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*Bank No.* 388 *Pennsylvania avenue,* (*National Hotel Building,*)
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WE receive money on deposite, and pay checks without charge, collect notes and bills in the District of Columbia and Alexandria, Virginia, and remit proceeds at current rates of exchange.

We receive all kinds of uncurrent money on deposite, and pay checks in like funds on specie, and charge current rates of exchange.

Buy and sell bills of exchange, coin, uncurrent money, and land warrants.

Bonds and stocks we buy and sell on commission only.

Dec 2—eod3m

### George W. Bray,

*Collector and Agent for Houses.*

RESIDENCE No. 282 NINTH STREET NORTH,
Between M and N streets,
WASHINGTON.

House renting and collecting promptly attended to, and punctual returns made. Jan 22—d8m

R. H. GILLET, Counsellor at Law, has removed his office to his residence in Franklin Row, corner of K and Thirteenth streets. He will continue to devote his attention principally to cases in the United States Supreme Court.

Oct 28—dtf

### EBBITT HOUSE.

J. H. FREEMAN.
F street, between 13th and 14th streets,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

THIS popular and fashionable hotel has been thoroughly repaired and furnished with new and superior furniture. It contains over one hundred rooms, and has all the requisites of a first-class house.

The proprietor has provided a coach, which will be at the railroad depot and steamboat landing at every arrival for the conveyance of passengers and baggage to the hotel.

Oct 9—

### D'IVERNOIS' HOTEL,

*Pennsylvania Avenue, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets,*
WASHINGTON, D. C.

This establishment is newly furnished and arranged on the most modern and improved principle, with private apartments for either ladies or gentlemen.

☞ The bar is supplied with the choicest of wines and liquors. Game and other delicacies in season. Hot and cold lunch from 11 o'clock, a. m., until 12, m.

Nov 22—tf

### CHARLES S. D. JONES,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

Oct 23—wtf *Dubuque, Iowa*

### El Oculista De Paris

RECIEN llegado a esta cuidad tienna el honor de Ofrecer a los CABALLEROS ESPANOLES un escojido, Surtido de Espejuelos, Lentes, Antojos de Teatro, y de larga Vista, Vidrios de Aumento, Muqueres copios, Lapiceras y Plumas de Oro, que son Articulos Franceses.

Tienda provisionalmente en Eight street, corner Penn. avenue. Precios muy moderados, lo mismo de Europa.

### Improve Your Eyes.

STRENGTHEN and assist them, by the Paris optician, D. WOOLFSON, who has arrived from Europe with his own, as well as the manufacture of a good many others of the latest improved spectacles and eye glasses; among which are the PERISCOPIC CONCAVE AND CONVEX, THE DOUBLE FOCUS AND DOUBLE POLISHED BRAZILIAN PEBBLES, CRYSTALS, ETC., which are warranted to improve any eye affected with weakness, cataract, or tending to it; also, SHORT-SIGHTEDNESS.

Persons who are compelled to use glasses, or those now using them, will be suited at first sight. Those wonderful DOUBLE-POLISHED VENEZUELIAN CRYSTAL ROCK have received the highest recommendations at the World's Fair, at Paris, through their producing a clearness and easiness of vision heretofore unknown in any other improvements.

Also, all styles of opera, spy, and magnifying glasses, compasses, and microscopes are for sale at his store, corner of Eighth street and Pennsylvania avenue, or eighth street, No. 491, between D street and Penn. avenue.

Prices very reasonable; the same as at his establishment in Europe.

Nov 21—d1y

L. J. MIDDLETON, Ice dealer, office and depot southwest corner of F and Twelfth streets, Washington, D. C

Ap 11—d1y†

### Marble Manufactures, Tombs, Statuettes, Etc.

THE SUBSCRIBER respectfully invites the attention of the public to his large and elegant stock of MARBLES, TOMBSTONES, AND MONUMENTS, At his establishment on E street north, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets.

He has in his employ carvers and other experienced workers in fine and coarse marbles, and in every other description of stone.

MARBLE MANTELS OF THE LATEST STYLES, Of his own manufacture, and of superior quality.

LINTILS, DOOR AND WINDOW SILLS, CARRIAGE STEPS, NEW YORK FLAGGING, &c.

In fact, everything that is required in the marble and stone business, either for utility or taste for the fine arts.

He deems a particular description of his stock unnecessary, but cordially invites a visit to his yard, where every one can judge for himself.

In addition to the above-enumerated articles he has a number of beautifully-wrought statuettes, suitable for either the tomb or the garden; some of them imported by himself from Italy. If these please not the fancy, he will manufacture to order such as may be desired.

By his varied facilities, promptness, and strict attention to business he hopes to meet the expectations of his patrons.

WILLIAM RUTHERFORD,
E street north, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets.

Sep 3—d6m

### GOLD AND SILVER PURCHASED

AT THE BEST RATES, FOREIGN BILLS OF EXCHANGE SOLD ON THE PRINCIPAL POINTS IN EUROPE IN SUMS TO SUIT.

GOLD CURRENCY AND VIRGINIA MONEY accounts will be opened for depositors, payable in same funds or in gold, charging the current rates. Checks must be marked accordingly.

Sight drafts on all the principal cities in the Union sold in sums to suit.

Bonds and stocks sold on commission.

Uncurrent money bought and sold.

Land warrants purchased at the highest rates.

SWEENY, RITTENHOUSE, FANT, & CO.,
Dec 4—3m Bankers.

### PHOTOGRAPH OIL PAINTINGS,

PROFESSOR J. E. CHURCHILL, Artist, respectfully returns thanks to his friends and patrons for past encouragement, and solicits a continuance of the same.

Studio at McCarter's Gallery, No. 448 Pennsylvania avenue, three doors east of 4½ street.

Dec 4—tf

WATCH Repairing and Engraving.—Watches, chronometers, and pocket timekeepers of every description repaired by skillful workmen and warranted to perform accurately.

Engraving of every description done in the best style, including the cutting of arms, crests, mottoes, and initials on stone.

*** Visiting and wedding cards elegantly engraved and printed.

M. W. GALT & BRO.,
Jewellers, 324 Pennsylvania avenue,
Jan 30—tf between 9th and 10th streets

FOR SALE.—A rare chance to secure a very fine lady's riding horse. He is a beautiful black, eight years old, fifteen hands and upwards high, and sound. He cannot be surpassed in style and action, and is perfect in all and every gait. He can be seen at the livery stable of Mr. Levy Pumphrey for a few days only.

Feb 5—dtf

SENSATION NOVEL.—Beatrice Cenci; translated from the Italian.

For sale by TAYLOR & MAURY,
Feb 20—4t [Globe.] Bookstore four doors west of 9th st.

[No. 594.]

### Notice for the Restoration of Certain Lands to Market in the State of Wisconsin.

THE grant of land to Wisconsin by the act of Congress approved 3d June, 1856, has been so far adjusted as to authorize the release from withdrawal of the vacant *offered* lands outside of the six-miles limits of the following routes for railroads, viz:

*First.* The railroad route from "Madison or Columbus, by the way of Portage City, to the St. Croix river, or lake, between townships twenty-five and thirty-one," and,

*Second.* Of the road from "Fond du Lac, on Lake Winnebago, northerly, to the State line."

A withdrawal of certain lands was also ordered June 12, 1856, along the other proposed routes mentioned in said act, viz: from "St. Croix river, or lake," "to the west end of Lake Superior; and to Bayfield," so as to afford time for the surveys and selections for said roads, but no survey having been reported of the same to the Department of the Interior, although more than a year and a half have elapsed since said withdrawal.

*Notice is therefore hereby given* that all the vacant offered lands heretofore withdrawn from sale or entry along the routes of said located railroads which lie outside of *six miles* on each side of the said roads, situated in the undermentioned townships, which have not been selected in virtue of said grant, or any other grant made by Congress, or legally claimed by pre-emption, and which were subject to private entry at the date of withdrawal, will be restored to private entry on the days and at the places hereinafter specified, at the ordinary minimum of one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre. And all the *offered* townships as hereinafter described which had been withdrawn from sale on account of the proposed roads, not yet located, mentioned in the foregoing, will be restored at the times hereinafter designated; with the express *proviso*, that the railroad grant by said act of 3d June, 1856, will attach to such of the *odd-numbered* sections as may be selected under said act within the six miles limits of such parts of the said roads as may be actually surveyed and staked off before the day hereinafter fixed for the restoration of said lands.

At the land office at MENASHA on Monday, the *fifth day of April next*, the townships on the route of the road from "Fond du Lac, on Lake Winnebago, northerly to the State line," viz:

*North of the base line and east of the fourth principal meridian.*

Townships 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, and 26, of ranges 13 and 14.

Townships 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27, of range 15.

Townships 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 22, and 23, of range 16.

Townships 15, 24, 25, 26, 27, 31, and 32, of range 17.

Townships 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, and 27, of range 18.

Townships 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 32, and 33, of range 19.

At the land office at MINERAL POINT on Monday, the *fifth day of April next*, the townships on the route of the road from "Madison or Columbus, by the way of Portage City, to the St. Croix river or lake, between townships twenty-five and thirty-one," viz:

*North of the base line and east of the fourth principal meridian.*

Townships 11, 12, 13, and 14, of ranges 1, 2, 3, and 4.
Townships 11, 12, and 13