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WASHINGTON CITY, TUESDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 25, 1845

NATIONAL HOTEL, WASHINGTON, D. C.—The proprietor of this fine hotel, formerly known as "Gadsby's" but now generally called "Coleman's Hotel," desires to return his thanks to his friends, and the travelling portion of the community generally, for the favors which they have bestowed upon him since he opened his establishment, and to assure them that he will spare no exertions to render his house worthy of the patronage of which he has already received so liberal a share.

The house having been during the summer thoroughly painted and refitted, is now in first-rate order for the reception of travellers or residents; and the proprietor respectfully solicits a continuance of the favors on the part of visiters to Washington, and residents during the session of Congress, being confident that they will always find comfortable lodgings, the best on the table that the market affords, and attentive and polite waiters.

S. S. COLEMAN.

Sept. 19—tf

ELEGANT AND EXTENSIVE PROPERTY FOR SALE—The late residence of Mr. Armfield, on Prince street, in Alexandria. The house is brick, built of the best materials, handsomely finished, and well arranged for comfort and convenience; contains 15 rooms, most of them large and airy, and has a wide hall through the centre. Wash-houses of brick, also covered with metal, connecting, in one range, of wood and wash-houses, kitchen above ground, two bathing and two dressing-rooms. On the opposite wing, a fine green-house; adjoining in the rear, a brick two-story double house for servants.

The flower-gardens extend from Patrick to Henry streets. The vegetable garden is large and productive.

It is considered, by many, the handsomest and most desirable residence in the District.

It will be sold low, and on accommodating terms, on application to

WM. D. NUTT,
At the Treasury Department.

Oct. 29—1w&eotf

SETH BARTON,
COUNSELLOR AT LAW,

CONTINUES to practise in the Supreme Court of the United States, except that he takes no employment in cases *adversely* to the interests of the United States. Sept. 17

ALBANY FEMALE ACADEMY.—The next quarter will commence on the first Monday of September. This institution (founded in the year 1814, and occupying a spacious and elegant edifice, erected especially for its accommodation,) comprises six departments; the whole under the charge of ten professors and teachers, besides four who have charge of the ornamental branches, and subject to monthly visitations by committees of the board of trustees.

The course of instruction is designed to be useful and practical, and to embrace all the various branches of a complete female education.

The institution is furnished with maps, charts, globes, models, chemical and philosophical apparatus; an orrery, with numerous working models and diagrams for illustrating the science of astronomy, constituting an apparatus for this purpose not surpassed, it is believed, by that of any similar institution in the country; and an extensive library, consisting about six thousand volumes; in addition to which, in each of the three lower departments is a small library, carefully selected with reference to the capacities and attainments of the younger pupils.

One important feature in the arrangement of the academy, is the division of labor among many instructors, so that the attention of each is devoted to few studies, instead of being occupied with the whole belonging to a department; and it is to this that the trustees ascribe, in a great measure, the reputation which the institution has derived from the superior scholarship of its pupils.

The department of composition continues, as heretofore, to receive particular attention, and, in addition to criticisms and corrections of individual productions, oral lectures are given, by the principal and professor of the first department, to the various classes convened for that purpose.

The services of a teacher are devoted exclusively to instructions in penmanship: and instruction in vocal music is given by a lady eminently qualified, and who is engaged in this branch alone.

The French department, it is believed, is not excelled in its arrangements and facilities by any other in the country. The pupils receive daily lessons, and, by the aid of the normal class, in which young ladies may qualify themselves to become accomplished teachers of the language, the juvenile department has succeeded beyond the expectations of the trustees. Taught in the same manner as children of the same age in France, the pupils in this department acquire the language in its purest pronunciation, with astonishing ease and accuracy. In the department of drawing and painting, the trustees have secured the services of a very accomplished instructor in this art.

The courses of lectures on astronomy and chemistry are delivered during the autumn and winter terms; those on the other branches of natural science, during the spring and summer terms.

The boarding establishment, under the personal charge of the principal and professor MOLINARD, and subject to the visitation of the trustees—in both of which are afforded the best advantages for the acquirement of a practical knowledge of instrumental music, and any of the ornamental branches of female education, and in the latter of which the French language is exclusively spoken—the trustees commend with great confidence to their patrons.

The academic year commences on the 1st of September, and is divided into four terms, commencing respectively on the 1st September, 17th November, 1st February, and 4th May; a vacation of six weeks following the examination in July, and a second of one week at the close of the quarter ending on the 27th April.

The board are happy to state that they have been enabled to engage the services of Mr. L. S. PARSONS as principal of the institution—a gentleman whose talents, acquirements, and experience in teaching, inspire the utmost confidence that the interests of the academy will be constantly advanced, and that it will continue, as it has been, to be a rich mountain of public blessing.

For terms of instruction, or any other information which may be required in relation to the institution, reference may be had to L. S. Parsons, A. M., the principal, or to either of the trustees. By order of the board.

L. S. PARSONS, Secretary.

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FOR RENT.—The subscriber will rent to a good and punctual tenant the house lately occupied by him, and well known as the Globe Hotel, situated on Pennsylvania avenue, and opposite the National Theatre.

There is probably not a better location in the city for a well-conducted hotel than this. There is also a quantity of furniture now in the house, which will be sold at a valuation, should the tenant wish it. For further particulars, inquire of

JAMES MAHER, or of
R. W. DYER & CO.,
Auc. and Com. merchants.

The National Intelligencer, Baltimore Sun, and Richmond Enquirer will please insert, and send bill to R. W. Dyer & Co.

Oct. 23—3tawtf

DENTISTRY, OR DENTAL SURGERY.—Dr. VAN PATTEN continues at his pleasant and central location (a few doors west from Brown's and Coleman's hotels.) He pledges himself to perform any and every operation appertaining to his profession, as successfully, and with as little pain, as can be done in any of the eastern cities.

He inserts teeth of any desired shade or size, with or without gums, singly or in full sets, as cases may require; and usually secures them to the gums by that most cleanly and comfortable principle of atmospheric pressure. Yet, being fully competent to apply every known principle, his patients shall always have the benefit of the mode best adapted to the condition of their mouths.

Having been long established in Washington, he deems it unnecessary to expose patients' names for reference, but would suggest to strangers that they inquire of citizens.

N.B. No charge for work that should come short of what was promised in the contract, nor ever any charge for repairing, or even renewing, his work.

Nov. 1—1m.

BEALE H. RICHARDSON & CO.,
*Dealers in foreign and domestic dry goods,*
No. 223, MARKET STREET, BALTIMORE,
Three doors east of Charles;

HAVE now on hand a large and well selected stock of staple and fancy dry goods, as follows:

WOOLLENS.

200 pieces French, English, and American broadcloths, of every color, from common to superfine.
250 pieces new style fancy doeskin, and plain black French, English, and American cassimeres.
A large assortment of black, blue, brown, olive, wave, and gold mixed beaver cloths.
Black, blue, and drab pilot do.
1,000 pieces sattinets, Tweeds, Kentucky jeans, fulled linsey, and kerseys.
500 pieces white, red, and yellow plain and twilled flannels.
500 pairs riband-bound, Whitney, and rose blankets.
Servants do. white and colored counterpanes.
50 pieces fancy plaid cloakings and cloak linings.
Bleached, unbleached, and colored Canton flannels.

VESTINGS.

Silk, satin, fancy, toilette, plain and fancy velvet.
Cashmere, merino, and swansdown vestings.

DRESS GOODS.

Repp Cashmere, Cashmere d'Ecosse, black and fancy-colored alpacas.
French and English bombazines.
Crape de Pekin, Venetian crapes, mousselin de laines, silks, &c.

SHAWLS! SHAWLS!!

Silk, cashmere, mousselin de laine, crape.
Pain and embroidered Thibet, and blanket shawls.

LINENS! LINENS!!

6-4, 8-4, 10-4 and 12-4 Barnsley shirtings.
6-4 and 12-4 cotton do.
Bleached and brown linen table-cloths.
Birdeye, huckaback, and Russia diapers.
Fine and superfine linen cambric handkerchiefs.
White, black, and brown Hollands, Irish linens.

VARIETY.

Silk handkerchiefs; black Italian, and fancy silk cravats.
Silk and worsted serges, paddings, canvas, black lastings, waddings, patent threads, sewing-silk, suspenders, buttons, tapes, hooks and eyes, spool cotton, &c.

HOSIERY AND GLOVES.

1,000 doz. silk, worsted, and cotton hose.
Woollen, Berlin, and kid gloves.

PRINTS AND BLEACHED GOODS.

40 cases new-style fall prints.
30 cases bleached muslins and sheetings.
50 bales 3-4, 7-8, 4-4, and 5-4 brown muslin and sheetings.
20,000 lbs. cotton-yarn, at factory prices.

In addition to the above, we are daily adding large quantities of the most desirable and fashionable goods from auction and private purchases; to which we invite the attention of the trade, assuring all, that we can, and will, sell as cheap as any jobbing house in this or any of the eastern cities.

B. H. RICHARDSON & CO.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 10, 1845.
Sept. 13—tf

CHAMPAGNE WINES, &c., &c.—Choice wines, of the well-known brand J. Leausseure, and others, viz:

50 boxes sillery Massouex
10 do Romanie and Richburg sparkling Burgundy
25 baskets Russian Eagle
25 do Ay Mosseux, &c.
Hermitage, white and red
Coterotie, do do.

Also, Port, Sherry, and Madeira wines, of superior quality, received and for sale on commission, by

A. R. THOMPSON,
52 Beaver st., New York.

Oct. 23—1mif

MEXICAN SCRIP FOR SALE.

ABOUT $3,500 in Mexican scrip, bearing 8 per cent. interest *per annum*, and payable in seventeen quarterly instalments, seven of which are already due, for sale by the present holder, who is about to remove to Europe.

Offers received until the 25th of October, 1845: addressed to P., No. 292 Broadway, New York.

This is a good opportunity offered to capitalists to make a safe and profitable investment.

Oct. 7—tf

BENJAMIN HOMANS, *Auctioneer and Commission Merchant*, has taken that large and commodious building, known as the Medical College, corner of E and 10th streets, where he is prepared to receive merchandise of every description, for public or private sale. The rooms are well calculated for the display of goods, capable of accommodating a large company, and the building only one square north of Pennsylvania avenue.

Sales of real estate, furniture, and personal property, attended to at any place within the city.

Nov 5—2w

TRANSPORTATION OF STORES.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
Bureau of Provisions and Clothing,
3d November, 1845.

PROPOSALS, sealed, and endorsed "Proposals for Freight to Port Praya, Cape de Verds," will be received at this office until 3 o'clock, p. m., on Monday, the first day of December next, for the transportation of about 2,500 barrels (more or less) of government stores from the navy-yard at Gosport, Va., to Port Praya, there to be discharged on board the United States store-ship Southampton. Offers must specify the price asked per barrel, without distinction between wet and dry—five and a half cubic feet of measurement goods, and thirty gallons to the gauge of all casks not usually called barrels, to be considered as barrels, whatever they may contain; no primage to be allowed. Ten fair-weather working lay days to be allowed at each of the ports of Gosport and Port Praya for taking in and discharging cargo. Payments to be made by any navy agent in the United States, on producing satisfactory evidence of the delivery of the cargo. Proposals must state the description, name, and condition of the vessel, and where she is at the time of offering her; and she must pass the usual inspection, and be ready at the navy-yard at Gosport to receive cargo by the 15th December; and, if not presented for examination within three days after being notified of her acceptance, the freight will be offered to the next lowest bidder, according to law.

To be published once a week until December 1 in the Union, Intelligencer, and Constitution, District of Columbia; Republican and Argus, Baltimore; Keystone and Pennsylvanian, Philadelphia; Journal of Commerce and Evening Post, New York.

Nov. 4—1awt1D

PERUVIAN GUANO.—The subscriber offers for sale a portion of the Orpheus's cargo of PERUVIAN GUANO, just arrived at New York, from the Chinchia Islands, in parcels of five tons and upwards, at $50 per ton of 2,240 lbs.

Purchasers of smaller quantities will be supplied by DAVID C. HARRIS, No. 155, Baltimore street, at the following rates:

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| 3 to 5 tons | $52 50 |
| 1 to 3 tons | 54 00 |
| Under 1 ton, 2½ cents per lb. | |

SAMUEL K. GEORGE,
No. 4 German street, Baltimore, agent for Peruvian Company.

Oct 23—2aw1m

AMERICA, AND THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, by Frederick Von Raumur.—Just received by F. TAYLOR.

AUCTION GOODS, AUCTION GOODS, AUCTION GOODS!—This morning will be opened, at the Baltimore Cash Store, from the auction sale of Manard & Hutton, importers of French goods, of New York, an extensive assortment of French and other goods, which we name below, viz:

10 pieces of Tartan Plaids for ladies' dresses—all the rage in New York, Philadelphia, and Baltimore
15 pieces Tartan Plaids, silk and wool, for ladies' dresses
20 do new style Cashmere and Muslin
40 do super French, some patterns of entirely different styles from any ever offered before
10 do silk embroidered Cashmere d'Ecosse
50 do super French Merino, of scarce colors
30 do French Bombasin
25 do black Alpacas, of various qualities, part very superior
30 do beautiful style Earlston Ginghams
20 do twilled do do a very desirable article

*In Velvets and Silks.*

10 pieces plain black and blue-black silks
20 do 20 and 27-inch striped black silks, of beautiful styles
10 do super watered do do
50 do colored silks, of all colors and quality, some very rich and of the newest styles
10 do black and blue-black silk velvets for dresses and mantillas
2 do Mazarin blue silk velvets
2 do moreen do
2 do crimson do
2 do green do
2 do royal purple do

The above velvets compose the best assortment ever offered in this market.

*In Scarfs and Shawls.*

20 pieces scarlet and red Canton crape shawls, an article very much in demand
20 super camel's-hair Terkeri scarfs, a very fashionable article
20 entirely new style ombre-shaded scarfs
30 12-4 camel's-hair Terkeri shawls, richly printed
30 12-4 do do of colors red, green, yellow, and blue middles
20 12-4 super printed Cashmere
10 13-4 largest size Cashmere Brocha shawls
20 12-4 embroidered Thibet do
50 12-4 plain black, mode, and green Thibet do
20 10-4 rich chameleon silk shawls
30 12-4 rich bullion fringes, plain Terkeri shawls, of colors green, brown, and black
20 12-4 French blanket shawls
10 12-4 embroidered white and scarlet Canton crape shawls

*Gloves and Linen-cambric Handkerchiefs.*

100 dozen ladies' colored kid Gloves, with elastic wrist and lapels
30 do white and parti-colored do do do
10 do white long kid do do do
10 do half do do do do
20 do colored silk Gloves
10 do black and colored silk Mits
30 do tape-bordered linen-cambric Handkerchiefs
20 do hemstitched do do
30 do Riviere bordered do do
20 do do do do do with ten rows of stitching
5 do embroidered and Riviere bordered linen-cambric Handkerchiefs
1 do super super do. with lace trimming

The handkerchiefs are certainly cheaper than anything we have ever seen. Do call and ask for "the handkerchiefs."

*Irish Linens and Diapers.*

20 pieces super Irish Linens
30 do do undressed Linens
5 do very fine do for collars and bosoms
25 dozen Table Napkins
10 do super damask Napkins
10 pieces 10-4 Table Diaper
10 do 12-4 damask do
20 do super linen Kenting
20 dozen colored Doileys
30 do do cotton Table cloths
10 do cloth do

*Curtain Goods.*

10 pieces striped Muslins, for curtains
10 do embroidered and striped Muslins, for curtains
20 do plain and twilled red Cashmere
30 do damask "oil-colored" do
30 do watered moreens
30 do all colors, damask moreens

Together with many other goods, such as—
10 dozen black worsted and merino Hose
30 do do Cashmere do
100 do cotton Hose, black and white
30 do white silk Hose, ribbed and embroidered
30 do do do do do
10,000 yards Calico, at 12½ cents
5,000 do new style shaded stripes, in imitation of the shaded Cashmere
50 pieces red and white Flannel
10 do super Roger's patent Flannel

And a great many other goods, which, for the want of time, we cannot enumerate. As we are determined this season to sell goods at less profits than heretofore, purchasers will do well to call and examine our stock before they make their purchases.

Oct 28—iftf PITTMAN & PHILLIPS.

GREATEST WONDER OF THE AGE.

PATENT GALVANIC RING, AND MAGNETIC FLUID.—These wonderful Rings, and the Galvanic Fluid, have created a great sensation throughout Europe, and are attracting crowds to see them, both in New York and Boston. They cure with astonishing rapidity rheumatism, gout, tic-doloreux, fits, cramp, sick headache, indigestion, paralysis, stiff joints, general debility, deficiency of nervous energy, and all nervous disorders. They produce all the beneficial results of the ordinary galvanic battery, or electric and magnetic machines, without the injurious shocks which always accompany their application. The secret of preparing the Ring was discovered by Professor Harmance Christie, of London, in October last, and they have been recently introduced into this country by Dr. A. Christie, who warns the American public, from the beginning, to beware of spurious imitations. To guard against fraud, he will appoint but one agency in each of the cities of the United States.

For sale by the only agent in this city,

O. FISH & CO.,
Nos. 1 and 2, Brown's hotel.

Aug 26—3m

WILL BE OPENED, this morning, at the Baltimore Cash Store—

150 pieces new style mousselines de laine
50 do Cashmere d'Ecosse, to sell at 31¼ to 50 c.
100 do French mousselines de laines
25 do do Cashmere d'Ecosse
30 do do runarounds do
10 do dress patterns of embroidered Cashmere d'Ecosse.

All of the above goods are of the newest styles, received by the last steamers from Europe.

Sept. 23—tf PITTMAN & PHILLIPS.

VALUABLE MEDICAL WORKS offered at a very small advance from cost, for cash, by E. K. LUNDY, between 4½ and 6th streets, south side Pennsylvania avenue, Washington.

Curveillier's Anatomy
Churchill's Diseases of Females
Churchill's System of Midwifery
Chapman on Eruptive Fevers, Dropsies, Gout, &c.
Chapman on Thoracic and Abdominal Viscera
Bartlett on Typhoid and Typhus Fevers
Billings's First Principles of Medicine
Domestic Management of the Sick-room
Dewees's System of Midwifery
Dunglison's Practice of Medicine, 2 vols.
Dunglison on Human Health
Dunglison on New Remedies
Dunglison's Medical Dictionary
Graham's Elements of Chemistry
Hoblyn's Medical Dictionary
Harrison on the Nervous System
Rigby's System of Midwifery
Roget's Outlines of Physiology and Phrenology
Popular Treatise on Vegetable Physiology
Traill's Medical Jurisprudence
Pereira on Food and Diet
Arnedral's Essays on Blood and Disease
Wilson's Dissector
Smith & Horner's Anatomical Atlas
Wood & Bache's United States Dispensary, new edition.
American Journal of Medical Science, published quarterly, at $5 a year
Braithwaite's Retrospect, published semi-annually, $1 a year
London Lancet, published monthly, $1 a year

Nov 5—1md

UNION HOTEL, GEORGETOWN, D. C.—The subscriber, having leased this old-established house for a term of years, and having just completed an entire renovation of the premises, so as to place it on an equal footing with the first class of hotels in the District, is now prepared to receive permanent boarders, or transient travel, on the most accommodating terms.

The hotel is very large, and was built with reference to comfort and convenience. It is pleasantly located, in a central part of the town, of convenient access to the business portions of it; and within a short walk of the principal departments of government.

The house has been newly and handsomely furnished, and no pains shall be spared to render it in every respect one of the most desirable stopping points in the District, if experience and attention can effect it.

GEO. H. HOLTZMAN.

Nov 14—3tawtf

WEBSTER'S LARGE DICTIONARY—price reduced to $10 50.—Two large volumes in full leather binding; the finest copies in regard to paper and printing—points upon which a great difference exists—and the most complete and extensive edition extant; the copies now offered containing (as few do of those now in circulation) the large and exceedingly valuable supplement, which was only completed by the author immediately before his last illness, and which is published and copy-righted since his death by his executors.

For sale (a few copies only remaining) by

Nov. 15— F. TAYLOR.

DR. SWAYNE'S COMPOUND SIRUP OF WILD CHERRY,

*The great remedy for consumption, colds, coughs, spitting of blood, bronchitis, difficulty of breathing, asthma, pain in the side and breast, whooping-cough, croup, and all diseases of the liver and lungs, broken constitution, &c.*

THE above is the original and only genuine preparation from this valuable tree, and has won its way to public favor by its unparalleled success in curing all diseases of the lungs, notwithstanding the many articles prepared by persons who have no knowledge of the science of medicine, in theory or practice; and some, more readily to deceive the unsuspecting, use a part of the name of the original preparation, such as "balsam of wild cherry," "Phœnix balsam of wild cherry," "balsam of wild cherry and camfrey," &c.—all sprung up with a mercenary view, after Dr. Swayne's compound sirup of wild cherry had won a reputation in the healing art never to be forgotten by many a once cheerless fireside Therefore the public should be on their guard, and purchase none but the original preparation, which is daily performing such astonishing cures in pulmonary complaints, after all remedies had failed, and the patients given up as hopeless. Thousands of certificates might be published, which would astonish credulity itself; but it is deemed unnecessary. Below we publish a few of the names of persons who have been cured by this wonderful remedy:

Robert Glenn, steward of the almshouse near Frankford, testifies to the efficacy of Dr. Swayne's compound sirup of wild cherry, in curing Valentine Chapman, one of the most aggravated cases of diseased lungs which has ever been placed upon record, after every other remedy had failed, and his physician had given him up as incurable.

Mrs. Brown, corner of Second street and Germantown road, Philadelphia, effectually cured of diseased lungs and the symptoms of incipient consumption, by using four bottles of Dr. Swayne's compound sirup of wild cherry.

R. Jackson, D. D, formerly pastor of the first Presbyterian church, New York testifies to the efficacy of Dr. Swayne's compound sirup of wild cherry, and recommends it to the heads of families, having witnessed its wonderful effect in more than one hundred cases, in relieving children of every obstinate complaint, such as coughing, wheezing, choking of phlegm, asthmatic attacks, &c.

Abraham Skinner, Crawford county, Pennsylvania, cured of a protracted cough, pain in the side and breast, &c., after being reduced to a mere skeleton.

James Osburn, Washington, Pennsylvania, cured of consumption and bleeding of the lungs, after being given up by several eminent physicians, and having used most of the patent medicines.

This medicine, in all cases, gives immediate relief, and is a safe, pleasant, and effectual remedy, and worth a trial from the most skeptical.

☞ Prepared only by Dr. Swayne, north corner of Eighth and Race streets, Philadelphia, where all orders must be addressed.

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Corner of 11th street and Penn. avenue, agent for Dr. Swayne.

Also by G. M. SOTHORON, Georgetown.
WM. STABLER & BROTHER, Alexandria
J. P. COOK, No. 76, Baltimore street, Baltimore.
PEYTON JOHNSON, Richmond, Va.

Sept 29—tf

DANCING ACADEMY.

MR. F. C. LABBE has the honor to inform the ladies and gentlemen of Washington, Georgetown, and Alexandria, that his Dancing Academy will reopen on Tuesday, 4th November, at his dwelling-house, on Pennsylvania avenue.

*Days of tuition*—Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays; from 3 p. m. to 5 p. m., for young ladies; from 5 to 7 p. m., for young masters.

N. B. Those ladies and gentlemen who may feel desirous to receive instruction at Georgetown, will please leave their names with Mr. George Holtzman, Union Hotel, or at Mr. L.'s residence in Washington.

Oct. 27—2taw3m [Int. and Georgetown Adv.]

S. L. LEWIS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW, CENTREVILLE, VIRGINIA,

Continues the practice of his profession in the various courts. He regards the report that he is about to change his residence as somewhat fabulous. Any business, therefore, in the line of his profession, shall receive prompt, efficient and satisfactory attention.

Aug. 14—d3mif.

MEDICAL NOTICE.—Dr. WM. A. MCDOWELL, with the view of directing his attention more especially to diseases of the chest, will hereafter practise his profession from the 15th of November to the 15th of May, in the city of New Orleans; and from the 1st of June to the 1st of November in Louisville, Kentucky—in order that at all seasons his patients may enjoy the benefit of suitable climate. The mild temperature and humid atmosphere of New Orleans, rendering this a peculiarly salubrious winter residence for the consumptive.

Nov 11—3taw3w

VALUABLE ALBEMARLE ESTATE AT AUCTION.

THE subscriber will offer at auction, on the premises, on the 10th of December next, the estate called DUNLORA, the late residence of Colonel Samuel Carr, containing, by recent survey, four hundred and forty-three acres. Of these, one hundred and sixty are Rivanna low grounds, of the finest quality; more than one hundred acres are heavily timbered, the greater part of which is within two miles of Charlottesville, where wood commands a ready sale and high price. The rest, except what has been seeded in wheat this fall, is well set in grass. This estate is situated between two and three miles north of Charlottesville, and within four miles of the University of Virginia, in a wealthy neighborhood, remarkable for its intelligence and morality.

The Rivanna river, which bounds the estate, is navigable for batteaux, in both of its branches, for five and six miles above it, to large manufacturing mills of the highest repute. There is also another large mill, one mile below, on a tributary of the Rivanna. The improvements consist of a large and elegant brick dwelling, and all necessary outhouses.

Terms: One-fourth on the 15th February, 1846, and the residue in three equal annual instalments thereafter.

Immediately after the sale of the land, there will also be offered at auction thirteen young and likely negroes, all the stock, plantation utensils and household furniture, and the crops of corn, hay, and tobacco.

Terms made known on the day of sale.

GEORGE WATSON CARR.

Oct 23—dts

CAREY'S TRANSLATION OF DANTE.—One beautiful volume with 12 of Flaxman's illustrations. F. TAYLOR.

*Post Office advertisement—Mails to Europe, the Gulf of Mexico, and the Pacific.*

Under authority given to the Postmaster General of the United States, by act of Congress approved March 3, 1845, "to contract for the transportation of the United States mail between any of the ports of the United States and a port or ports of any foreign power, whenever, in his opinion, the public interests will thereby be promoted," I hereby invite PROPOSALS for carrying the mails of the United States as herein specified, to wit:

1. From New York to Liverpool, in England, and back;
   Or to Bristol, in England, and back;
   Or to Southampton do do.
2. From New York, by Cowes, in England, to Antwerp, in Belgium, and back;
   Or to Bremen, in Germany, and back;
   Or to Hamburg, in Germany, and back.
3. From New York to Havre, in France, and back;
   Or to Brest, in France, and back.
4. From New York to Lisbon, in Portugal, and back.
5. From New York, by Havana, in Cuba, to New Orleans, and back.
6. From New York, by Havana, or by Kingston in Jamaica, to Chagres, in Colombia, and back; with joint or separate offers to extend the transportation to Panama, and up the Pacific, to the mouth of the Columbia, and thence to the principal port in the Sandwich Islands;
   Or from Charleston to the same, and back;
   Or from Pensacola do do do.
   Or from Mobile do do do.
   Or from New Orleans do do do.
7. From New Orleans to Havana, and back; with an offer to extend to Kingston, in the island of Jamaica;
   Or from Mobile to the same, and back;
   Or from Pensacola to the same, and back;
   Or from Charleston to the same, and back, with an offer to supply Key West.

Proposals for commencing said routes at any other United States port on the Atlantic, than as above named, will be considered.

It is intended, out of the foregoing list of routes, to make selection of one to Europe, and one to the Gulf of Mexico and the Pacific, as may best be determined, after proposals for service on all the routes are submitted—not relinquishing, however, the right to place a greater number in operation, if it shall be deemed expedient to do so.

The proposals should specify the number of trips to be performed during the year, and as near as may be, the day of the month on which the vessel conveying the mail is to depart from the port at each end of the route. The department contemplates on route No. 1, a semi-monthly conveyance for eight months of the year, and a monthly conveyance for the residue of the year; on No. 2, a like frequent conveyance; and on No. 3, the same; on No. 4, a monthly conveyance; on No. 5, as frequent a transportation as two or three times a month; on No. 6, a trip once in two months; and on No. 7, twice or three times a month,

The proposals should specify the mode of conveyance, whether by steam-ship or sailing-packet; and set forth the size, rate, and description of the vessel, with sufficient particularity to enable the decision to be made on the advice of the proper officers of the naval service, whether the same is or is not convertible into a ship-of-war. And special notice is hereby given, that, agreeably to the provisions of the act of Congress aforesaid, those proposals (being acceptable in other respects) will be preferred, which shall engage to carry the mail in a *steam* ship or ships, and shall stipulate to deliver said ship or ships to the United States, or to their proper officer, on demand made, for the purpose of being converted into a vessel or vessels of war; the United States being bound, on their part, to pay the fair full value thereof at the time of delivery, to be ascertained by four appraisers, appointed two by the President of the United States, and two by the owner or owners, with an umpire, in case of disagreement, to be appointed by the President of the United States.

It should be shown, by the certificate of a postmaster, or other equivalent testimony, that the bidders are American citizens, and that the mail is to be transported by them "in American vessels, by American citizens."

The postage fixed by law upon mailable matter to be transported by these lines, is as follows: "Upon all letters and packages not exceeding one half ounce in weight, between any of the ports of the United States and the ports of England, or France, or any other foreign port not less than three thousand miles distant, *twenty-four cents*, with the inland postage of the United States added when sent through the United States mail to or from the post office at a port of the United States. Upon letters and packets over half an ounce in weight, and not exceeding one ounce, *forty-eight cents;* and for every additional half ounce, or fraction of an ounce, *fifteen cents.* Upon all letters and packets not exceeding one half ounce, sent through the United States mail, between the ports of the United States and any of the West India islands, or islands in the Gulf of Mexico, *ten cents;* and *twenty cents* upon letters and packets not exceeding one ounce; and *five cents* for every additional half ounce or fraction of an ounce. Upon each newspaper, pamphlet, or price-current, sent in the mail between the United States and any of the ports and places above enumerated, *three cents*, with inland United States postage added when the same is transported to or from said port of the United States, in the United States mail." The bidder may propose for an annual sum of compensation, to be named in the bid; or, in lieu thereof, for the whole or a certain proportion (to be named in the bid) of the postages accruing on the mail-matter conveyed over the route.

He may embrace in his offer a stipulation to carry an agent of the Post Office Department with the mails, or he may omit it, at his discretion. Such stipulation may induce a preference to be given in favor of a bid equal in other respects, over a bid not containing it.

Indentures of contract are to be executed by the accepted bidder and by his sureties, by or before the first day of May next. It is to provide, among other things, that the pay of the trip is to be forfeited when the trip is not performed, and a due proportion when a grade of service is rendered inferior to that specified in the contract; and that fines may be imposed, unless the delinquency be satisfactorily explained in due time, for failing to take from, or to deliver into, the post office at the port of landing, the mail belonging thereto, or any part of said mail; for suffering the mail, or any part of it, to be wet, injured, lost, or destroyed; for conveying it in a place or manner that exposes it to depredation, loss, or injury; for refusing, after demand made, to convey a mail by any additional steam ship or vessel run by the contractor on the route, over and above the specified number of trips in the contract, and for not arriving at the time set; also for transmitting intelligence, or furnishing the means of transmitting intelligence, in advance of the mail. The Postmaster General may annul the contract for repeated failures; for violating the post office laws; for disobeying the instructions of the deparment; for refusing to discharge a carrier when required by the department; for assigning the contract without the consent of the Postmaster General; or for setting up or running an express, as aforesaid.

The Postmaster General may alter the contract, and alter the schedule, he allowing a *pro rata* increase of compensation, within the restrictions imposed by law, for the additional service required, or for the increased speed, if the employment of additional stock or carriers is rendered necessary; but the contractor may, in such case, relinquish the contract, on timely notice, if he prefers it to the change. The Postmaster General may also discontinue or curtail the service, he allowing one month's extra pay on the amount dispensed with; and the contract "may at any time be terminated by joint resolution of the two houses of Congress."

The route, the service, the yearly pay, the bidder's name and residence, and the name of each member of the firm, where a company offers, should be distinctly stated in the proposals.

The following is the form of the guarantee, which should be filled, the first blank with the name of the guarantor; the second with that of the bidder; and the third and fourth with the beginning and terminating points of the route; and, after being dated, should be signed by the guarantor, who must be shown, by the written certificate of a postmaster, or other equally satisfactory testimonial, to be a man of property, and able to make good his guarantee. This guarantee, so certified, should accompany each bid:

"The undersigned —— guaranties that ——, if his bid for carrying the mail from —— to —— be accepted by the Postmaster General, —— shall enter into an obligation prior to the 1st day of May next, with good and sufficient sureties, to perform the service proposed.

"Dated——."

The bid should be sent under seal to the First Assistant Postmaster General, and the words "Mail proposals—Atlantic routes," or "Gulf of Mexico routes," as the case may be, written on the face of the letter, and should be despatched in time to be received by or before the 15th day of January next, which will be the last day for receiving proposals under this advertisement.

The acceptance or non-acceptance of the bids will be determined by the 31st day of January next.

The service is to commence with the trip nearest to the first day of May, 1846; but if the bidder shall not consider himself able or prepared to put the service in operation on or about that day, he will specify the day of commencement in his proposals. Offers to commence service at an earlier date will be considered. The contract term will expire with the voyage ending on or about the 30th day of June, 1850.

C. JOHNSON,
Postmaster General.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT,
Washington, D. C. October 4, 1845.

TO DENTISTS.

I HAVE to-day received a new supply of porcelain teeth of all sorts and sizes, from the celebrated manufactory of Dr. McGrath, of Philadelphia, which will be sold at his prices. They are very handsome and well shaped. If you want good teeth cheap, call on J. F. CALLAN,
Corner of E and 7th streets.

Sept. 16—tf

DENTAL SURGERY.

IN ALL ITS BRANCHES, BY
C. H. VAN PATTEN, M. D.
Pennsylvania avenue, a few doors west of Brown's Hotel.

Oct 9—1yd

CHILDREN'S SHOES, CHEAP FOR CASH One of the most complete assortments to be found in the city, comprising every variety. This branch will receive particular attention. Prices to suit the times.

W. MANN,
Sign of the *large Black Boot*, Pennsylvania av., two doors west of 4½ street.

July 24

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT OF THE COLUMBIAN COLLEGE.—The regular course of lectures in this institution will commence on Monday, November 3, at 11 o'clock, a. m., at which time an introductory lecture will be delivered by Professor May.

W. P. JOHNSON, M. D., Dean.

Nov. 1—

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
Bureau of Construction, Equipment, and Repair, Nov. 14, 1845.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this bureau, until 3 o'clock, p. m. of the 15th December next, for furnishing and delivering the following articles at the respective navy-yards, and within the times specified, viz:

AT THE NAVY-YARD, CHARLESTOWN, MASS.

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| 100 bolts, | No. 2, | flax canvas |
| 100 do. | No. 3, | do. |
| 100 do. | No. 4, | do. |
| 50 do. | No. 5, | do. |
| 100 do. | No. 6, | do. |
| 100 do. | No. 8, | do. |
| 50 do. | No. 3, | cotton canvass |
| 100 do. | No. 4, | do. |
| 100 do. | No. 5, | do. |
| 50 do. | No. 6, | do. |
| 50 do. | No. 7, | do. |
| 100 do. | No. 8, | do. |
| 100 do. | hammock stuff | |
| 10,000 pounds | dry white lead | |
| 2,000 do. | Spanish whiting | |
| 1,000 do. | red lead | |
| 500 do. | litharge | |
| 500 gallons | raw linseed oil | |
| 30 do. | spirits turpentine. | |

AT THE NAVY-YARD, BROOKLYN, N. Y.

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| 100 bolts, | No. 2, | flax canvas |
| 200 do. | No. 3, | do. |
| 100 do. | No. 4, | do. |
| 100 do. | No. 6, | do. |
| 150 do. | cotton hammock stuffs | |
| 25,000 pounds | dry white lead | |