheveled hair. Then she whiped her eyes, and gazed on him in a way that made his own droop. Bertel, why did you win my young heart?-why did you lead me to hope that I should become the wife of your bosom?'

'I-I always meant it: I mean it now.' She shook her head mournfully and taking up ber trinkets, continued: 'Do you remem. ber what you said when you gave me thisand this-and this?'

'What would you have, Amelia? I said I ove you; I love you still-but-But you love ambition, fame, the praise of nen far better!' added she, bitterly.

Thorvaldsen started, for he felt actually the truth of her words. 'Yes you will leave gamle Denmark-you will leave your poor fond old father and mother, whose only hope and only earthly joy is in you-you will leave me, and all who love the sound of your footsteps, and go to

the distant land and forget us all!" 'Min Pige! you are cruel and unjust. I shall come back to my old father and mother-come back to thee, and we shall be hap-

'Never, Bertel!-never! When once you have gone there is no happiness for us. In heaven we may all meet again; on earth never! Oh no, never will you see in this life either your parents, or your poor, broken hearted Amelial' and again her sobs burst

Thorvaldsen abruptly rose from his seat and paced the room in agitation. He was much distressed, and once or twice he glanc ed at Amelia with evident hesitation. His past life, the pleasure of his youth, the endeared friends and scenes of his childhood, the affection of Amelia, the anguish of his parents at the approaching separation, all vividly passed in review, and whispered him to stay and be happy in the city of his birth But a vision of Rome rose also and beckuned him thither to carn renown, wealth, and immortality. The pride of conscious genius swelle i his soul and he felt that the die was cast forever.

He reseated himself by the side of Amelia. and once more took her hand. See looked up, and in one glance read his inmost thoughts. 'Go,' said she, f'go and fulfil your destiny -God's will be done! You will become a great man-you will become the companion of princes and kings, and your name will extend the fame of your country to the uttermest parts of the earth. I see it all; and let my selfish love perish. Only promise this; when you are hereafter in full blaze of your triumph, sometimes turn aside from the highborn, lovely dames who are thronging | ried should cease to be pensive and get | oil can be extracted excellent for greasaround, and drop one tear to the memory of | expensive?

herself. Bertel, fare well!'

The next day Thorvaldsen quitted Copenhagen for Rome, where he resided nearly the whole remainder of his long life, and more than realized his own wild aspirations for fame. But the prophesy of poor Amelia was literally fulfilled-he never more beheld his parents, nor her his first true love!

Nearly half a century had elapsed, and again the scence was Copenhagen. The streets were densely crowded with eager, sorrowing spectators, and every window of every house was filled with sadly expectant faces. At length a cry, 'Thep come!' was echoed from group to group, and the crowds swaved to and fro under the sympathetic swell of common emotion.

A withered old woman was seated at the upper window of a house When the cry was taken up, she raised her wrinkled countenance and passed her hands over her eyes, as if to clear away the mist of more than seventy winters. An immense procession drew nigh. Appropriate military music preceded the corpse being conveyed to its last earthly place. The king of the land, the royal family, the nobility, the clergy, the learned the brave, the gifted, the renowned, wa ked after it. The banners of mourning were waved the trumpets wailed, and ten thousand sobs broke alike from stern and gentle breasts, and tears from the eyes of warriors as well : s lovely women showered like rain. It was the funeral of Bertel Thorvaldsen, with the Danish nation for mourners! And she, the old woman who gazed at it as it slowly wound by-she was Amelia, his first leve! Thorvaldsen had never married, neither had

'Ah, Himlen!' murmured the old woman. wiping away tears from a source which for many long years had been dry, how marvelous is the will of God! To think that I should live to behold this sight! Poor, poor Bertel! All that I predicted came to pass; but ah me! who knows whether you might not have enjoyed a happier life after all had you stayed with your old father and mother, and married me. Ah, Himlen, there's only One can tell! Poor Bertel!

Four years more sped and on one fine Sabbath morning an aged and decrepid female painfully dragged her weary limbs through the crowded rooms of that wondrous build. ing known as Thorvaldsen's Museum. She paused not to glance at the matchless works of the sculptor, but crept to an open doorway leading into the inner quadrangle, in the centre of which a low tomb of grey mar. bl. encloses the mortal remains of him whose hand created the works which fill the edifice. Step by step she drew close to the tomb, and sank on the pavement by its side. Then she laid down her crutch, and pressed her bony hands tightly over her skinny brow. 'Ja, jal' murmured she; 'they told me he lay here and I prayed to God to grant me strength to was sufficient to absorb it all, which is. crawl to the spot-and he has heard me .-Ab, Himlen, I can die happy nowl'

Poor Bertel, we shall meet again-in Heav-

Her eyes closed and her hands slowly sank on her breast, in which attitude she remained until one of the officers of the Museum, who had noticed her singular behavior, came up. Gammel Kone (old wife) said he, what are

She answered not; and he slightly touched her shoulder, thinking she was asleep. Her body gently slid to the ground at the touch. and he then saw that she slept the sleep of death !

A DUTCHMAN'S TRICK -While a Dutchman was passing through a city in Vermont, a Yankee came up to him and

Shon agreed Yank then placed his hand against a fence, and told him to strike it as hard as he could. Shon, not thinking that any harm could befall him by doing so, struck a blacksmith's blow. but instead of hitting Yank's hand, the latter jerking it away, poor John struck

"Mein Gott in Himmel!" cried John "what makes you so foolish? I knocked my hand off clean up to the elbow! O! socker blitz! my poor frau, what will she

Poor Shon was bound to have revenge; so one day, as he was passing through a field, he espied a man. Going up to him he said:

"Mynheer, I show you a little joke for nodding." As there was no fence or tree near.

Shon put his hand against his mouth, and said : "Strike yust as hard as you can." Mynheer struck and John pulled away

commenced dancing with pain. "Sherusalem! A thousand tuyfels take this country I goes back to Hollaud on the first train."

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affectionate wife and tender mother. MARCH The man born in this month will be rather handsome: he will be honest and prudent, but will die poor The lady will be a passionate chatterbox, somewhat

The man who has the misfortune to be born in this month will be subject to maladies. He will travel to his advantage, for he will marry a rich, handsome heiress, who will make-what no doubt you all understand. The lady will be tall and stout, with little mouth, little feet, little wit, but a great talker, and wi hal a great liar. To live ognilles alt

The man born in this month will be handsome and amiable. He will make

his wife happy. The lady will be equally blest in every respect. eds pained JUNE. Bue toitest to

The man will be fair; he will suffer death for the wicked woman he loves .--The female of this month will be passably handsome, with a tharp nose and suiky temper.

AUGUST.

The man will be ambitious and coura-

He that is born in this month will be wise, strong and prudent; but too easy with his wife, who will cause him much

The man will have a handsome face and a florid complexion; he will be wicked in his youth, and always inconstant. He will promise one thing and do another, and remain poor. The lady will be pretty, a little given ta contradiction, a little coquettish and someting too fond of wine-she will give the preference to eau de vie. She will have three husbands who will die of grief; and she will best know why. ... became delat

DECEMBER. belusquirger The man born in this month will be a good sort of a p rson, though passion. ate. He will devote himself to the army, and be betrayed by his wife. The lady will be amiable and handsome, with a good voice and well proportioned body; she will be married twize, remain poor,

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you doing?'

"Shon, if you will treat me to a cigar I will show you a trick."

the fence board, knocking it off.

his hand and received the blow on his mouth and was knocked down. Shop jumped up, his mouth bleeding, and

and then slaking with this three bushels of lime hot from the kiln. This is all the lime that can be used by this method

to slake the lime. The most valuable lime for agricultural purposes is shell jime, or that made from the burning ovster or clam shells. Another method re commended by C. W. Johnson is, to mix one bushel of salt with two cf lime, dry, under cover and allow it gradually to decompose and unite the chlorine of the salt with the lime It may be turned occasionally for two or three months, by which time it will be well united togeth. er. And whatever way is taken to form

ion may be well formed. The chemical changes that take place are: the chlorine of the salt unites with the ime and forms a coarse chloride of lime; the soda of the salt is mostly set free, and probably slowly attracts carbo nic acid from the air, and forms carbonate of soda. This mixture has a remarkable decomposing power, and if you mix three or four bushels of it with a cord of swamp muck, leaves, or any other vegetable matter, it will soon be reduced to a pow-

It is most excellent to mix with coarse

manure and decomposing it and render-

ing it fine' After the sour muck from

the mixture, is should not be used imme-

diately, but should remain incorporated

at least six weeks, that the chemical un-

wet places is decomposed by the salt and lime, it is then in ripe condition to be composted with barn-yard manure, and the compost becomes as valuable as barn-yard manure alone. Almost every farm has a supply of muck, which might be turned into valu. able manure. Hog manure has been greatly benefitted by mixing with the salt and lime-correcting its rank charac-

ter and fitting it for garden use : but it

is probably better that the salt and lime should first be composted with muck and then applied to the hog manure. We stated in our first article on man. ures that salt and lime composted with barn yard manure would preserve the ammonia. This has been considered by geous, but too apt to cheat. He will carbonate of soda would be supposed to her to regret the first. dissipate the ammonia unless the chlorine no doubt, generally the case.

This salt and lime mixture alone makes an excellent top-dressing for most crops, at the rate of twenty or thirty bushels per acre. The character of the lime is so much changed by the union of the salt that there is no danger of injury from an excessive quantity, and where land has been over-limed, a top dressing of salt will correct it at once. The decomposing effect upon vegetable matter in the solid is very great. Fifty bushels applied to a turnip field has produced as large a crop as twenty loads of the barnyard manure; which could only be accounted for on the supposition of its decomposing vegetable matter in the soil, and rendering it fit for plant food It is also very destructive of insects, grubs, &c , in the soil. Like salt, this mixture has the power of attracting moisture from the air, and has often been observed to

prevent the effects of drouth. -[Rural New Yorker. Cutting Hay for Cattle.

E. A. Stewart states in the Rural New Yorker that he fed ten head of cattle as follows :- Five were fed on twenty-five pounds of long hay each daily, and the other five on twenty pounds each of cut hay. At the end of the month those fed on the cut hay had gained on the others, although we are not informed how much The experiment was then reversed by changing the animals, when it was found that those on cut had gained on the oth ers. A saving of at least twenty per ct. was thus affected by cutting-equal to ten pounds per day for ten cattle, or five and a half tons for the five foddering months at the North. At ten doilars per ton, this would be thirty five dollars. What would be the cost of cutting the whole fourteen tons for the ten cattle, if done by horse power? Cutting and cooking combined were found to save one third

ABOUT RESTING LAND .- Every good farmer should understand the important fact, too little appreciated by many, that sandy land soon gets tired and needs rest. Spread over it a generous coating of manure, and a green covering of grass, with a sprinkling of clover blossoms, and after a while it will awaken fresh and strong. NEW USE FOR COCKROACHES .- It is

said a society has been formed in Paris for the propagation of useful insects, and the destruction of noxious ones; and it is announced that from cockroaches an ing wagons.

LEGAL NOTICES, the legal fee of \$5. quartee, Haif and Column Advertisements, by a contract. All advertising due in advance.

FRENCH ALMANAC. Washington that the President, in

FEBRUARY. The man born in this month will love money much, but the ladies more a he will be stingy at home but prodigal abroad. The lady will be a humane and

given to fighting, and in old age too fond of the bottle. APRIL.

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The man will be of small stature, passionately fond of women and children, but will not be loved in return. The lady will be a giddy personage, fond of coffee; she will marry at the age of 21, and will be a fool at 45.

most who have used it as practically cor- have several maladies and two wives .rest; but, theoretically, that small por- | The lady will be amiable and twice martion of this mixture which becomes a ried; but the second husband will cause

> uneasiness The lady, round faced, fair haired, discreet, affable, and loved by

> her friends. OCTOBER.

of this month, will be large, liberal, on i full of nove'ty.

NOVEMBER. S Chate and

The man born now will have a fine

face, and be a gay deceiver The lady

but continue honest.

Ten cents a day is thirty-six dollars and fifty cents a year. Young man, think of this when you go to buy a cigar to poison your system

than a cold.

JOHN GATEWOOD. EDITORS.

HARRISONBURG, VA.

Wednesday. - - - February 10, 1869.

MRS. FURRATT'S REMAINS .- We learn from the late despatches from Washington, that the President, in ac cordance with the oft repeated petition of her gaughter, has at length issued an order directing that the remains of Mrs. Surratt be delivered to her family for christian burial Judicially murdered by the officials of the government, as an alleged accomplice in the murder of President Lincoln, it is but proper, to say the least, that she should now be buried in accordance with the danges of the Catholie Church, of which she was a member, hot as a malefactor, but as the victim of passion, hate, and fanatieiem.

THE TENERE-OF-OFEICE BILL .-- In the discussion of the bill now pending in the Senate of the Senate, providing for the modification or repeal of this odious and tyrannical measure, Mr. Morton, of Indiana, said that he was in favor of the total repeal of the law. He said he be lieved it was a mistake in the beginning; and he did not believe that the public service had been in any way benefitted by it, but, on the contrary, he felt satisfied that the law had been used to some extent to put thieves in office, and to throw upon the Senate the odium of keeping them there.

SUFFRACE .-- The bill proposing an smendment to the Constitution to make the suffrage uniform in all the States, so that "no one shall be deprived of the buildt by reason of race, color, or previous condition of servitude," is now being discussed in Congress. It is claimed by the radicals that the States have no right to restrict suffrage. During the discussion, Mr. Warner, of Alabama, said he woman, the purest and the best of God's able to them. creation."

YET WITHIN THIBTY DAYS .- Or Tuesday the 2d inst, the House concurred with the Senate in Senator Wilson's resolution providing for the ejection from office under the provisional governments of the non-reconstructed States, of all incumbents who cannot take the iron-clad oath, excepting those whose disabilities have been removed. It is now before the President, who will veto it. It will them be passed by the body in which it originated by a two-thirds majority, and will thus become a law.

THE SAN DOMINGO ANNEXATION SCHEME. - A Washington despatch says that, notwithstatiding the defeat of this scheme in the House of Representatives, previously, the committee on foreign affairs will again bring forward their proposition for the annexation of San Domingo to the United States. We are informed that the President of the Dominican Republic, Gen. Baez, has assured the State Department that the government and people of San Domingo will accept unconditional annexation to the United States, with the greatest alacrity and sat

HARD ON BUTLER -During the discussion on the bill to transfer the Indian bureau to the War Department, in the House on the 4th instant, Mr. Holbrook, of Idaho, charged Gen. Butler with hav ing made statements relative to it, which he knew "all the time he made them that they were unqualifiedly false." For which indecorus language Mr. Holbrook was brought to the bar of the House and reprimanded, he having refused to retract the offensive words.

FROM UUBA. - The commissioners sent to Cuba by the Spanish Government, or rather the Directory, having failed to come to any understanding with the insurgents, and the Government not being willing to accede to their demands, it is regarded as certain that the war must continue. The revolutionists seem to be inspired with fresh courage Many portions of the Island are being desolated by both parties.

MEXICO .-- The "new movement," in this unfortunate country, to restore Santa Ana to power, from our latest advices. is gaining strength in some departments. For the good of the country, we should like to see him restored, not as the Prisident of a republic, but as Dictator or Emperor. The Mexicans are not fit to sustain à free government, às her past history amply proves.

COUNTING THE ELECTORAL VOTE. A resolution was adopted by the House of Representatives, on the 4th instant, appointing Hon. James F. Wilson, of Lowa, and Hon. J. V. L. Pruyn, of New York, on the part of that budy, tellors to count the electoral vote for President and Vice President of the United States.

THE THRONE OF SPAIN .- In addition to those already named, we observe that Prince Ferdinand is a candidate for the throne of Spain. In the mean time. Queen Isabella has issued a manifesto, denouncing the revolution in Spain and asserting her right to the throne,

TOMFOOLERY IN CONGRESS. - Mr. Blaine, a member of the House of Representives, is in favor of purchasing Ford's Theatre, in the city of Washinge ton, in which President Lincoln was killed, in order that "the place where that great tragedy had been committed" might not be left open as a place of "profane and possibly obscene amusement" It would be a good idea to have the scenes attending the murder painted on one of its walls, and the trial and execution of the accomplices of Booth on the other: so that visitors, when they go tkere, may · look up this picture, and then upon

FROM SAN DOMINGO. -The last adi vices from this unhappy and misgoverned island inform us that Salnave has cartured and dertroyed the towns of Forbee and Salert, and bombarded and captured Aquin . The panic stricken citizens are fleeing to Jamaica for protection.

For the Old Commonwealth. Effects of Radical Misrepresentations of the Southern People.

In passing up the road to your town a

I:w days ago, I found two strangers in

the cars from the State of New York, a

gentleman and his widowed sister, who

had been favored with a free ride on the

Manassas Road in chasequence of being bondholders of the old Manassas R R. Co. Their intention was, as they said, te see the country, and, as I suppose, some of the places in the great Valley. farred as the fields of martial exploits and stirring scenes during the late war; but as they advanced up the Valley they became evidently nervous and inquired if one from the "North" would be safe in moving about up there; and remarked that as there seemed to be a great deal of vacant and unoccupied land on the line of the Railroad, and they supposed in the country ground, they supposed it would be settled as soon as the people at the North considered it safe to come, &c. They expressed their intention to return the next morning, but I encouraged them to remain at Harrisonburg a day or two. where they could take a ride through the adjoining cauntry and examine the lands, &c. - told them as they reached Harrisonburg in the night and left the same night, before day, they could see nothing the option of the parties from whom he was "in favor of giving the suffrage to of interest; their trip would be unprofit-

> But, no, they could not remain a day, and when they passed the Soldiers' Ce metery on the line of the Railroad, there was evidently horror depicted in their counterances, and they seemed to be under the awful apprehension that if they remained in that vicinity a day they would occupy one of the cemeteries before night. As the train approached the depot at Harrisonburg, they inquired for the residence of the Post Master, which by the same means they reached, not to mail letters, however, but to find a "loil" citizen, and get shelter and protection from the "rebels." But the said official, not having the fear of the rebels before his eyes, conducted them to one of the hotels, where they were comfortably and

kindly entertained The whole affair showed conclusively what had been impressed upon their minds about the Southern people by unprincipled radio is at the North. If respectable citizens of the Northern and Eastern States, who desire to emigrate to the South, would just reflect, that, we have among us, in every locality in the South the very offscouring and filth of the human creation, in the shape of men, as office holders and office seekers, and that, as the so called rebels permit them to live, they would see at once how fallacious and utterly false are all such re-

Honest and respectable gentlemen at the North might as well and logically argue, that, "if we Southern people let such villains live as they have among them, we will be perfectly safe in emigrating thither: that, upright and honest men are safe in any community; there rogues and scoundrels of every description are permitted to come and remain unmolested, so far as the citizens, proper, of the country are concerned." But even if the latter named class were expelled from the South, as they ought to be, it would be no evidence that it would be unsafe for respectable, honest citizens to settle among us. Indeed, it is only that class that is effected by such reports, and deterred from coming South to settle: he dishonest and lying adventurers have no fears upon the subject, but go where they please in search of gain, as they know that all their reports against our citizens are falso.

It is the imperitive duty of the press to labor to counteract all these false and slanderous rumors about our fellow citizens, and to encourage the emigration of honest and industrious men from every

The publication of the "Warren Sentinel" has been suspended for several weeks, in order to repair the office, and get some additional material, but we hope soon to get under way again.

JOHN CLARK. Front Royal, Va , Feb. 4, '69.

The Montana Legislature, just adjourned, fixed the capitol at Helena, and the penitentiary at Deer-

Advertising is said to be "the extension of your shop front in the newspapers.'

John Magee, of Western New York, recently died, leaving an es- made to withdraw the troops from tate of \$40,000,000.

"Father Smith." To the Editors of the Richmond Dispatch

Gentemen,-Your issue of to day contains an article from the Shenandouh Herald bearing the above caption. As this man made his appearance at Harrisonburg (a station visited by me monthly from Staunton, I beg leave to state through your columns that he is an int. postor, for whom the Church is in to wise responsible He imposed himself upon the Catholics of the Valley as a priest recently returned from a mission to the Indians in California, and gained their confidence by pretending acquaint. ance with a former highly-esteemed pas-

Learning accidentally of his presence there, I immediately wrote to the lead ing Catholics in Harrisonburg inquiring who he was, and by what authority he was acting, no priest from abread being allowed to perform any function without express authority from the Bishop of the Diocese. On learning of this inquiry, he decamped next morning before daylight, having first written me a letter in Ger. man stating that he was now Father B rahard, a Jesuit, &c., and signing himself "Joseph Shmitt" As the Jesuits do not (like some other Orders in the Church) assume a new name in entering the Order, this incongruity alone was sufficient to convince me that he was a pretender; but, in order to expose him, I wrote at once to the Provincial of the Jesuits, who replied that there was no such man amongst them, and that he was

necessarily an impostor. On visiting Harrisonburg in regular course I found that he had told the most outrageous falsehoods, and had performed, or pretended to perform, official acts not only in the face of existing laws of the Church, but under circumstances held by the Church to be sacrilegious, such as saying mass without vestments. chalice, or altar stone, &c.

On the strength of his supposed character and of his nationality he obtained credit from some German Jews for some articles of clothing, but was pursued by one of them, and the articles recovered; as also was done by some Catholics in the Valley who had given him money.

The Herald wonders why he was permitted to escape Ot course this was at had obtained property under false preterces. No civil remedy could be had for the mere assumption of the clerical character. All that I could do was to write to points in advance of his course down the Valley, and to the Archbishop of Baltimore, in event of his passing into the rural district of Maryland, which I did. Of course the Church is no more responsible for the acts of this man than would be a bank for the acts of a coun terfeiter, or an individual for the fraudu lent use of his name by a sharper.

J AMBLER WEED, Pastor St. Francis's Church. Feb 2, 1869. Staunton, Va.

FOR A CON-SID-E-RATION.—The Norfolk Virginian quotes from a recent debate in Congess, in which the "removal of disabilities" from certain citizens of Virginia, was discussed—those of the applicants who have received the endorsement of the Radical State Committee and avow themselves, "now to be Republicans and advocate the Reconstruction policy of Congress',-and says the mode, and manner, and terms on which they have made these applications, show that they "are ready to desert their principles, dishonor their traditions, and for a specific consideration, adopt that policy which seeks at once to punish and degrade us. They may attain some temporary advantage as the result of this manœavre, but their emoluments will be without honor and their success a bitter cup."

We had some opportunity [on Monday, court day] to confer with the citizens of the county in reference to the political situation, and were glad to find that they, with few exceptions, do not approve of the policy of the "new movement, If we mistake not, Rockbridge would much prefer to vote upon the African constitution proposed for Virginia just as it is, unadulterated and tualloyed. And if any negotiations are to be had, let them come afterwards .- Lexington Gazette.

The Charlestown Spirit of Jefferson, speaking of the nomination of Gov. Boreman, as U. S. Senator from West Virginia, says that "a more proscriptive and intolerant demagogue never gained access to the Senate, save, perhaps, Brownlow, and Boreman's course in West Virginia seems to have been copied from that of Brownlow.'

WASHINGTON, February 4 .- The sub-committee of the reconstruction committee has reported one hundred and fifty names for removal of polit cal disabilities. The list does not include any judges or commonwealth's attorneys.

SENATOR FROM WEST VIRGINIA. Wheeling, West Va., February 3. The contest yesterday in the Legislature for United States senator resulted in the choice of Governor Arthur I. Boreman.

The County Court of Augusta, last week, by order, postponed the vote on the Valley railroad subscription to the 4th Thursday in May, ewing to the present political status.

The Indian war being regarded as over, arrangements are being I the plains.

THE CONSTITUTION .- Two companies of the cadets of Georgetown College, on Monday, had a parade, a call upon the President of the United States, and a dinner at the National Hetel, Upon their arrival at the White House they were received by

PRESIDENT JOHNSON'S VIEWS ON

the President. Capt. Sheridan, of the first company, made a brief speech, which was appropriately responded to by the President. The President said :

"I thank you for this visit and for the kind and courteous address you have presented me. You are all young and intelligent, and starting out to begin the struggle of life At this particular juncture I may be pardoned it I make some remarks, to which I invite your consideration, as being of that character and importance you will sooner or later earn to appreciate. In a short time the care of the constitution and all that concerns the government, its administration and laws will pass into your hands. It must then be incumbent on your part to prepare yourselves seriously for this high and sacred duty, and to do so it is above all thing essential to place your thoughts upon the right basis. As you have deemed it proper to allude to my public career, it will not be amiss if I make some allusion here to the fundamental tenets that I laid down for myself, in yielding a strict adherence to the constitution of my country, and to that constitution I invite your attention on this occa-

"It is important in taking charge of this government that you should draw a marked distinction between its organic and its statute law. Bear ever in mind that it was framed not for the few but the many, and that we acknowledge no superior but one. Instead of having a sovereign in one man, we have sovereignty in all. The people are the masters, and individuals elevated to places of trust and power are but their servants. Let me also impress upon your minds that the constitution, n which more human wisdom is embraced than in any other instrument that was ever framed, recognizing the infirmity of man and drawing experience from the lessons of history, places limitations on the exercise of power--tor one man is not to be trusted. Hence the forethought of the framers in extending protection to the rights of minorities. How deeply important it is to shield this great charter of our liberties from undue encroachment and unprincipled attack must at once strike the mind when it is for a moment considered that the constitution once broken down and trampled upon, the barrier of republican liberty is overthrown and the day of freedom closes in night forever -If the manner prescribed by the instrument itself. No intelligent person supposes it was designed to remain forever unalt rable; but any one can readily perceive that it was made to adapt itself to every condition of the country, subject to the will of the sovereign people, and done in the manner and mode pointed out by itself. Any change wrought in the constitution that does not conform to this rule is fatal to its integrity, and robs the people of protection first and finally destroys their liberties. It I could make a lodgement of the principles of the constitution in your minds, to be taken up and digested hereafter, I feel that I should have done a great deal of good. I think there ought to be a professor in every college of the land to teach its pupils a correct understanding and appreciation of the principles of the constitution, and to hold it next in reverence and importance to the Bible, for it is as much the groundwork of our government as the other is the foundation of our holy religion -Then let it be your study. It represents all the States. It is our political Bible. It is the basis of our political system. Let all of us come up cheerfully to its support, and prejudice and party malice throughout the land will soon subside. Let us lay our differences on one common altar and say the constitution must be preserved though all things else

sink in the dust.' THE STAY LAW. - In General Orders No. 149, issued by General Stoneman December 22, is the fol-

lowing paragraph:
"I. That the stay of executions against personal property, so far only as the same exists under laws now in force, and which by the provisions thereof expires on the said 1st day of January, 1869, shall be and is hereby, extended until the 1st day of July, 1869, and if on or before the said last named day the debtor shall have paid all the interest then due and owing thereon, such execution shall be further stayed until other orders from these or superior headquarters."

There has been a difference of opinion among the lawyers of the State in regard to the interpretation of the above, but we are now able to state by authority that "it is intended by the order to give the debtor until the 1st of July in which to pay 'all the interest then due,' up to which date, July 1st, 1869, all executions against personal proper-ty are stayed for either interest or principal." We are further authorized to state that "those debtors who on the 1st of July shall have failed to pay up all back interest that may be then due, may expect to receive no further extention of time on any portion of either the

principal or interest."-Dispatch. According to the "Ground Hog Sign." we are to have an early spring. Good!

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

FINANCIAL. Gold is declining, and the selling price at the clos in New York on Monday was 185%. Gold-Buying 134; selling 136%. Silver-Buying 127; selling 130. BONDS AND STOCKS. 9. A. & M. G. R. R. st & 2nd HARRISONBURG MARKET. CORRECTED WEEKLY BY SIBERT, LONG & CO. WEDNESDAY MORNING, Feb. 10, 1869. Flour Family,\$10 00

ALEXANDRIA MARKET.

BALTIMORE CATTLE MARKET.

BREF CARTLE:—The offerings at the scales during the week amounted to 6000 head. Erices ranged to-day as ollows:

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Bogus Stonebraker Medicines.

CAUT ON TO MERCHANTS AND THE PUBLIC Bogus medicines and preparations have been sold and put out on commision in many parts of the Valley, by unprincipled parties in this city, purporting to be the genuine STONEBRAKER'S MEDICINES. The public ar? cautioned to carefuly examine and see that the name of H. Stenebraker, is on each bottle and package before purchsing it. The Rat Exterminator, Horse Powders and others, have been largely counterfeited, or imitated and sold as the genuine, and in many cases without the name-Stonebraker -at the head of each bottle, as the original, manufactured by the proprietor. It will be well for merchants and others to be on their guard, and to buy and sell none unless the signature of "H. Sonebrrker, 84 Camden St." is plainly seen on all sold as Stonebraker's Medicines and merchants generally are requested to send to the proprietor and get the genuine, which will be suplied on con mission, or sold for cash at liberal dis H. STONEBRAKER.

84 Camden Street, Baltimore, Md. The Genuine is sold by the following Agents; L H. Ott, Harrisonburg; J. J. Little, McGaheysville, E. Sipe, Spartapolis, Sprikel & Martz, Lacy Springs, W. Milnes & Co. Shenandoah Iron Works, Wm. H. it is to be amended, let it be done in Maphis, Hawkinstown, Stoneburner & Allen, Mt. Jackson, S. P. & C. C Henkel. New Market, Stoneburner & Allen, Edenburg, Zea, Pirkey & Co., Stasburg, B Schmitt, Woodstock, Oct.28-6m.

To Consumptives.

few weeks, by a very simple remedy, after having suffered for several years with a severe lung affection, and that dreadful disease. Consumption-is anxious t make known to his fellow-sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the pre scription used (free of charge), with the directions fo preparing and using the same, which they will find a Sure Cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitas, etc. is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable; and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing

Parties wishing the prescription, will please address, REV. EDWARD A. WILSON, Williamsburg, Kings County. N. Y.

Errors of Youth.

A Gentleman who suffered for years from Nervou Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humani ty, send free to all who need it, the receipt and direc tions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing, in perfect confi JOHN B. OGDEN.

No 42 Cedar Street, New York.

VIRGINIA HARDWARE HOUSE, HARRISONBURG, VA.



T AM receiving a fine assortment of refined ROLLED IRON and STEEL, a fine article of MECHANICS' TOOLS. Coach, Saddlery and Shoe Findings,

also,
ROLL PANS, ASH HODS, both galvanized and sheet iron, and many other articles in the HARDWARE line, which I will be pleased to show any one that will avor me with a oall.

Respectfully, G. W. TABB.

INITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE. Ass't Assesson's Office
5th Division, 6th Distict, Virginia,
Harrisonburg, Feb. 10, 1869. TAX-PAYERS OF ROCKINGHAM CO.,

TAKE NOTICET All persons of lawful age [21 years] in Rockingham county, are required to make and render to the Assistant Assessor, previous to the first day of March next, an accurate fist or return of the amount of Income, gains and profits, turn of the amount of Income, gains and profits, from all sources whatsoever; also, Carriages, Gold Watches, Plate, &c., and all persons acting in a fiduciary capacity are required to make return for those whom they represent.

All persons doing busisess requiring a special license Tax are also required to come forward and register for taxation.

A failure to comply with the law subjects the party failing to the penalties provided in the Reverue laws; and having no option in the matter I must act in conformity to law.

J. M. IRVINE, Assistant Assessor, feb10 iii 5th Division, 6th Dist. Va.

NOTICE-TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. You are hereby most respectfully invited to come forward and PAY WHAT YOU OWE.

On the first of March, 1869, I will place all accounts in an officer's hands for collection. "A word to the wise," &c.
feb10 WM. LOEB, Agent.

BRASS BOUND WATER CANS, &C.

I have in store a fine and select assortment of Wood and Willow Ware, consisting in part of Churns, Water Pails, Tubs, Horse Backets, painted Backets, &c., for sale at low prices, feb10.

New Advertisem "'s

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VERY VALUABLE ROCKINGHAM LAND.

THE undersigned, acting as Commissioner, appointed by the Circuit Court of Frederick county, Va., at its November Term. 1868, in the Chancery causes of Charles A Yancey and als. vs. Wan B. Yancey, and als., and the same vs. Bernard P. Tell and als., therein pending will proceed, ON WEDNESDAY, MARCH 40, 1869, te sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on the premises, the lands in the bill and proceedings mentioned, to wit:

THE HOME FARM of the late Wm. B. Yancey, deceased, now occupied by Bennard P. Teel and Char. M. Price, containing about

475 ACRES OF EXCELLENT ROCKINGHAM RIVER-BUTTOM LAND,

upon which there are TWO large, well arranged DWELLINGS, situated on either end of the farm, with all necessary out-buildings attached to each, two young orahards of well selected fruit; also,

A GOOD MILL and Miller's House. This farm will be divided and sold to suit purchasers. Also, at the same time, two tracts of heavily timbered WOOD JAND, I ing convenient to the above mentioned farm, one tract containing 158 acres, the other 138½ acres.

TERMS: One fourth f the purchase money in cash, the residue in three equal sums at nine, eighteen and twenty-seven months from the day of sale, all to be interest from the day of sale, and to be seen ed by a deed of trust on the property.

f blo ts CHAS. A. VANCEY Com'r.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE LAS D.

NEAR HARRISONBURG.

A T the request of H. J Gray, and by virtue of a deed of trust executed by David S. Jones and wite, on the 11th day of November, in the year 1856, to J. W. G. Smith, Trustee, I, as substituted Trustee, will sell to the highest bilder at pablic auctions on the premise. for cash, ON Fisiday, the 12th Bax Of FEB RUARY, 1869, so much of the farm, in and adjuining the town of Harriseoburg. in Rockingham county, now owned by David S. Jenes, known as NEAR HARRISONBURG.

"COLLICELLO,"

formerly owned by Robert Gray, as will satisfy the debt of \$5,000 secured in sai'deed of trust to Robert M. Kyle and assigned to said H. J. Gray, with the unpaid interest and the costs of executing the said trust. This farm contains

297 Acres of First-rate Land! with good improvements, fles on both sides of the Manassas Gap Railroad, and is one of the most desirable farms in the county. So much of the land will be sold as will be necessary to raise the amount above mentioned, and will be sold in lots, a survey of which will be ready on the day of sale.
dcc3-ts WM. B. COMPTON, Trustee.

POSTPONEMENT. A T the request of Mr. H. J. Gray, the above A T sale is postponed until SATUR AY, MAY 8TH, 1869. WM B. COMPTON, Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE REAL ESTATE, IN HARRISONBURG, VA.

BY virtue of a Deed of Trust, executed to me by Andrew Houck, on the 16th of August, 1856, and at the instance of some of the credit-ors named in said trust, I will sell to the highest bidder, at public auction, on the premises, ON SATURDAY, the 13TH of MARCH, 1869, the following valuable real estate, on Main street, in the town of Harrisonburg, to wit /

Store-House & Dwelling-House. on Main Street, occupied by said A. Houck at the time of his death, adjoining the Store-house of Collmans & Bruffy, and immediately in front of the Court-House. Also, the interest of said A. Houck in

2 Houses & Lots ON MAIN STREET,
bought of George Miller, and owned by said A.
Houck and Alfred Sprinkel, together with a lot of

PERSONAL PROPERTY. TERMS .- The real estate will be sold on the following terms: One third of the purchase money to be paid in 60 days from the day o sale, with interest; the residue un two equal annual payments from the day of sale. The personal property will be sold for cash. feb10 JUHN C. WOODSON, Trustee.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

MUDDY CREEK LAND. BY wirtue of a decree of Rocking ham Circuit Court, rendered on the 29th of October, 1867, in the Chancety cause of Wm. D. Hopkins, &c., vs. Wm. Thacker, I will sell at public auction, on the premises, ON THURSDAY, MARCH 11TH, 1869,

The Valuable Land and Improvements in the bill and proceedings mentioned, to wit: 17 ACRES OF LAND,

situated on Muddy Creek, in Rockingham county, adjoining the lands of Michael Whitmer, David Bare, Archy Hopkins, and others.

This land is of excellent quality, and the improvements are comfortable and convenient, consisting of a good DWELLING HOUSE and other out buildings, and a small orchard, and other out buildings, and a small orchard, and

plenty of water
There is on this land a FIRST-RATE TAN-YARD, well situated for carrying on that busi-

TERMS:—One fourth on the first day of the May Term, 1869, of the Circuit Court of Rockingham; the residue in three equal annual payments, bearing interes from day of sale, the purchaser giving bond with good personal security.

JOHN C. WOODSON, feb10-iiii

PUBLIC SALE OF

ROCKINGHAM LAND. PY virtue of a decree of Rockinsham Circuit Court, rendered on the 20th day of October, 1868, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on the premises, ON SATURDAY, the 18TH DAY OF MARCH, 1869,

THE TRACT OF LAND in the bill and proceedings mentioned, situated in Rockingham county, about one mile from McGaheysville, adjoining the lands of George Hedrick, Jacob B. Burner, and others, and con-

Eighteen Acres of Valuable Land. The improvements consist of a comfortable Dwelling-house, and other out-buildings, with a well of good water and fruit plenty.

TEKMS:—One third in hand or on the 11th day of May, 1869; the residue in two payments of six and 12 months, bearing interest from the day of sale, the purchaser to give bond with good security, and the title retained as further

courity.

This land will be sold subject to the widow Elizabeth Sowers' dower interest.

WM. B. COMPTON, feb10 ts

COMMISSIONER'S SALE

VALUABLE LAND PURSUANT to a decree of Bockingham Circuit Court, rendered on the 31st of October, 1868, in the case of Joseph Hupp, &c., vs. Levi Minnick and others, I will sell to the highest bidder, on the premises, ON FRIDAY, THE 12TH DAY MARCH, 1869, the valuable tract of

TWENTY ACRES OF LAND. on which the said Levi Minnick now lives, siton which the said Levi Minnick now lives, situated in Rockingham county, adjining the lands of Samuel Minnick, Michael Lohr, Wm. West, and Matthias Minnick—together with the improvements thereon consisting of a DWELLING-HOUSE and other necessary out-buildings. TERMS: One-third on the 11th day of May, 1869, the residue in two equal annual payments, bearing interest. Bond and good security required for the deferred payments. teblo-ts WM. B. COMPTON, Comm'r.

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Legal.

TIRGINIA-At rules held in the Clerk Office of the Circuit Court of Rocking ham county on Menday the 1st day of February, 1859; Nancy Devier, who sues by Samu 1 McDorman, the

tlen Davier, Hiram K. Devier, Henry Shacklett, Peachy Wine, Peter Long, John Swartz, Samuel E, Long, and Samuel Dinkle,.................Defendants.

The object of this suit is to restrain and inhibit the lest named defendants in an paping to Allen Devier any amount they may owe him, until the further order of the Court, and that one if the Commission of the Court make out and state an account, shewing what each of the said parties may be owing to him, and the amount of Complainant's down increase in the several tracts of land in the bill mentioned.

And it appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause, that the defendant, Allen bevier, is not a resident of the State of Virginia—It is therefore ordered, that he appear here, within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Copy—Teste, A ST. C. SPRINKEL Clerk, feb3-4w Konney, p.q. IN CHANCERY

VIRGINIA-At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, on Monday the 1st day of February, 1569;

John Early..... Plaintiff.

Peter Dinkle and — his wife, Robert Painter and — his wife, and A. M. Painter and — his wife, Defts.

IN CHANCERY.

IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to enforce the vendor's lien of the riffin a tract of land in Rockingham County, which was sold by skill Olinific to said Robert & A. M. Painter, in which Robert Painter was And it appearing by an smadevit filed in this cause, that the defendants, Peter Dink's and wife, are not residents of the State of Virginia—It is therefore ordered, that they do appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to prefect their interest in this suit.

Copy—Te.t., A. ST. SPRINKEE, Clerk, feb3 4w W4 p.q.

VIRGINIA-At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, on Monday the 1st day of February, 1869. Jacob Byerly, Committee for Francis Sipe Plaintiff.

IN CHANCERY. The object of this suit is to sell the undiwided interest of Francis Sipr in the real es are of Christian Argabright, dee'd.

And it appearing by an affidavit filed in this case, that the defendants, Levi Whitesel A Peggy his wife, — McCaulley and Caroline his wife, are not residents of the State of Virginia—It is therefore ordered, that they do appear here within one month after, due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Copy—Teste, feb3 4w-Y p.q.

A. ST. C. SPRINKEL, Clerk.

TIRGINIA-At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, on the lat day of February, 1869:

Wm. C. Whitmore and Sarah Jane his wife, Plaintiffs, Jno. Blaib, Harvey Anderson. Wm. Robinson. S. R. Al-lebaugh, adm'r or Joseph Hinton, dec'd, James R. Chambers and Margaret A his wife, and Mary Uath-arine, infant of Joseph Hinton, dec'd......Defendants. IN CHANCERY.

IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suft is to recover from the defends ants, John Biain an his surety, Barvey Anderson the amount due from John Blain, as guardian of the infant children of lavid thenton, dec'd, to the plaintiffs, with legal interest and costs of suit.

And it app aring by an affidavit filed in this cause, that the defendants, Harvey Anders n and James R. Chambers are not residents of the State of Virginia—It is therefore ordered, that they do appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this suit.

Copy—Testo, A. ST. C. SPRINKEL, Clerk. feb3 av. K. p.q.

VIRGINIA -At rules held in the C'erk's on Monday the 1st day of February, 1869;

IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to obtain a settlement of the state of William Andes, dec'd, and a decree for distribution.

And it appearig by an affidavit filed in this cause, that the desendants, Jonathan Andes, John Andes and Andrew Andes are not residents of the State of Virginia, and that the heirs of David Andes, dee'd, are unknow, and that the heirs of Sarah Bowers, dec'd, (formerly Sarah Andes,) are unknown—it is therefore ordered, that the said defendants do appear here within one month after due publ cation of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interest in this sait.

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A. ST. C. SFRINKEL, Clerk. ieb3 4w-CaH pq

VIRGINIA, TO WIT-At rules held in the Cierk's Cflee of the Circuit Court of Ro king ham County, on Monday the 1st day of February, 1869;

Benjamin Weller, Thomas Berry, (Trustec.) Thomas Burke, John R. Keagy, Abraham Painter, W. C. Lauck and George Walker, adm'rs of Th mas Walker, deceased, Defendants.

IN CHANCERY UPON AMENDED BILL.

The object of this suit is to set aside a deed of trus texeuted by Benjamin Weller, on the 25th day of June, 1868, to Thornton Berry, to secure debts and liabilities to the defendants. Thomas Barke, Jhn R. Keagy, Abraham Painter, Wm C Lauck, and Thos. Walker.

And it app aring by an affidavit that the defendant, Benjamin Weller, is not a resident of the State of Virginia—It is therefore ordered, that he do appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Copy—Teste. feb3-4w-N K.T. p q A. ST C. SPRINKEL, Clerk.

TIRGINIA-At rul s held in the Clerk's Office of the Circ. it Court of Rockin ham County on Monday the 1st day of February, 1869; John E. Massey,.... John Diller, Joseph Hinton, Thomas Washington and Julia A. his wife, and Samuei R. Allebaugh, Sheriff of Rockingham County, an as such adm' of John B. Nash, dec.d, Martia B. Nash, Margaret Nash, James L. Nash, and William H. Nash, ... Defendants.

James L. Nash, and William H. Nash, Defendants.

IN CHANCERY.

The object of this suit is to enforce vendor's lien on a tract of land in Rockingham County, near Taylor's Springs, which was seld by E. T. H. Warren, Comm'r, &c., to Evan and Joseph Hinton in 1880.

And it appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause, that the den ndant, Wm. H. Nash, is not a resident of the State of Virginia—It is therefore ordered, that he de appear h re within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

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VIRGINIA, SS-At rules held in the ▼ Clerk's Office of Recikingham County Court, on douday, February 1st, 1869;

IN DEBT, UPON AN ATTACHMENT.

The object of this suit is to recover against the defendant, Abraham Koontz, Jr., the sum of \$i46.45, with interest on \$102.04, part hereof, from the 1st day of Jannary, 1858, on \$26.05, ano her part thereof, from the 1st day of January, 1860, on \$15, another part thereof, from the 30th day of January, 1860, and on \$2.73, the residue thereof, from the 1st day of January, 1861, still naid.

till paid.

It appearing from an affidavit filed, that it e defendants not a resident of the state of Virginia—It is ordered, that he do appeariners within one month afferdue publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

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R. A. GRAY, C. R. C. feb3 4w-Paul, p q

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LOCAL AFFAIRS.

PUBLIC SALES ADVERTISED. SALES IN FEBRUARY.

Feb. 13—A valuable tract of land, on the head of Smith's Creek, in Rockingham. Well improved and valuable land. John C. Woodson, Commissioner. Feb. 16-115 acres of the farm formerly occupied by John J Harsbberger, dec'd., 2 miles Northwest of Port Republic.

MARCH. March 3—Sale of the Shepp land, on War Branch, in Rockingham county, 197 acres, well improved. W. H. Effinger and W. B. Compton, Commissioners.

March 6—Sale of 88 acres of land, lately be-longing to Mrs. Mary G. McGahey, dec'd., by the Heirs. It is very valuable property, and lies near McGaheysville

March 10—The very valuable farm, formerly the home of Col. Wm. B Yancey, in Rocking-ham county. C. A Yancey, Commissioner. March 11—Valuable tract of land on Muddy Creek, in Rockingham county. John C. Wood-

March 12—Twenty acres of Rockingham land-Wm. B. Compton, Commissioner. March 13—A tract of 18 acres land, near McGaheysville, in Rockingl am county. Wm. B. March 13—Very valuable town property, on Main street, in Harrisonburg. Some of it is of very great value. John C. Woodson, Comm'r.

SALES IN MAY. May 8—Sale of "Colticello," a very valuable and desirable body of land, adjoiring the town of Harrisonourg, right at the R. R. deput, finely improved. Wm. B. Compton, Trustee.

TO DAY'S ADVERTISEMENTS. Wm. B. Compton-Land sale, March 12. Same Land sale, 8th of May. Same-Land sale, March 13 John C. Weodson-Sale of town property, 13

Same-Sale of Muddy Creek Land, March 11. Chas. A. Yancey- Sale of land, March 10 G. W. Tabb-Hardware. Henry Forrer-Merchandise. Wm. Loeb, Agent-Notice. Drs. Harris & Harris-Dental Card Rev. E. A. Wilson-Special Notice. John B. Ogden - Special Notice. J. M. Irvine, Ass't Ass'r-Notice to tax-payer

. . ADVERTISERS will please hand in their favors by Tuesday morning, as it is desirable to put the Commonwealth to press on Wednesday morning, the regular day of public tion. Please don't forget to remember this.

IMPROVEMENTS IN THE STREETS .- We ob serve with pleasure that our citizens are beginning to make improvements on the side walks, and particularly on Main Street, from the court-house square toward the Railroad depot. Many of the intervals between the old pavements are being raised with stone tan-bark, and dirt. It only remains that a road shall be made from the Turnpike to the depot, and passengers arriving and going . n the cars can walk to and from the road with some degree of comfort and convenience .-The old plank walk on East Market street has been removed, and a sufficient quantity of excellent curbing stone has been hauled along the walk, and will be adjusted and the walk finished early in the Spring. This will add greatly to the convenience of those who now have to trudge through the mud on this street. Similar improvements will also le made in other portions of the town in a short time.

HARRISONBURG, ITS CHURCHES, AND OTH-BR MATTERS -An elaborate article recently appeared in the Christian Sun, giving a full description of all the churches in Harrison. burg, and many other matters of general in. terest to these who are not acquainted here. This article was written by an intelligent gentleman living in this place, who desires that the article referred to should be inserted in the column of the OLD COMMONWEALTH. We have mlways taken great pleasure in accoding to the wishes of our friends, but we are compelled to decline the publication of this article, as cur columns are so much occupied in the discussion of the great questions of the day, as well as with the news, that we cannot accede to the request of the writer. We regret that necessity compels us to pursue this course, in the present instance.

PREPARING FOR THE NEXT COEN CROP.-We are pleased to see that most of our farmers are preparing to put out larger crops of corn and oats than usual. It must be evident to all reflecting men that these crops have been too much neglected in some localities for several years past. Too much attention has been given to the growth of wheat. We must depend upon heavy crops of corn for our cattle and hogs. In pro portion to the neglect of corn will be the di minution of fat stock for the market. These facts are beginning to be appreciated by our large farmers. Corn and stock are more profitable than extensive wheat growing, and at the same time improve the land.

HOW TO HAVE PLENTY OF EGGS .- Variou experiments have been suggested, by those who profess to understand the subject, to make heus lay during the winter months .-Meat, parched corn, &c., are among the most popular articles of food recommended for that purpose. These are all no doubt good : but their efficiency is greatly enhanced by the addition of a small quantity of cayenne or red pepper, ground up fine and mixed with the food of the hens. We have seen this tried effectually during the present winter, and it did not fail in a single instance. The hens should have a good warm place to roost, and should have daily a little slaked lime, egg shells, or bone dust to form the shells.

The second annual Festival of the Harri. sonburg Turn Verein Masquerade Ball will take place at the Masonic Hall, on the night of the 22d day of Feb uary Admittance for gentlemen and lady, \$2.00. It is expected to be a grand affair.

"FATHER SMITH." SO-CALLED .- An old scamp, pretending to be a Catholic Priest, MEETING AT COURT -We have been recame to this place some two weeks ago, and by artful lying, succeeded in imposing on the Catholics. We believe he had service for zens of R ckingham county, at our February them the Sabbath after he arrived He Conrt, (next Monday .) on the subject of the preached to them in German. He purchased Mr. Scanlon's property for \$11,000, but said he must go to Richmond for the money One morning the reverned scamp remained longer than usual in his room, and upon going to see why, it was found that he was missing, as was also a portion of the vestments used in the service. The silver chalice, however, he did not take, as reported -He turned up next morning at New Market, to come. st pped at our old friend McQuaue's, administered the rites of the church to a dying McQuade, and left bright and early. He went to Woodstock, and took lodging with Mr. Michael Saurbaugh, where, when he was about commencing service, his devotions were rather unceremoniously disturbed by the entrance of some of his dupes. Notwithstanding several of the stelen articles were recovered from him, he denied that he had stolen them. Strange to say, before leaving he borrowed \$5 of Mr. Saurbaugh, which, however, Mr. S. recovered by following him to Strasburg. He next turned up at Middletown, where he represented that he was from California and wanted to buy land. He thea went to Winchester, where he repeated his rascally impositions. In the mean time, Mr. Scanlon, of this place, had pursued him to Winchester, where he was joined by Mesars. John Curran and Michael Hassett, who tracked the old scounded to Sherrard's store, in the Pastor, Rev. G. W. Holland, during the Hampshire county, at the house of a negro woman. Here he was arrested and brought to Winchester, and from thence to this place and lodged in jail, where he is awaiting an xunination by the County Court, which

ANOTHER DEATH FROM ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING .- The particulars of another death rom the careless handling of a gun has been reported to us. Mr. William May, son of a gentleman of the same name, living in the neighborhood of McGaheysville, in this county, was out hunting with a shot-gun, on Wednesday merning last, and stopped at Hoffman's saw-mill for some purpose. While standing upon the track of the corriage, he rested the butt of the gun upon the sile of the track, with the muzzle under one arm ; and the butt slipping off, struck the hammar, exploding the cap, and lodging a heavy charge of shot in the arm-pit, making a ghastly and mortal wound. The unfortunate young man was carried home and every attention that the case required was given him. After the most intense suffering, he died on Friday last. Mr. May had just entered upon the period of manhood, and was highly esteemed for his virtuous life and honorable deportment. This sad affair has thrown a gloom over the community in which he lived. We sympathise with his afflicted friends.

meets on Monday next.

THE OLD GUARD FOR FEBRUARY .- The high tone and vigor of this sterling Democratic Magazine, which was so especially marked in the January number, is still more apparent in the present issue. THE OLD GUARD wears well, not only sustaining the reputation which its six years' publication has won, but it improves, like good wine, the older it grows. The Kebruary issue replete with political, literary, and miscellaneous matter. Religious Inequality of Human Races, by the editor, is especially worthy of attention. The Cub of the Pauther. by W Gilmore Simms, Esq., keeps up its interest. Forgotten English P ets, The First Edition of Shakespeare, and Mchammed as Prophet, are very readable, and the Book and Editor's Tables were never better. Single copies, 25c ; \$3 per annum. Van Exrie. Horton & Co., 162 Nassau street, N. Y.

OLD FEATHERS MADE NEW - We cmitted in our last paper to call the attention of our people of town and county, to the feather c'eauing apparatus now in successful operation in this place, by Gen. Jones, the agricultural implement man, opposite this office, and Messrs, Roller & Armentrout, These gentlemen have purchased the right for the State of Virginia, and are prepared to sell county rights. The work done in this place has given entire satisfaction, and we feel at liberty (after seeing it work) to say unheeitatingly that it will do all that it is represented to do; and we recommend it to all who have old feathers, and would like to have them made new.

THE AMERICAN STOCK JOURNAL .- In the February nu nber, just received, we notice a number of articles that should be read by every Farmer, among them Prevention of Diseases among Animals, Castration and Spaying Hogs, Treatment of sows during Pregnancy, Feeding Stock, Cutting and Steaming Feed, Feeding Horses, Distemper in Horses, &c , Paying Farming, Grain Killed Horses, The Various Breeds of Catele. Different Varieties of Geese, Colley or Soutch Shepherd Dog, Treatment of Cows during Calving, Raising Dairy Stock, Swelled Legs on Horses, Chester Whites, &c. Specimen Copies Sent Free, Address, N. P. BOYER & Co., Publishers, Parkesburg, Chester Co., Pa

LAND SALE -S. R. Allebaugh, Comm'r. sold, on Monday last, a tract of land at the head of Linvill's Creek, containing 340 acres, belonging to Mr. J. P. Effinger.

The land was divided into three tracts the first of 240 acres, more or less, was said to Mr. Jesse Ralston, at \$31.00 per acre; the second of 80 acres to Timothy Quinlan, for \$32,70 per acre; and the balance of 8 acres to Mr. Wm. H. Flick, for \$25 per acre. The whole amounted to \$10,280, which was considered an excellent sale.

PETERSON'S MAGAZINE, for March, is already out, with fine engravings, rich fashion plates, patterns, &c. The articles are from the pens of the most popular writers of the day. Now is a good time to subscribe and send for the back numbers. Single copies, oue year, \$2, three copies \$5, four capies \$6 always in advance. Address Charles J. Pe terson, No. 806 Chestnut St., Philadelphia.

The Cecil (Md.) Democrat comes to us this week, much enlarged and improved, and is a very handsome paper, just such a journal as we intend to make the Commonwealth ere long. Success to you, friend Cruikshank We rejoice in your prosperity. The Democrat is a fearless paper, and deserves a large support from Marylanders.

THE RICHMOND CANVENTION-PROPOSED quested to state that George H Chrisman, Esq , will deliver a short address to the citinegociations between the Committee of Nine and the Congress of the United States, in relation to the Constitution framed by the late Convention in Virginia. He desires to address himself to the understanding and reason of all classes of our citizens; and he believes that the opinions which he favors now will control the destiny and influence the prosperity of our State for many years

He re pectfully requests the citizens of the county to meet at the court-house to considwoman, baptised children, &c. He then er whether they will send delegates to the stole seme money and other articles from Mrs. Richmond Convention, which meets on the 7th of March.

> INTERESTING CHURCH MEETINGS -The last quarterly meeting for Harrisonburg Star tion, Baltimore Conference, Methodist Epis copal Church, South, commenced on the 30th ultimo, and the services were continued until Friday evening last. The Pastor, Rev. J. S Gardner, and Rev E. F. Busey, P. E .. conducted the services. Several persons presented themselves at the altar, during the meeting, some of whom made a profession. Five persons connected themselves with the Church on Sabbath last.

> A Sacramental Meeting, we learn, was commenced in the Evangelical Lutheran Church in this place, on the 28th ultimo, and the services were protracted antil Friday evening last. Rev. J. I. Miller, of Staunton, a-sisted services. A number of persons came forward as seekers of religion, several of whom professed conversion. Ou Sabbath last several of the converts connected themselves with the Church.

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SALE OF A HOUSE AND LOT -The house and half acre lut, on Main Street, belonging to Edward Santemyer, and previously advertised in this paper, was sold by W. B. Compton, comm'r, on Friday last, to Mr. John Scanlon, proprietor of the Virgi la House, for \$1 026. This is low, considering the extreme prices of property ruling here for some time. We understand that Mr. S. has tendered the property to the Catholics for the purpose of erecting a Church. We hope the offer may be accepted, and that we may soon see a fine edifice erected there, which will be an honor to our young dity. It is a good location for a church.

o'clock, a fire was discovered in one of the upper rooms of the residence of Wm. Bamber, on Main Street. Its early discovery was fo. tunate, as there was a strong wind hlow. ing at the time, and if the fire had not been extinguished at once there is no telling where it would have stopped. The fire originated in a bed, and various surmises have arisen as to how it got there. The bed and bedstead were nearly consumed, and some damage done to the inruiture of the room by fire and

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TAKE NOTICE, TAX-PAYERS - We call the special attention of those interested to the notice of the Assistant Assessor of U. S. Internal Revenue, 6th Div. 5th Dist., Va .-The Assessor hopes that the required returns

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will be made by the time named.

On the 4th instant, by Rev. James Holcomb, Mr. Silas Flick and Miss Annie Henson-all of this county. On the 28th ult., by Rev Jacob Miller, Mr. Wm S owalter and Miss Mary Susan Fawley- all of this county.

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VALUABLE LAND. BY virtue of a decree of Rockingham Circuit D Court rendered at the October Tern, 1866, in the Chancery cause of Samuel Shackiet vs. Jacob Long and others, the undersigned, Commissioners, missioner, will sell at public auction to the high est bidder, on the premises ON SATURDAY, THE 13ru DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1869,

The Valuable Tract of Land, in the bill and proceedings mentioned, situated in Rockingham county, on the head of Smith's Creek, and containing

164 Acres, 2 Roods, 13 Poles. and adjoining the lands of David Flook, Stroth er. Sheets, and others. A fair portion of this land is in timber and the residue is under good cultivation. The land is of good quality and produces well. The buildings consist of a Comfortable Dwelling-House,

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SALE OF LAND.

BY virtue of a decree of Rockingham Circuit Court, rendered on the 26th day May, 1868, in the Chancery cause of Wm. M. Flick vs. Sol omor Shepp and others, the undersign d will proceed to sell at public auction, on the land, on Wednesday the 3d day of March, 1869, the

VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND, in the bill and proceedings mentioned, situated on War Branch, in Rockingham county, containing about

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VALUABLE ROCKINGHAM LAND. A 8 Executors of John J. Harshberger, dec'd. M we will sell at pubic sale, on the premises ON TUESDAY FEBRUARY 16, 1869, the un ON TUESDAY FEBRUARY 16, 1869, the undivided part of the land of John J. Harshberger, dec'd., lying two miles North west of Port Republic in R. ckingham county, containing 115 ACRES. The land is all good, about one third of it is in timber of good quality, comprising a mixture of pine and oak. The fencing is good. The improvements consist of a large BRICK HOUSE, a good Stable, built since the War, and all necessary out building. There is BAUCK HOUSE, a good Stable, built since the war, and all necessary out buildings. There is a large OKCHAKD of good fruit. There are a number of Springs of excellent water on the farm, one of which is near the house. The land offered is the same occupied by John J. Harsuberger up to the time of his death. The location is pleasant, in a good neighborhood, and convenient to churches, schools mile. So convenient to churches, schools, mills, &c.

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"Oh! don't have any monument." "And the plumes-"

"Oh ! don't have any plumes." "And the flowers, and the rose-

wood coffin, and carriages." "Den't have any carriages; I had rather go on foot."

The Madrid correspondent of the London Daily News writes that the Spanish clergy are greatly alarmed by the sale of Protestant books, and an association has been formed for the purpose of reinstating Catholicism as the sole religion of the State on a firmer besis than ever, and to the exclusion of all others.

"The ruin of most men dates from some vacant hour. Occupation is the armor of the soul. I remember a satirical poem, in which the devil is represented as fishing for men, and fitting his baits to the taste and business of his prey; but the idler, he said, gave him no trouble, as he bit the naked hook."

We must need have some concern when we look into our losses; but if we consider how little we deserve what is left, our murmurs will turn into thankfulness.

When Alexander saw Diogenes sitting in the warm sun, and asked what he should do for him? he desired no more than that he would stand out of his sunshine, and not take from him what he could not give.

The word debt is composed of the initials of "dun everybody twice," credit is formed of the initial letters of "call regularly every day; I'll trust.'

Color is a good thing, but when it is confined to the nose, as we saw on a soaker yesterday, it is far from being ornate or ornamental.

A distinguished horticulturist says that the best way to label a tree is to write with a lead pencil upon zine; as it cannot be erased, but grows more distinct and durable with age.

One of the most common proofs we have that man is made out of clay, is the brick so often found in

The letters of the word "Presbyterian" can be so transposed as to spell "best in prayer."

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them. All I ask is that the public will give me a call and examine my stock and work before purchasing.

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This course is not adopted from any lack of confidence in the good people who have so long and iiberally patronized me, but owing to the unsettled condition of our country and currency, and utter impossibility of success in business by the old credit system with my limited capital. Believing the cash system to be the only way to do business properly, I have uetermined to adopt the system in all transac ions and will strictly adhere to the same, feeling conscious that I can make it clearly to the interest of my customers to buy for CASH. Hence, I respectfully ask all my friends and the public generally to

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from the public.

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AGENT FOR DR. S. A. COFFMAN,

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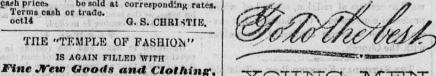
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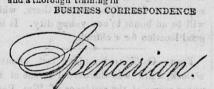
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