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WASHINGTON CITY, MONDAY NIGHT, SEPTEMBER 1, 1845.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT OF THE COLUMBIAN COLLEGE.

THE annual course of lectures in this institution will commence, as usual, on the first Monday in November, and continue until the first of March.

FACULTY.

Harvey Lindsly, M. D., Professor of Pathology and Practice of Medicine.

Thomas Miller, M. D., Professor of Anatomy.

John M. Thomas, M. D., Professor of Medical Jurisprudence and Physiology.

William P. Johnston, M. D., Professor of Obstetrics and the diseases of women and children.

Charles G. Page, M. D., Professor of Chemistry.

Joshua Riley, M. D., Professor of Materia Medica and Therapeutics.

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Johnson Eliot, M. D., Demonstrator of Anatomy.

The conveniences afforded by the new and extensive edifice in which the lectures are now delivered, are such as will facilitate very much the imparting of medical instruction. The lecture rooms are admirably arranged, well lighted, and warmed. The museum is increasing daily in importance and interest. The rooms of practical anatomy afford advantages rarely equalled; they will be opened the first week of October. The infirmary is under the immediate direction of the faculty of medicine, and this, with the public dispensary, will continue to present numerous and valuable cases for clinical instruction. Clinical lectures will be delivered at least twice a week, and operations performed before the class.

The entire expense of a course of lectures, by all the professors, is $80. Demonstrator's ticket $10. Good board can be procured, at from $250 to $3 00 per week.

WILLIAM P. JOHNSTON, M. D.,
(Corner of 7th and F streets,) Dean.
June 12—2aw

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June 24—eod3m

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A. O. Dayton, esq., Fourth Auditor, Treasury Department.
Rev. Septimus Tuston, Chaplain to the Senate.
John C. Rives, esq., Washington, D. C.
John Boyle, esq., "
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Charles O. Handy, esq., Purser U. S. Navy.
John De Bree, esq., "
R. R. Waldron, esq., "
April 9—tf

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New York, July 7—2aw6m.

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Aug. 9

MAP OF OREGON; by the Exploring Expedition—price 37 cents. A few copies for sale by FRANCK TAYLOR.
July 30.

SUSQUEHANNA STONE.

NAVY AGENT'S OFFICE,
Norfolk, 7th August, 1845.

SEALED PROPOSALS, in duplicate, will be received, until 12 o'clock on the 5th September, for the delivery at the navy-yard of the following description of Susquehanna flag and building stone, for building slip No. 48:

Thirty-five hundred superficial feet of flag Susquehanna stone, in any convenient length not less than 3 feet, and to square not less than 2½ feet wide, from 10 to 12 inches thick, and free from veins; and

Nineteen hundred and forty-five perches of best Susquehanna building stone, of large size, for the erection of thick walls—to have flat surfaces; and no wide irregular chunks will be received.

Offers will be received for these two parcels together, and must state the price per foot and perch of each, and be calculated for the total amount of each parcel, and expressed at foot, in words at length, for the total amount of both bills.

Deliveries must be commenced immediately after the offers are decided, so that the work may be begun and carried on without stoppage or delay; and the whole delivery must be made complete on or before the 1st day of October next.

Bond and security will be required, and 10 per cent. retained upon all payments until the whole contract is fulfilled.

GEO. LOYALL, Navy Agent.
Aug. 9—law4w

SUSQUEHANNA STONE, BALTIMORE BRICKS, AND WASHINGTON LIME.

NAVY AGENT'S OFFICE,
Norfolk, August 7, 1845.

SEALED proposals, in duplicate, will be received until 12 o'clock on the 4th day of September next, for the delivery, at the naval hospital, on the spot where required by the master mason, of the following stone, bricks, and lime, for hospital wall:

One hundred perches best Susquehanna building stone, good regular stuff for three feet wall.

Ninety-five thousand plain, or common hard Baltimore bricks.

Eighty casks of fresh burnt Washington lime.

Offers will be received for the stone, bricks, and lime together; but the price per perch, per thousand, and per cask, must be stated for each distinctly, carried out for the whole cost of each, and engrossed in words at length, for the total amount of all.

Deliveries must be made as soon as the offers are decided, so that the work may be commenced and carried on without delay, and the whole must be completed by the 1st of October.

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GEO. LOYALL,
Aug. 9—law4w Navy Agent.

AGENCY FOR CLAIMS AT WASHINGTON, D. C.—CHARLES DE SELDING, General Agent, No. 11, Todd's buildings, Pennsylvania avenue, Washington, D. C., offers his services to those who may have claims on either of the executive departments, or Congress, or private claims on individuals.

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Communications (post paid) will receive immediate attention.

He has the honor to refer to the Navy Department, and the several bureaus connected with it; Second Comptroller and Fourth Auditor's offices, and the senior pursers in the navy; and also to Hon. C. C. Cambreleng, New York; Commodore Charles Stewart, Philadelphia; Commodore John Downs, Boston; Hon. Henry L. Ellsworth, Washington; Hon. E. H. Foster, Nashville, Tennessee; and Thomas M. Blount, esq., Pensacola.

April 11

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This very large reduction in the receipts (accompanied with but a comparatively small diminution of its expenses) involves, of course, an entire sacrifice of profit upon it, unless compensated by a vast multiplication of its subscribers. There will be at the outset only a small reduction in its number of pages; soon to be restored to its old number, without increase of price, when the anticipated success of the experiment shall justify it.

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The postage will hereafter, for any distance, be only *five and a half cents*; it has heretofore been, for over 100 miles, *eighteen* cents.

We look for an extension of circulation to be reckoned by *tens of thousands*, as the result and compensation of this great reduction of price. Every friend of the work, and of the democratic principles and cause, is confidently appealed to, to exert himself with an active interest to procure it subscribers; both to extend its usefulness, and to carry it successfully through the crisis of this great reduction of its receipts.

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No communications will be taken from the post office unless free of postage.

All communications, both on editorial and publishing business, must be addressed henceforward to the undersigned. Those relating to the settlement of the past debts due the work will be still addressed to Mr. H. G. Langley, 8 *Astor house*, the past arrangements with whom, as publisher, have reached their termination.

J. L. O'SULLIVAN,
July, 1845. 136 Nassau street, New York.

Last likeness of General Jackson.

The admirable Daguerreotype of General Jackson, taken by Anthony, Edwards, & Co., a few weeks before his death, has been purchased for the use of the Democratic Review. It is in the hands of the artist, and will be engraved in the finest style of mezzotint, of extra size. It is a most beautiful and interesting work, declared by Mr. Van Buren and others to give a more perfect idea of the good and great old man than any other likeness; and ought to be possessed and framed by every friend who loves or reveres his memory. Those who subscribe early, will receive it as one of the regular series of portraits.

To the democratic press.

Our friends of the democratic press are requested to interest themselves in aiding to carry the work safely and successfully through the crisis of this great reduction of price. Every editor inserting this prospectus, with an editorial notice, (and sending a copy of the paper marked,) shall receive the Review for a year.

MRS. DAVID H. BURRS

French and English seminary for young Ladies, corner of E and 9th streets, Washington city.

THE location of this seminary is one of the most desirable in the city, on account of its healthy and airy position. The house is large and commodious, with ample grounds and other facilities for amusement and recreation. The principal, so well and favorably known in this city, and in New York, from her long experience in teaching, hopes to give entire satisfaction to all who may confide their daughters to her care. She is a native of France, and familiar with its language and literature, and conversant with the best and easiest modes of imparting to her pupils a perfect knowledge of that language, so that they can not only read and write, but speak it fluently. She has secured able assistants for various departments, so that all branches of an English as well as French education will be thoroughly taught. Pupils who reside in the family have the peculiar advantages of hearing, and conversing at all times in the French language, and of perfecting themselves in the science of music, being under the surveillance of an experienced teacher. The course of instruction, besides the usual elementary branches, includes all the higher studies pursued in the most approved northern seminaries. The discipline is mild and affectionate, yet decided, and is maintained by appeals to the affections and conscience of the pupil; it is designed, by a proper development and cultivation of the better qualities of the heart, to bind more affectionately the pupil to her teacher, and by it to secure obedience. As sound physical, moral, and intellectual improvement and culture, are the great objects desired, it is the aim of the principal not so much to crowd the memory with words, as to draw forth and train the systematic and vigorous action, the observing, reflecting, and active powers of the mind. The charges to those who reside in the family are, for board and tuition in all the branches of French and English, $200 per annum for a single pupil; but when two or more are entered at the same time, a liberal deduction will be made. The additional charges per quarter are for music, piano, and guitar, $15; use of instrument, $2 50; vocal music, $5. To day scholars, the charges for tuition in the first department in French or English, are $10; together, $15; in the second department first class French or English, $8; together, $12; in the second class French or English $7; together $10; in the third department, first class, French or English $6; together $9; in the second class, French or English $5; together $8; Latin $4, other languages, drawing, painting, and dancing; at professor's charges. Pupils can be entered at any time, and will be charged only from the date of their entrance. No deduction will be made to those who absent themselves after commencing a quarter, unless prevented from attending by sickness. Bills in all cases to be paid in advance. Every attention is paid to the religious as well as moral and intellectual instructions of the pupils, but no sectarian peculiarities are ever inculcated. Those residing in the family will attend such churches as their parents may select, under the care of a teacher. They will attend the Episcopal church with the Principal, when no other directions are given. Any other information, and the most satisfactory references will be given on application to the principal.

April 25—3taw6m

YALE COLLEGE LAW SCHOOL.

THIS department is under the direction of the Hon. David Daggett, LL.D., late chief justice of the supreme court of Connecticut, and professor of law; and the Hon. Samuel J. Hitchcock, LL.D., instructor in the science and practice of law; and Isaac H. Townsend, esq., attorney and counsellor at law.

There are two courses of instruction and study in the school—one called the *professional* course, and the other called the *general* course. The object of the professional course is to give a thorough legal education to those gentlemen who propose to enter the profession of law. The design of the general course is, more particularly, to communicate appropriate information to those who wish to attend to jurisprudence as a branch of liberal knowledge. A course, with special reference to *mercantile law*, is introduced as often as any class requests it.

The terms of the professional course for tuition, with constant use of text-books, and ordinary use of the library, are as follows, payable in advance, unless for satisfactory reasons: For the whole course of two years, one hundred and fifty dollars. For one year, eighty dollars. For less than one year, ten dollars a month. For more than one year, and less than two-years, seven dollars a month after the first year.

The terms of the general course are twenty dollars for the whole course, for those who attend that course only, payable in advance; and five dollars a month for any less time. The professional students will have the privilege of attending the general course, and also any additional course, at pleasure, without extra charge.

The *professional course* commences on the first day of October, and the classes for the *general course* form on the third Monday of October, annually. Students are advised to join at those times, if convenient; but they are permitted to join at any other times.

For further information, reference can be had to the catalogue of Yale college, or the circular of this department. A copy of the circular will be forwarded to any person who may request it by letter, postage paid, addressed to either of the instructors.

NEW HAVEN, August 1st, 1845.
Aug 4—2aw2m

PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT OF THE COLUMBIAN COLLEGE, D. C.—In this school, pupils are fitted for admittance to the college classes, or for other objects. Students who are unprepared for entering a particular class, may here pursue the requisite studies; while those who are not designed for a profession can select such branches as will suit their objects in life.

Mr. Thomas W. Tobey—a gentleman who is amply qualified, having passed through a collegiate course, and been engaged for several years in the business of instruction—will have charge of the school. His whole time and energies will be devoted to its interests; and it is hoped it will thus be rendered worthy of extensive patronage.

This school will be under the constant superintendence of the faculty of the college.

CHARGES PER QUARTER.

Reading, writing, and elementary arithmetic	$4 00
Arithmetic, geography, English grammar, geography of the heavens, ancient and modern history - - - - -	5 00
Natural philosophy, chemistry, algebra, geometry, surveying, book-keeping, and composition - - - -	8 00
Latin and Greek classics - - -	10 00
Pupils who board and have a room in the college building will be charged, for library, room, bed, and furniture, per quarter	5 00
Table, lights, and servant, per week -	2 25
At a less expensive table, where tea and coffee are excluded, per week - -	1 50

Instruction will be given in French and German, without additional expense, to those who study the languages.

There are three vacations in the school—four weeks in August, one at Christmas, and the first week in May.

The next session will commence on Monday, September 1st.

☞ Bills payable in advance.
July 30—eod4w

2,500 CARDS PERRY'S PENS.—W. FISCHER, importer of fancy and staple stationery, has just received, via New York, per ship Victoria, direct from those inimitable manufacturers, James Perry & Co., 2,500 cards of their best metallic pens, consisting of the following kinds, which will be sold at reduced prices, wholesale and retail, at Stationer's Hall, 3d door east of 12th street, Pennsylvania avenue:

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Do.	large-barrel	do.
Do.	small-barrel	do.
Do.	curve-cut	do.
Do.	mapping	do.
Do.	lithographic	do.

And on hand all other kinds manufactured by the above makers, which will be sold at New York prices. July 8

CHALLENGE OF BARLETTA—an historical romance of the times of the Medici, by Massimo D'Azeglio; translated from the Italian by C. Edwards Lester, author of "Glory and Shame of England," &c. Just received at
Aug 9 FRANCK TAYLOR'S.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS, July 21, 1845.

SEALED PROPOSALS, endorsed "Memphis Navy Yard," will be received at this office until 3 o'clock p. m. of the 20th August next, for furnishing and delivering materials and for executing work at the navy-yard, Memphis, Tennessee, as follows:

For making the necessary excavation to reduce the bluff to the established grade of the yard, and for grading Front or Chickasaw street; for furnishing materials and building about 6,900 perches vertical wall; for the delivery of 12,300 perches stone, sandstone, limestone, or both; for the necessary piling on the eastern side of Wolf river, to secure the shore; for the delivery of 272,400 pressed brick and 544,800 salmon brick; for the delivery of 183,500 feet (board measure) assorted lumber, cypress, white and yellow pine, for roofing and inside work of buildings; for constructing the foundations for nine buildings for various purposes; for making 221,000 cubic yards of embankment, and for clearing the whole ground (about thirty-two acres) of the undergrowth and trees.

Persons making offers must state the price per cubic yard for excavation; the price per cubic yard for embankment; the price per perch of twenty-five cubic feet for vertical walls; the price per perch of twenty five cubic feet for stone; the price per foot (lineal measure) for each kind of timber for piles when driven and finished according to the plan; the price per thousand for each kind of brick; the price per thousand feet (board measure) for lumber for the foundations of buildings; the price per foot (lineal) for piles; the price per thousand feet (board measure) for any wood work required, and the price per perch for the foundation walls. For clearing, the proposals must state the gross sum for the whole job; the contractors to have the wood which is upon the ground. The gravel upon Front or Chickasaw street must be preserved, and spread again upon the street after it has been graded; the work to be paid for at the same rate per yard as excavation.

The department expressly reserves the right of diminishing or increasing the quantity of materials and the amount of work in the several portions of the estimates here furnished; and should the quantities of materials and the amount of work be increased beyond the estimates, the same price as is specified for that kind or description of materials or work shall be paid to the contractor, and no more.

The materials and work must be subject to inspection and approval of persons to be appointed by and under instructions from this Bureau; and none will be received or approved which shall not pass such inspection.

Contracts and bonds, with two approved sureties in one-third the amount of contract, will be required, to be entered into within twenty days after the notification of acceptance of the bid; and ten per cent. of the amount of all bids will be retained as collateral security for the faithful performance of the contract, which will be paid only on the satisfactory completion of it; and ninety per centum of all deliveries made, and work executed, will be paid on all bills properly authenticated within thirty days after their presentation to the navy agent.

Bidders are required to accompany their proposals with evidence of ability, together with the names of their sureties, whose responsibility must be certified by the United States district attorney, navy agent, or some person well known to the government; otherwise their proposals will not be acted upon.

Plans of the work can be seen, and such other information as may be required can be obtained, by application at the Engineer's office, Memphis.

To be published once a week until the 21st of August next, in the Union, Intelligencer, and Constitution, Washington, D. C.; Baltimore Republican and Sun; Pennsylvanian, Philadelphia; Morning News, Evening Post, and Journal of Commerce, New York; Harrisburg Union; Morning Post, Boston; Enquirer, Richmond, Va.; Nashville Union; and Memphis Appeal.

Proprietors of the above papers will be pleased to send a copy of the paper containing the above advertisement to this bureau.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS,
JULY 21, 1845

The time limited for receiving proposals for work to be performed, and materials to be delivered at the navy-yard, Memphis, is extended from the 21st August, to 3 o'clock p. m. of the 10*th of September next*.

In cases where proposals are made embracing *more* than *one portion* of the work or of the materials, or *the whole*, as required by the advertisement, the department reserves the right of dividing and accepting for such portions, or for the whole, as may be deemed best for the public interest.

N. B. Those papers which have copied the above advertisement, will please copy this notice also.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS,
August 11th, 1845.

THE time limited for receiving proposals for work to be performed, and materials to be furnished at the navy-yard, Memphis, is *further* extended to 3 o'clock, p. m., of the 10th day of October next. Persons intending to bid, and wishing further information, are referred to the engineer, A. B. Warford, esq., at Memphis.

Those papers which have copied the advertisement of the 21st ultimo, as well as the "Cincinnati Enquirer" and "Louisville Democrat," will please copy this notice also.

Aug 11—td

TRANSYLVANIA UNIVERSITY—MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

THE course of instruction will open (as heretofore) on the first Monday of November, and close on the last day of February, under the following arrangement:

BENJAMIN W. DUDLEY, M. D., professor of the principles and practice of surgery.

WM. H. RICHARDSON, M. D., professor of obstetrics and diseases of women and children.

THOMAS D. MITCHELL, M. D., professor of materia medica and therapeutics.

ROBERT PETER, M. D., professor of chemistry and pharmacy.

LOTAN G. WATSON, M. D., professor of theory and practice.

JAMES M. BUSH, M. D., professor of special and surgical anatomy.

LEONIDAS M. LAWSON, M. D., professor of general and pathological anatomy and physiology.

ETHELBERT L. DUDLEY, M. D., demonstrator of anatomy.

The introductories will be given on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday; and the didactic course will open on Thursday, November 6th. Professors' fees amount to $105, *payable in all cases in advance*, in the best money current where the pupils reside. Matriculation fee, $5. Hospital ticket, with clinical lectures, $5. Graduation fee, $25. Dissecting ticket, $10.

The needful expenses of living range between two and three dollars per week. Gratuitous lectures (as usual) in the month of October. Further information may be had by addressing letters, post paid, to THOMAS D. MITCHELL,
Dean of the Faculty.
Aug. 8—w6t—LEXINGTON, KY., August, 1845.

NOTICE.—Was committed to the jail of Washington county, District of Columbia, on the 18th July, 1845, a negro man, who calls himself John Smith. He is a dark mulatto, about 6 feet high, and about 28 or 29 years of age. Had on, when committed, a striped summer coat and pantaloons, a black fur hat, and has other clothing with him, principally home made. He says he is a slave, and belongs to a Mr. John Smith, who lives in Henrico county, between Petersburg and Richmond, Virginia, and about 20 miles from Richmond. He has a scar under the left eye, and one on the upper lip.

The owner or owners of the above described negro man are hereby requested to come forward, prove him, and take him away, or he will be sold for his prison and other expenses, as the law directs.

ROBERT BALL, Jailer
A. HUNTER,
Aug. 7—lawtf Marshal D.

WAVERLEY NOVELS, *cheap series*, published in octavo volumes, at the rate of six novels for 50 cents, or 8 cents for each novel.

Volume second, containing "Heart of Mid Lothian," "Bride of Lammermoor," "Legend of Montrose," "Ivanhoe," "The Monastery," and "The Abbott," is this day received.
June 17 F. TAYLOR.

LAND AGENCY IN TEXAS.—The subscriber, having, during a residence of nine or ten years in Texas, been connected with the land offices thereof, and having acted as the agent of his friends in the United States, in purchasing, selling, holding, paying taxes upon, and giving a general superintendence to their lands in Texas, respectfully offers his services to such other persons abroad as may wish to engage them.

REFERENCES.

His excellency Anson Jones, General Sam. Houston, General T. J. Rusk, General P. J. Henderson, Colonel James Love, Colonel James Riley, Hon. D. S. Kauffman, Texian chargé d'affaires, Washington city; Matthew St. Clair Clarke, do.; Kingman & Co., do.; General C. F. Mercer, and the Texian consuls abroad.

Many forfeitures are about to accrue, from failure to pay taxes; many claims, otherwise good, will be barred by adverse possession of three years—that being the limitation; many titles of lands conveyed in the United States, cannot be admitted to record in Texas, for want of proper authentication. Owing to some one or other of these causes, the best lands are in a condition to be lost.

Having made it my business to become acquainted with all the laws relating to titles, and being determined to attend diligently to all claims confided to me, I require, in all cases, an advance in cash, sufficient to cover expenses of investigation. When that shall be done, I am willing to take a contingent interest in the lands for attention and services.

ROBERT D. JOHNSON.
Galveston, August 7, 1845.

FRENCH AND ENGLISH BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES,

F street, between 12th and 13th streets, Washington.

THE MISSES HAWLEY, daughters of the late Rector of St. John's church of this city, will on the 1st Monday of next month (September) resume the exercises of their school, at their mother's residence, as heretofore.

They solicit the patronage of the congregation of said church, and of their friends and the public generally. Should references be required, satisfactory ones will be given to persons in the District and in the different States.

The course of instruction includes all the branches of English education taught in the best schools in the United States, and is entirely under their own direction.

French, music, drawing, &c., by the most approved professors.

The scholastic year is divided into four quarters, commencing 1st Monday in September, 25th November, 10th February, and 28th April.

Board per annum (payable quarterly in advance) $150. Washing and bedding extra.

Tuition of the 1st class.....$10 per qr. in advance.
Do 2d class.....8 " "
Do 3d class.....5 " "
For children under five or six years of age.....3 " "
Ink, pens, and pencils, 50 cents. Fuel per season, $2.

The Misses Hawley, although impressed with the responsibility of the task they have assumed, promise to parents and guardians their unremitting attention to the mental and moral culture of those committed to their charge.

Their pupils, even during the hours of recess, shall be ever under the eye of one or more of the teachers.

August 25—eo2w

TO MAIL CONTRACTORS, POSTMASTERS, and all other persons having business with the Post Office Department.—The undersigned having been for several years employed in the accounting branch of the Post Office Department, is intimately acquainted with the operations of that department, and well qualified to attend to any interest connected therewith. He offers his services as agent and attorney to contractors, postmasters, and all others to whose business his experience may be valuable. All affairs intrusted to him, whether relating to past, or current, or contemplated transactions with the department, shall be attended to as promptly and efficiently as could be done by the parties themselves, if on the spot. Bidders for the southern and western mail-routes, to be declared on the 1st of October next, will find it to their advantage to transmit their papers to him for preparation. They, and all others who may employ him, shall constantly be advised of all matters affecting their interests. If collections are at any time required to be made by him, he will remit the proceeds without delay. Communications must be post-paid.

FITZHUGH COYLE.

REFER TO

Hon. Elisha Whittlesey, Canfield, Ohio, late Auditor of the Post Office Department.
M. St. Clair Clarke, Washington, late Auditor of the Post Office Department.
John Marron, esq., Chief Clerk of Post Office Department, Washington.
Hon. Wm. Cranch, Chief Justice of U. S. circuit court, D. C., Washington.
Wm. W. Seaton, esq., Mayor of Washington.
Aug 8—2aw2m

FREDERICK WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS—situated six miles east of Winchester, Va., and one mile and a half from Stephenson's depot, on the Winchester and Potomac railroad—are now open for the reception of company.

This water is inferior to none in the State, as it holds in solution sulphureted hydrogen, iodine, and magnesia, imparting tone to the system, and acting as a powerful alterative, as numerous visiters can testify, having been visited for the last fifty years, and, had it not been for its contracted accommodations, must have been among the first watering places in the Union. For the last five years, the improvements have been increased so as to accommodate between two and three hundred visiters.

The proprietor has endeavored to put this watering place on a footing with the most fashionable and comfortable places of the sort, in a plain style, and will use every exertion in his power to make his visiters comfortable.

It is easy of access for all the Atlantic cities. Persons leaving Baltimore in the morning cars will arrive at the depot at 3 o'clock the same day, where a coach will be in readiness to take them immediately to the springs.

The proprietor feels thankful for the encouragement he has received from the public, and will use every exertion to merit a continuance of it, by making those comfortable who may give him a call.

BRANCH JORDAN, Proprietor.
June 9—tf

Persons wishing to visit this watering place are referred to my former visiters:

Ex-President Tyler, Gen. R. Jones, J. C. Rives, Chief Justice Taney, Mr. J. N. Bonaparte, Rev. J. A. Collins, Reverdy Johnson, Rev. Charles C. Austin, Baltimore.
Judge Nicholas, Richmond.
Messrs. A. M. Patton, J. J. Chew, Fredericksburg.
Mr. John Cooper, Col. G. B. Cooke, Mr. ——, Southgate, Norfolk, Va.
Jos. B. Skinner, Edenton, N. C.
Hon. Wm. B. Calhoun, Massachusetts.
Richard W. Barton, Virginia.

CHESTERFIELD CO., VA.

THOMPSON M. BLOUNT, formerly of Powhatan county, Virginia, has not been heard from by his friends for about seven years. By the death of his father, there are funds in my hands to be used for his benefit; and I am anxious to learn whether he still lives. Any information concerning the said Thompson M. Blount, directed to me at the Coal Mine post office, Chesterfield county, Va., will be thankfully received.

ELIJAH BRUMMELL.

Editors of newspapers generally, and particularly at the South, will do an act of humanity by giving the above one or two insertions.
Aug. 21—law8w

TEA, OIL, SPERM CANDLES, &c.

I HAVE received by the schooner Victory, a general assortment of new groceries, viz:

Prime imperial, gunpowder, young hyson, and black teas; crushed, pulverized, and loaf sugars; sugar-house sirup molasses; rice; five hundred gallons extra winter solar lamp oil, fall and winter bleached sperm oil, summer pressed sperm candles, &c. All of which can be sold on the most reasonable terms, at the old stand, corner of 7th and D streets.

JNO. A. DONOHOO.
July 16—tf

SCHOOL BOOKS.—FRANCK TAYLOR, bookseller, a few doors east of Coleman's Hotel, has constantly on hand, at northern prices, a full assortment of the school-books used in the District.
Aug 25

BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES, ALEXANDRIA.

MRS. MARY L. ELIASON will open a boarding and day school, at her residence, on the corner of Prince and St. Asaph streets, on Monday, the 8th of September next, for the instruction of a limited number of young ladies in the several branches of a thorough English and French education.

The English department will be conducted by a lady who was formerly a teacher in the Albany Female Academy, and has been for several years teaching in the family of Mrs Eliason.

Great pains will be taken to teach well the principles of science, the application of which will require diligent study on the part of the pupil; and in order to accomplish fully this important object, teachers of the highest qualifications will be provided for each department. The French teacher will reside in the family, and the pupils will be taught to speak accurately, as well as to read and write the French language.

To those young ladies whose parents desire it, a course of instruction will be given in Latin, as the foundation of modern languages.

The government will be parental, and conducted on Christian principles. Alexandria is admirably located for an institution of this kind, being retired and healthy, combining the advantages of town and country. Members of Congress who have daughters to educate, will find this institution convenient for that purpose, as steamboats ply hourly between Alexandria and Washington city.

The scholastic year will be divided into two sessions, of twenty-two weeks each, commencing on the 8th of September, and the 8th of February.

TERMS.

For board and tuition in English and French, per session, payable in advance - - -	$125
Day scholars in English and Latin - -	20
Day scholars in French - - -	12

Music and drawing at professors' charges, and no other extra charges will be made.

Each young lady must be provided with a silver cup and fork.

As the number of pupils is limited to thirty, it is requested that application for admission be made immediately, either by letter, or personally, to Mrs. Eliason, at her residence in Alexandria.

REFERENCES.

Right Rev. William Meade, Millwood, Va.
Rev. Charles B. Dana, Alexandria, D. C.
Rev. Dr. Sparrow, Theological Seminary of Virginia.
Rev. George A. Smith, Principal of the Fairfax Institute.
Henry Dalingerfield, esq., do.
Louis A. Cazenove, esq., do.
Hon. J. McLean, Judge of the Supreme Court United States, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Chas. M. Thruston, esq., Cumberland, Md.
Hon. Thomas H. Benton, St. Louis, Mo.
Thomas D. Mütter, M. D., Philadelphia, Penn.
Hon. Edward Stanly, Washington, North Carolina.
Gen. Roger Jones, Washington, D. C.
Gen. A. Henderson, do.
Eustace Conway, esq., do.
Grafton Dulany, esq., Baltimore, Md.
Hughes Armistead, esq., Baltimore, Md.
July 28—3taw3m

WASHINGTON HIGH SCHOOL.

THE third academic year of this institution will commence on the first Monday in September.

In order, however, to obviate the difficulty and delay incident to the formation of new classes, and especially to the examination and proper disposition of new pupils, after the duties of the school have been formally resumed, parents are earnestly requested to send their sons as early as possible in the week preceding the first day of September. A daily attendance by the pupils during this week, of from two to three hours, will greatly facilitate future operations, and obviate much subsequent loss of time.

The department of modern languages, lately vacated by the removal of Mr. Girault, has been intrusted to Professor Dovilliers, a graduate of the University of Paris, and a teacher of experience. This gentleman will also give instruction in drawing and painting. Specimens of his performance, and of that of some of his late pupils in these desirable accomplishments, may be seen at the residence of the subscriber, corner of 18th and I streets.

Six young gentlemen can be received in the family of the principal, of which Professor Dovilliers will be a member, and in which, as far as practicable, the French language will be the medium of conversational intercourse.

Parents residing beyond the limits of the city, either within the District or elsewhere, who may desire for their sons an opportunity of enjoying, in the prosecution of their studies, the singular advantages peculiar to the metropolis for developing and stimulating the intellectual powers, as well as for acquiring varied useful information, may be made acquainted with the character of the High School by consulting any of the gentlemen whose names are appended, and of whom all (except those marked with an asterisk) either now have, or have recently had, sons among its pupils.

The terms for boarders will be $225 for the academic year, payable semi-annually, and always in advance.

This sum will be in full for board, lod