

OFFICIAL.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Franklin Pierce, President of the United States of America.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Satisfactory evidence having been exhibited to me that EDWARD PHILIPPE LE PROTON has been appointed Consul Agent of France at Portland, in the State of Maine, I do hereby recognize him as such, and declare him free to exercise and enjoy such functions, powers, and privileges as are allowed to the Consul Agents of the most favored nations in the United States.

In testimony whereof, I have caused these letters to be made patent, and the seal of the United States to be hereunto affixed.

Given under my hand, at the city of Washington, on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1853, [L. S.] and of the independence of the United States of America the seventy-seventh. FRANKLIN PIERCE.

By the President: W. L. MARCY, Secretary of State.

Franklin Pierce, President of the United States of America.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Satisfactory evidence having been exhibited to me that CHARLES T. TAYLOR has been appointed Consul Agent of France at Louisville, in the State of Kentucky, I do hereby recognize him as such, and declare him free to exercise and enjoy such functions, powers, and privileges as are allowed to the Consul Agents of the most favored nations in the United States.

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BALTIMORE CORRESPONDENCE.

The Fourth of July—A Row at Annapolis—Burglaries.

BALTIMORE, July 5, 1853. The Fourth of July passed off quietly in this city, for the very good reason that more than one-half of our citizens spent the day out of town, some on the water, but the larger portion in the various rural resorts in the suburbs and outskirts of the city.

A party who visited Annapolis in the steamer Powhatan, had the usual annual quarrel and fight with the rowdies of that city. A number of guns were fired by both parties, and it is reported that one Baltimorean was killed.

The absence of so many persons from the city, and in some instances of whole families, afforded a fine opportunity for the burglarious operations of some of our experts in that line of business.

The dwelling of Mr. Dungan, in the western section of the city, who spent the day with his family in an excursion to Frenchtown, returned in the evening to find his house ransacked from top to bottom, and every valuable, even to clothing, and some of the carpets from the floors, carried off. They also obtained considerable money, including a check for four hundred dollars, the payment of which, however, has been stopped.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Arrival of the San Jacinto. PHILADELPHIA, July 5.—The United States steamer San Jacinto, from the Mediterranean, arrived at the navy yard this morning.

The Fourth in Philadelphia. PHILADELPHIA, July 5.—The fourth was celebrated yesterday with great spirit, an unusual number of strangers being in the city. No accident of moment occurred.

A disturbance took place in Kensington in the evening requiring the attendance of the marshal's police. A few heads were broken, but no one dangerously injured.

A fight took place in Spring Garden between two rival fire companies, in which the police were forced to use their revolvers, wounding, it is said, a little girl.

The display of military was large, but their number was somewhat lessened by a rain which fell during the morning.

At night splendid exhibitions of fireworks in the city and Northern Liberties attracted immense crowds. No accident occurred.

Charles Johnson, a convict in the county prison, celebrated the day by escaping. He was afterwards seen in his prison dress in the ranks of the "Fantastics," was chased, but managed to escape.

Charles Lex, a member of the Fairmount Fire Company, was drowned off Chester while on an excursion.

Markets.

New York, July 5.—Cotton—sales of 1,000 bales at unchanged rates.

Flour—sales of 4,200 bbls. at \$4 50 a \$4 68 1/2 for State, and \$5 a \$5 1/2 for Southern.

Wheat—sales of 30,000 bushels Western white at \$1 23.

Corn—sales of 25,000 bushels at 68 cents for mixed, and 69 cents for yellow.

Pork—sales of 1,500 bbls. at \$15 50 for mess, and \$13 87 1/2 for prime.

Bacon—sales of 100,000 lbs. sides at 7 1/2 a 7 3/4 cents.

Lard—sales of 4,650 bbls. lard, deliverable August and November, at terms not made public.

MARRIED.

On Tuesday morning, in the Fourth Presbyterian Church, by the Rev. JOHN C. SMITH, JAMES OSMOND WILSON, esp. to Miss SARAH A. WILSON, daughter of HENRY HUNGERFORD, esp., all of this city.

On Tuesday evening, the 28th ultimo, by the Rev. T. T. WYSONG, Mr. JOHN F. MILLER to Miss MARY JANE BARNES.

On the 29th ult., by the Rev. CHARLES KING, of Georgetown College, Dr. MARTIN VAN BUREN BOGAN to Miss NAOMI, only daughter of Mr. CHARLES THOMPSON, late of St. Mary's county, Md.

In the city of New York, on the 29th ult., by Archbishop HUGHES, CHARLES CARROLL MCTAVISH, of Carroll Hall, Maryland, to MARCELLA, youngest daughter of General Scott, United States Army.

In New York, on the 21st ult., by the Rev. Dr. DEWEY, Lieutenant MARIE THEOPHILE D'OR-EMIEUX, United States Army, to LAURA WILCOTT, daughter of the late Col. GEORGE GIBBS, of Sunswick, L. I.

DIED.

On the 30th ult., Mrs. HARRIET SIOUSSA, wife of Mr. FREDERICK SIOUSSA, aged 31 years.

On Tuesday, the 28th ult., HARRIET STARR, in the 34th year of her age.

On the 3d instant, after a few hours' illness, SAMUEL MASON, infant son of ROSANNA and HENRY A. KLOFFER, aged 18 months.

On the 14th ult., at her late residence in Prince George's county, Maryland, after a painful illness of a few hours, Mrs. JANE GWYNN, consort of Wm. H. GWYNN, in the 42d year of her age, leaving a disconsolate husband and five small children to mourn their irreparable loss. May she rest in peace.

On the afternoon of the 30th ult., at Mount Pleasant, the residence of his grandfather, SAMUEL, only child of JOSEPH and JOSEPHINE REUFERN, aged five months and ten days.

time, indoors and out. So numerous were the transgressions against the statute, that the police were enabled to make but few arrests; and near the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and Sixth street, while the officer was about to put his hand upon the shoulder of a suspected violator of law, a mischievous person behind him let off half a dozen packs at once, to the excessive merriment of the bystanders, and to the bewilderment of the policeman. We supposed that, as there is a great demand for gunpowder in China in consequence of the rebellion among the Celestials, our markets would be but sparsely supplied with their peculiarly constructed crackers; but the events of the Fourth of July have undeceived us.

A MOST EXCELLENT ARRANGEMENT.—Our new City Postmaster, Colonel Berrett, has, with the approval of the Postmaster General, made arrangements, too long delayed, but nevertheless of great advantage and convenience to our citizens. It is, that offices of deposit for letters and other mailable matter be established in all parts of the city remote from the city post office; agents of the post office will call at these places of deposit and convey the mail matter to the city post office in time for the departure of the several mails. In this way all citizens will have an opportunity of mailing their letters without incurring the necessity for a long walk, or the expense of a ride to the city post office, for the mere purpose of dropping in a letter. We understand the arrangement will go into effect immediately. Colonel Berrett will doubtless receive the sincere thanks of the community for adopting this convenience.

FIREWORKS—A DISAPPOINTMENT.—It having been customary for the Government to gratify the public on each succeeding anniversary of the Declaration of Independence with a splendid display of fireworks on the public mall, directly south of the President's House, several thousands of persons repaired thither on the evening of the fourth of July for the purpose of viewing a pyrotechnic exhibition. But they were disappointed; no light exceeding that of the firefly being seen in the neighborhood. A few rockets were, however, sent up from the Arsenal, and the juveniles throughout the city got up a display in a small way on private account.

ACCIDENTS.—On Monday a company of boys, inspired by patriotic emotions, made a cannon out of a piece of gas-pipe, with which they fired salutes. But, putting in an overcharge, the ordinance burst, and a fragment of it struck the leg of Frederick, aged about nine years, the son of Mr. John Hill, who was merely a spectator of the sport. The flesh was laid open to the bone, but under proper care the little fellow will probably recover of the wound.

The son of Mr. McGraw, who lives on the Island, fell from a tree on Maryland avenue on the 4th instant, but sustained no serious damage, although it was at first thought that he was fatally injured.

METROPOLITAN RAILROAD.—A meeting of the commissioners took place yesterday at the Union Hotel, Georgetown. Present: W. W. Seaton, W. W. Corcoran, J. W. Maury, F. Dodge, D. English, F. W. Risque, F. C. Klopfer, Meredith Davis, and R. T. Dade. The subscriptions were reported as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Location and Shares. Georgetown 7,057 shares, Washington 3,200, Montgomery Md. 388, Frederick Md. 140, Washington county, Md. 224.

Amounting to \$500,450. The subscribers are to meet on Thursday, the 28th of July, between the hours of twelve m. and three o'clock p. m., to elect twelve directors for the ensuing year.

Now that over half a million of dollars have been subscribed, we shall look for an early commencement of the work, the importance of which to the District of Columbia is universally conceded.

WATER FOR WASHINGTON AND GEORGETOWN.—The President of the United States on the 28th instant approved the plan of Captain Meigs for supplying the two cities with water from the Great Falls. The original estimate of the aqueduct was for seven feet in diameter, but this, it is said, has been increased to nine, so as to afford, if necessary, one hundred millions of gallons of water daily. The President, the Secretary of War, General Totten, and Captain Meigs, a friend informs us, have not only taken a deep interest in this great work, but are determined to prosecute it to a consummation. Thus acting, they will receive, as they deserve, the thanks of this community, and of all others who properly estimate the importance of a full supply of the healthful liquid to the metropolis of the Union.

SURRENDER OF FUGITIVES.—George C. Hough, charged with having, as treasurer of the school fund of Iowa county, Wisconsin, embezzled \$189 37, was recently arrested in this city, and started back to that section of the Union on the fourth instant, accompanied by the deputy sheriff of that county, who had followed in pursuit of him.

JOSHUA ANDERSON, who was arrested several weeks ago, charged with having killed a slave of Mr. Sprigg, of Cumberland, and who was lodged in the county jail, was, on Monday, taken to Maryland, on a requisition of the Governor of that State.

DROWNED.—Mr. William Voss, of this city, was drowned on Sunday evening, in the neighborhood of the Aqueduct, on the Virginia side of the river. His body was found the next morning a considerable distance from his clothes. The opinion of the coroner's jury was that he went into the water while in a state of excessive perspiration, and was seized with cramp, which led to his death; and they rendered a verdict accordingly. The body was brought to his late residence in this city for interment.

THE CITY COUNCILS having previously refused to adjourn over the Fourth of July, a meeting took place on that day. There was a quorum present in the Board of Common Council, but not in the Board of Aldermen—lacking two members. So, without transacting any business whatever, an adjournment took place; the "Fathers" who were present securing their per diem.

DONATION TO THE WASHINGTON MONUMENT.—At a meeting of the President and Directors of the Firemen's Insurance Company of Washington and Georgetown yesterday afternoon, a donation of one hundred dollars was unanimously made by the company to the Washington Monument.

THE STEAMER "BALTIMORE" arrived yesterday afternoon from her ocean trip. During the morning there was a meeting of the passengers, John L. Smith in the chair and S. E. Douglas acting as secretary; when a series of resolutions were unanimously passed, highly complimentary

to Captain McCausland, the commander, for his excellent accommodations and his unremitting exertions to render the excursion delightful.

DISTURBING RELIGIOUS WORSHIP.—On Friday last, in the criminal court, Bill James, Daniel Solomon, Kenny Solomon, and Charles Gust—three strong, able-bodied, strapping free darkies—were tried for a riot. It appeared in evidence that one of the rules of the colored congregation who worship at the Asbury Chapel, on 11th street, prohibits any person who may be in the church when the preacher "gives out his text from leaving the church till preaching is over, except in cases of necessity"—a rule which his honor thought an excellent one, and one which might be adopted with great profit by many other congregations. Solomon, who got tired of the sermon, demanded permission to go out, but the church authorities strictly enforcing their rule, by keeping the doors fastened, he was compelled to remain. He however, not being allowed to have his way, determined no one else should, and therefore he conducted himself in such a boisterous manner that the preacher was obliged to discontinue his discourse, and the exercises of the evening were completely prevented. In the meantime, the elders sent for an officer, who arrested Solomon, who, on his way to the office of the justice, fought most vigorously, and was aided in his assaults upon the officers by a numerous gang of "gemmen of color," of whom, however, Kenny Solomon, Charles Gust, and Bill James alone could be identified. The parties were found guilty; and the court, in sentencing them, made some excellent and appropriate comments upon the outrage—whether committed by whites or blacks—of disturbing a congregation engaged in religious worship, and of their subsequent conduct in the streets. By way of marking their conduct, and giving them time for reflection upon the past, and to make good resolutions for the future, he sentenced them each to two months' imprisonment in the county jail.

CRIMINAL COURT.—In the case of Hon. George Briggs for an assault upon the late Postmaster General, Mr. Hubbard, the court imposed a fine of fifty dollars for the offence.

Captain William Esby, the ex-Commissioner of Public Buildings, and Charles W. C. Dunnington, Captain of the Capitol Police, were tried for an assault and battery upon one James Grace, whom the Commissioner, and Captain Dunnington by his orders, were endeavoring to remove from the Capitol grounds. The prosecution alleged that Grace was violating no rule or regulation, or acting in any way disorderly. The defence alleged that Grace had a heavy brick in his hat and was disturbing the men engaged at work on the building. Grace had his head cut slightly, some said, while Grace himself considered it cut wide open. The two officers were indicted. The jury heard the evidence, and said that William Esby was guilty as indicted, and that Captain Dunnington was not guilty.

Several petty cases were disposed of, and the court adjourned.

CORONER'S INQUEST.—An inquest was held on Sunday morning upon the body of Agnes Morgan, a white woman, aged thirty years, a native of Ireland. She had been for some time working on the farm of Owen Murray, but, being taken sick from excessive heat and drinking cold water while on her way to her father's residence, died. Verdict in accordance with the facts.

WATCH-DOG REPORT.—During the month of June one hundred and fifty-one persons were brought to the central watch-house. Of this number sixty-six were blacks. Among the eighty-five whites, twenty were Irish, two Mexican, two French, one Scotch, one Swedish, and one German. On the fourth instant there were thirty-four cases. These, with the first mentioned, were charged with various petty offenses, such as firing crackers, disorderly conduct, and petty larceny. Some of them were fined, others gave security, while a few were held for court.

ELECTION OF BANK OFFICERS.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the Bank of the Metropolis, held on the 4th instant, all the officers of the institution were re-elected.

DIVIDEND.—The Firemen's Insurance Company of Washington and Georgetown yesterday declared a dividend of six per cent. for the last six months.

THERMOMETER, yesterday afternoon at four o'clock, 88 degrees.

IMPROVEMENTS IN WASHINGTON.—John Sessford, senior, the venerable chronicler of our city improvements, has furnished the following table to the Intelligence, exhibiting the number of dwellings commenced in each ward of the city from the 1st of January to the 30th of June, 1853, inclusive; the total number of houses in each; the probable population; and the ratio to each house:

Table with 6 columns: Wards, Brick, Wood, Total, Houses in each, Ratio to a House, Prob. Popula'n.

THE STATIONERY, MUSIC, AND FANCY STORE, on Sixth street, one square from Pennsylvania avenue, is the place where those pretty CUT PAPERS for Picture-frames and Ceilings can be found. Also fancy GRATE APRONS for fireplaces. Also—Blank Books, Stationery, Perfumery, Portemonnaies, &c. July 6-3t

VIRGINIA LAND SCRIP WANTED. The undersigned will pay the highest market rates for Virginia Land Scrip and Land Warrants. EVANS & FANT, Opposite the Treasury. July 6-d&w3m

VIRGINIA LAND SCRIP WANTED, at highest market rates, by CHUBB BROTHERS, Opposite Treasury. July 6-2wd

MUSIC, MUSIC! WIMMER, on Sixth street, receives regularly the latest Music, embracing Songs, Quartets, Polkas, Waltzes, Schottisches, Gems from the Opera, Marches, Variations upon popular airs, &c. A good second-hand GUITAR & VIOLIN for sale as above, 6th street, one square above Pennsylvania avenue. July 6-3t

G. S. McLEPRESH has removed his Cigar and Tobacco Store to the National Hotel building, first door east of the main entrance. July 6-3t

THE NEW YORK QUARTERLY REVIEW for July, just received by FRANK TAYLOR. July 6

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION. WHEREAS by an act entitled "An act relating to dogs," approved 25th July, 1829, and the act amending the same, approved 27th April, 1832, it is provided that "whenever it shall be made apparent to the satisfaction of the Mayor that any animal of the dog kind within this city shall be deemed and considered mad," it shall be the duty of the Mayor to issue his proclamation requiring that all animals of the dog kind shall be kept confined for such number of days as shall deem expedient and proper, to state in said proclamation, not exceeding ninety days; and it shall be the duty of the city constables, and lawful for any other person, to kill and bury all and every dog going at large contrary to the said proclamation," &c.

Now, therefore, it having been made to appear to my satisfaction that there are "animals of the dog kind" mad within this city, I do hereby give notice, to all whom it may concern, that "all animals of the dog kind" in this city are required to be kept confined for and during the term of sixty days from the date hereof; and the police officers of this Corporation are required to enforce the law in respect to all such as may be found going at large contrary to this proclamation.

Given under my hand at the Mayor's office, in the city of Washington, this 29th day of June, 1853. JOHN W. MAURY, Mayor.

THE ENGLISH VERMIN-DESTROYER HAS no equal in ridding chambers and kitchens of those troublesome pests to housekeepers, the Bedbugs, Ants, and Roaches. Every day brings new evidence of its efficacy. For sale only at WIMMER'S, Sixth street, near Louisiana avenue. July 6-3t

REMOVAL. THE undersigned beg leave to announce that they have removed their WINE & LIQUOR STORE to 75 Dock street, two doors east of their former establishment, where they will be glad to receive the visits of their friends and patrons, to whom they offer the attraction of a Stock not surpassed for purity, variety, and excellence by any establishment in the United States. THOMAS H. JACOBS & CO., 75 Dock street, Philadelphia. July 6

IMPORTED CIGARS. JUST received a new and choice lot of Havana Cigars, among which may be found the following brands, which for richness of flavor and fine qualities cannot be excelled: La Salvadora (London) La Constante do Esperanza (Millar Commune) Consolation do Mensajero do La Salvadora do Las Dos Cabanas do La Escogida (Regalia) GEO. W. COCHRAN, 7th st. op. National Intelligence Office. July 6-30t

SPRATT'S PATENT LIGHTNING RODS. THE undersigned would respectfully inform the citizens of Washington and its vicinity that he is now prepared to have put up these superior Rods, with Glass Insulators, in a safe and durable manner. Those in want will please leave their names with the subscriber, as several gentlemen have been imposed on by some who put up an inferior article and call it Spratt's. Recollect, the genuine Points and Rods can be obtained only from the duly authorized agent for the District of Columbia, between 4 1/2 and 6th streets Pennsylvania avenue. C. W. HEYDON, Agent. July 6-2w

TRANSPARENT TOILET SOAP IN BARS. SUPERIOR every other preparation, and infinitely superior to any other Toilet Soap now in use. It imparts softness to the skin, removes Blisters, Pimples, and other Eruptions, and is a certain cure for chapped hands. A supply just received and for sale at 12 1/2 cents a bar, at LAMMOND'S Comb and Variety Store, 7th Street, 2d door below E. July 6-1t

JOHN CONNELLY, UNDERTAKER, 7th Street, between G & H sts., west side. IS now provided with every thing requisite and necessary for the business, and is prepared at all times to fill all orders for funerals at the shortest notice. His system of preserving bodies in hot weather has always given satisfaction. Regularly on hand a large supply of ready-made coffins of all sizes and quality. July 6-1w

HOPKINS' GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING ESTABLISHMENT. CONSTANTLY on hand Cravats, Scarfs, Stocks, Gloves, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, Brushes, Combs, Cases, Umbrellas, &c. Patent Seams-shirts on hand and made to order. Pennsylvania avenue, one door from 6th street, between Brown's and the National Hotel. July 6-3t

OYSTERS! OYSTERS! OYSTERS! ARRANGEMENTS have been made to have on hand a constant supply of FRESH NORFOLK OYSTERS, which will be kept in ice, and served to the public who may call, in any desired manner. A Free Lunch every day at 11 o'clock. July 6-2w JOSHUA GIBSON.

THE ARLINGTON HAT. EVANS has just returned from New York with his new style hat, the "Arlington," which he invites his friends and customers to call and examine. Young "gent's" about visiting the Sage of Arlington should by all means have an "Arlington." It is not the hat for the balance of the season, then I am not. EVANS, Hatter, Penn. av., 3 doors from corner of 13th st. July 6-3t

E. M. DREW, MERCHANT TAILOR, 7th Street, opposite the Office of the National Intelligence. HAS on hand a large and choice assortment of HATS, Cloths, Cassimeres, and Vestings, to which he invites the attention of the public. Orders for garments executed with promptness, in a manner to please, and at moderate rates. July 6-2w

NEW GROCERY STORE, Corner of 7th & D Streets, by LINTON & TWEDDY.—The subscribers beg to inform their friends and the public generally that they have commenced the business in the spacious store, corner of 7th and D streets, lately occupied by John A. Donohoe, deceased. It is our purpose to keep constantly on hand a stock of goods which shall deserve the character of the "Family Grocery," as also every other article in the line of our business, however rare and costly. Courteous attention and prompt delivery of goods may be confidently expected. July 6-1w

INDIA-RUBBER LONG COMBS for children, the most economical comb in use. Also, Boy's Patent Leather Bells, Children's Willow Gigs, Wheelbarrows, Hoops, Rattan, Nursery, and Table Chairs, Grace Hoops, Travelling, Work, and other Baskets, just received and for sale cheap for cash, at LAMMOND'S Comb and Variety Store, 7th Street, 2d door below E. July 6-1t

BREKRETON & BRO. Grocery, Flour, Feed, and Liqueur Store, CORNER Seventh and F streets, opposite Patent Office, has constantly on hand a choice assortment of all articles pertaining to the trade, for sale at moderate prices. July 6-3t

FRESH DISCOVERIES AMONG THE RUINS of Nineveh and Babylon, by Austen H. LEAYRD, price \$2 25. Memorials of the English Martyrs, by C. B. TAYLOR. D'Aubigne's History of the Reformation, 5th vol., illustrated by Dr. Tyng. Christian Titles, by Dr. Tyng. Heatrice, by Catherine Sinclair. GRAY & BALLANTYNE, 7th Street, near Odd Fellows' Hall. July 6

TRINITY CHURCH SUNDAY SCHOOL EXCURSION. THIS SCHOOL will leave the city this day on an excursion to Arlington Spring. The boat will leave Seventh street wharf at 7 and 9 a. m., and at 3 p. m. Tickets 25 cents each, can be had at the wharf or at the bookstore of Wm. M. Morrison, Pennsylvania avenue, near 4th street. July 6-1t

ICE CREAM and Lemonade can be procured upon the ground. July 6-1t

ALEXANDRIA & WASHINGTON BOAT.

The GEORGE WASHINGTON will leave the regular steamboat wharf. The boat has fine comfortable saloons. The coach leaves the Capitol at 7, 9, 11, 12, 2, 4, and 6 o'clock. Leaves Alexandria at 7, 9, 11, 1, 3, 4, and 6 o'clock. Leaves Washington at 7, 10, 12, 2, 4, 5, and 7 o'clock. The above boat can be chartered for public or select parties. JOB CORSON, Captain. July 6-6t

MANUAL OF ELEMENTARY GEOLOGY, by Sir Charles Lyell. New illustrated edition of Don Quixote. Received for sale by TAYLOR & MAURY, Bookellers, near 9th st. July 6

CARD.—The subscriber takes this opportunity of returning his grateful acknowledgments to the ladies of Washington and its friends generally for the very liberal patronage they have been pleased to extend to him. His recent efforts to please in putting his Goods down at prime cost, he is glad to find has met with general approbation. His sales have exceeded his most sanguine expectations, and what is still better, they have given entire satisfaction. He will still on hand a lot of superior Goods, he would call special attention to the following, viz:

800 yards Step Oilcloth at 12 1/2, worth 25 cents 10 pieces invaluable Green Cloth \$2, worth \$3 50 10 pieces black green Cloth, super, \$2 50, worth \$4 300 yards stripe Silks, superior, 62 1/2 worth \$7 1/2 Satin Vesting, unsurpassed, \$2 50, worth \$4 50 A few more patterns only of those very splendid black Brocade Silks at \$1 75, worth \$3 500 Shawls at \$2 75, worth \$4 200 Carpet Bags, all prices 75 pieces plaid and stripe Muslins, very cheap 50 pieces plain Muslins, some very superior 50 pieces dotted Swiss Muslins at 23, worth 37 1/2 cents 20 pieces Grape Berge, a new article for ladies' dresses, 37 1/2, worth 75 cents 50 dozen gentlemen's Shirt Collars at 87 1/2, worth \$1 50 50 dozen Towels at \$1 35, worth \$2 50 dozen gentlemen's White Kid Gloves at 60 cents per pair, worth \$1 50 dozen Ladies' (all colors) Kid Gloves, at 50, worth 87 1/2 cents 150 yards Linen Cambric, good article, at 37, worth 75 500 yards Silk Tissue, finest grade, seven colored, at 37 1/2, worth 62 1/2 cents

The above Goods have been purchased at auction, and are well worth the attention of all. RICHARD W. CARTER, Opposite Centre Market, 2 doors from 8th street, between 7th and 8th streets.

In order to accomplish what I have in view, it becomes absolutely necessary to collect all my book accounts, notes, &c. they will be presented in a few days, and I trust will be promptly paid. R. W. C. June 28-1w

STOCK IN THE CAPE LOOKOUT PAVILION COMPANY.—Notice is hereby given that books for subscriptions to the capital stock of said company, chartered by an act of the General Assembly of the State of Maryland at the January session, 1853, will be opened at the Patriotic Bank, Chubb Brothers, bankers, and at the office of Messrs. Evans & Fant, in the city of Washington and District of Columbia, on Saturday the 25th instant, and will be kept open until the 25th of July next. WILLIAM H. DUNKINSON, F. W. RISQUE, EDWIN ROBINSON, Commissioners. June 27-d&w3m

THE PROPRIETOR OF THE IRVING HOTEL would respectfully remind the public that, during the repairs of Willard's Hotel, he offers accommodations to those who have business in the upper part of the city; or who like airy and comfortable apartments. DANIEL D. FRENCH. June 15-tf

IMPORTANT TO HOUSE-KEEPERS. NEW FAMILY GROCERY, Wholesale & Retail. THE SUBSCRIBER has leased, for a term of years the well-known Grocery Stand on the corner of Seventh and E streets, formerly occupied by Mr. John H. Johnson; and, having remodelled and fitted it up handsomely, is prepared to offer an extensive and well-selected stock of choice Family Groceries, embracing almost every article of necessity and luxury, which he is determined to sell, either wholesale or retail, upon as good terms as any house in the city. He respectfully asks an examination of his stock. Goods sent promptly, and free of charge, to any part of the city. E. P. MILLER, Corner E and Seventh streets, Washington, D. C. May 28-1f

NOTICE.—We take this method of notifying our patrons that, as usual, their respective accounts will be drawn off and presented on or about the 25th instant, and have determined confidently hoped that all may consider themselves earnestly but respectfully called upon to make a prompt response. HOPE, BROTHER & CO. June 23-d3w

STRAW HATS, STRAW HATS.—Great reduction in price!—In order to reduce my large and well-selected stock of Straw and other styles of summer hats, I have determined on this day to sell at greatly reduced prices. Come one, come all, to LANE'S Fashionable Hat, Cap, and Gentlemen's Furnishing Establishment, Pa. avenue, June 21-3taw2wif near 4th street.

STOCK ORDERS executed on commission, by PETER A. KELLER, 15th street, opposite Treasury. June 23-3taw2w

AVENUE HOUSE. GEORGE FRENCH & CO., Late of French's Hotel, Norfolk. THIS HOTEL, just finished at great expense, is furnished throughout in the latest and best style. The rooms are large and airy, and every attention will be paid to the comfort of their guests. Families wishing board can be accommodated at reasonable rates. The charge for meal boarders will be four dollars per week. April 11

LAW NOTICE.—SIDNEY S. BAXTER, late Attorney General of Virginia, has removed to Washington to practice law. He will practice in the Supreme Court of the United States, the courts of the District of Columbia, and attend to any professional business connected with them. Office in Morrison's new building, on 4 1/2 street, east of Pennsylvania avenue. References: Hon. J. J. Allen, Hon. Wm. Daniel, Hon. Richard Moncure, Hon. G. B. Samuels, Hon. George H. Lee, of the court of appeals of Virginia, and to the judges of the circuit courts of Virginia, and to the Senators and members of Congress from Virginia. June 11-Tri-w6m

WILLARD'S HOTEL, NEW YORK, No. 825 Broadway, and 207 Twelfth street, is now open for the accommodation of the public. The house is new, and is fitted up with all the modern improvements, and is furnished in a superior manner. The proprietor, formerly of Willard's Hotel, Washington, D. C., will be happy to see any of his former friends, also all those of the travelling public who may favor him with a call. E. D. WILLARD. NEW YORK, May 17. June 15-2mf

REVOLUTIONARY BOUNTY LAND WARRANTS, bought and sold by PETER A. KELLER, 15th street, opposite Treasury. June 23-3taw2w

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