OFFICIAL.

Franklin Pierce, President of the United States of America.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Satisfactory evidence having been exhibited to me that ROBERT BUNCH has been appointed Consul of her Britannic Majesty for the States of North Carolina and South Carolina, I do hereby recognise him as such, and declare him free to exercise and enjoy such functions, powers, and privileges as are allowed to the Consuls 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, the 2d day of August, A. D. 1853,
[L. S.] and of the independence of the United States of America the seventy-eighth.

FRANKLIN PIERCE.

By the President:
A. DUDLEY MANN,
Acting 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 MANUEL LEIVA Y DAROCA has been appointed Vice Consul of Spain for the port of Savannah, in the State of Georgia, I do hereby recognise him as such, and declare him free to exercise and enjoy such functions, powers, and privileges as are allowed to the Vice Consuls 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, the 2d day of August, A. D. 1853,
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FRANKLIN PIERCE.

By the President:
A. DUDLEY. MANN,
Acting 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 GEORGE BENVENUTO MATHEW has been appointed Consul of her Britannic Majesty for the State of Pennsylvania, to reside at Philadelphia, I do hereby recognise him as such, and declare him free to exercise and enjoy such functions, powers, and privileges as are allowed to the Consuls 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.

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FRANKLIN PIERCE.

By the President:
A. DUDLEY MANN,
Acting 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 ROBERT H. BETTS has been appointed Vice Consul of Spain for the port of St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, I do hereby recognise him as such, and declare him free to exercise and enjoy such functions, powers, and privileges as are allowed to the Vice Consuls 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.

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FRANKLIN PIERCE.

By the President:
A. DUDLEY MANN,
Acting Secretary of State.

DESTRUCTIVE HAILSTORM IN FRANCE AND BELGIUM.—The French journals are still filled with the details of damage caused by the hailstorm of the 8th of July. The *Journal de Rouen* says the price of glass in that city has advanced in consequence some thirty per cent., and great difficulty is experienced in procuring workmen to make the necessary repairs. The total loss to that city and environs is estimated at eighteen hundred thousand francs. Over 2,700 panes were broken in the Hotel de Ville, and in the whole city not less than 100,000 panes. The most serious and irreparable injury was done to the churches of Notre Dome, Saint Ouen, Bon Secour, &c., which have been badly damaged by the torrents which succeeded. All the glass in the "Jardin des Plantes" was also broken. This storm extended also to Belgium, and the Brussels papers give us scarcely less terrible accounts. In its course it has everywhere prostrated large trees, and destroyed the crops. Some of the hailstones, gathered after it had passed, weighed more than two ounces. Birds in great numbers have been found dead in the fields.

FROM THE PROVINCES.—The Admiral, from St. John, arrived yesterday afternoon, and Colonel Favor furnished us with St. John papers of Monday, and other late journals. The Pictou *Chronicle* of the 26th ultimo has the following:

"H. M. S Devastation left on Sunday morning for the fishing grounds. The last English mail brought intelligence of Captain Campbell's promotion, and it is reported that he will leave this station, and that Lieutenant De Horsey, of the flagship, will be promoted to the command of the Devastation.

"The drought of the past week has been excessive. On Saturday the thermometer stood at 94 in the shade, and in the sun nearly 130. On Sunday there were several refreshing showers, that have very much improved the appearance of the country; but there is yet need of more. Haying is generally begun; this article of produce will be scarce and high in consequence of the drought. It is now selling at £3 per ton, driven green from the field."

There were in Richibucto harbor on the 23d ultimo six Prussian, four American, three British, one Hanoverian, and two new ships.

[*Boston Courier*, 14th.

SPANISH NAVY.—There are now at Havana 12 Spanish armed vessels, varying from 4 to 44 guns each—with an aggregate of 205 guns.

MARRIED,

On the 2d instant, by the Rev. WILLIAM HANK, Mr. THOMAS C. PRICE to Miss JOANNA PEARSON, all of this city.

DIED,

At noon on Friday the 5th instant, in the sixty-second year of her age, Mrs. MARY GIDEON, the wife of JACOB GIDEON, and the mother of the Publisher of this paper.

Her funeral will take place this (Saturday) afternoon at five o'clock, from her late residence, on Seventh street opposite the Post Office. The friends of the family are invited to attend without further notice.

Yesterday at noon, after a long and painful illness, which she bore with christian patience and fortitude, Mrs. MARGARET Y. HARKNESS, consort of JOHN C. HARKNESS.

Her funeral will take place from her late residence on New York avenue this (Saturday) afternoon at four o'clock. Her friends and acquaintances are requested to attend without further notice.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Arrival of the Niagara—Three Days Later from Europe.

The Eastern Difficulty Nearly Adjusted—The Czar Reported to have Accepted Terms Proposed by France—Cotton Improved—Breadstuffs Advanced.

HALIFAX, August 4.—The royal mail steamer Niagara arrived here this morning, from Liverpool, with dates to the 23d instant, and one hundred passengers.

The Niagara sailed for Boston about noon, after taking in her supply of coal.

The United States ships Vincennes, John Hancock, Portland, and Porpoise were at Madeira on the 7th of July. The ship Fenimore Cooper was also there.

It is reported that the Czar of Russia has accepted the terms proposed by the French, and consequently all the markets are brisk.

Nothing later has been received with regard to the Hungarian refugee, Colonel Kossta.

It is reported that Lord Palmerston will soon take the office of Secretary of Foreign Affairs, the Earl of Clarendon exchanging for the home department.

The Earl of Portsmouth's death is announced.

FRANCE.

It is reported that the condition of the Empress Eugenie required a postponement of the contemplated visit to the Pyrenees.

The Paris press consider the Eastern question as being definitely settled.

The Porte has paid into the French treasury the price demanded for the 40,000 rifles furnished him.

The number of persons arrested for being implicated in the supposed conspiracy to assassinate the Emperor at the opera is over 200.

Switzerland intends making certain diplomatic representations to France.

Austria will send a Minister to France instead of a Chargé.

RUSSIA.

The Russian Chancellor is said to have declared to the French Ambassador that the Czar will welcome the arrangement held out for his acceptance. The only delay in completing the negotiation would be occasioned by the necessity of obtaining the consent of Austria, which is said to be already on the way to St. Petersburg.

TURKEY.

A rumor was circulated in Paris that the American Minister at Constantinople had addressed a note to the Porte, announcing that the United States would support Turkish integrity and henceforth claim a voice in the affairs of Europe.

It has been telegraphed from Constantinople, under date of 11th of July, that a conciliatory note had been issued by Reschid Pasha, of a nature calculated to bring the pending negotiations with Russia to an immediate conclusion.

The English and French fleets were still in Besica bay.

A semi-official correspondent says that the conduct of the commander of the United States ship St. Louis in the Kossta affair, at Smyrna, has excited an indescribable indignation in the minds of all the consuls and well-disposed population of Smyrna. It is also said that the Austrian brig-of-war Artenusa is continually hovering around the American corvette. An American steamer was expected to arrive at Smyrna soon, it being pretty evident that Captain Stringham represents the feeling of the American nation.

AUSTRIA.

A domiciliary visit has been made to the correspondents of the London *Times* at Vienna. Several arrests followed.

The Austrian Cabinet had received a telegraph despatch from Berlin, dated the 20th, stating that the Czar had actually accepted the proposals offered by France and England.

This report had caused considerable improvement in the French and English funds.

Seven cart loads of Hungarian prisoners were recently taken into Pesth. Their offence was not known.

ITALY.

The sentence of Guerrazzas has been commuted to perpetual banishment.

Count Boncassa has been imprisoned at Naye, for treason.

A despatch from Milan says that the Austrian police were on the trial of a projected insurrection in Central Italy.

BAVARIA.

The Bavarian government has announced an intention of holding a World's Fair at Munich next year.

SWITZERLAND.

Austria continues to block the Swiss frontier as vigorous as ever.

BARBARY.

The Bey of Tunis has forbidden exportations of breadstuffs from the Barbary States, in consequence of an apprehended deficiency in the crops.

MARKETS.

Liverpool, July 23.—The Baltics's advices had a favorable effect on the cotton market, and a large business has been doing at firm prices. The sales have been large in the home trade, and there has been a large speculative demand. Prices have improved, especially fair and middling qualities—advance 1-16 a ⅛. Sales to-day 11,000 bales. Sales for the week, 86,500 bales; sales to speculators, 13,500; and to exporters, 7,350 bales; stock at Liverpool, 850,000 bales. The quotations are as follows: Fair Orleans, 7d.; middling do., 6⅛ a 6 3-16; fair Mobiles, 6¾; middling, 6 a 6⅛; fair Uplands, 6¾; middling, 6 a 6⅛.

Liverpool, July 23.—The markets for breadstuffs were considerably excited during the week, in consequence of heavy rains, and the opening of the French ports for the free importation of grain. Business in flour had been large, at an advance of 9d. a 1s. Wheat was in good demand, at 2d. a 3d. dearer.

In Indian corn there was but little doing, but prices were 6d. higher.

Denistoun quotes all qualities of flour considerably advanced, with a large business doing, say 9d. a 1s. advance. This is owing partly to the opening of the French ports to flour. The quotations are: Western canal 27s. 6d.; Philadelphia 28s. 6d.; Baltimore 28s. 6d; Ohio 28s. 6d.

Wheat—Wheat has advanced 2d. a 3d. White wheat selling at 8s. a 8s. 2d.; mixed 7s. 6d. a 7s. 11d.

Corn—The prices for corn are stiffer, but do not alter quotations. White and yellow 31s. a 32s.

Liverpool, July 23.—A small business has been doing in beef and pork.

Bacon—Prices are firm, except for shoulders, which are dull, with a declining tendency.

Tennessee Election.

NASHVILLE, TENN., August 5.—We have only a few partial returns from different counties. Johnson (Dem.) is believed to be elected Governor.

Arkansas Election.

CLEVELAND, OHIO, August 5.—A despatch from Helena, Arkansas, states that Greenwood and Warren, Democrats, are undoubtedly elected to Congress.

Missouri Election.

ST LOUIS, August 4.—It is now nearly certain that J. J. Lindley, Whig, has been elected to Congress from the third district, instead of C. F. Jackson, Democrat. The election of Samuel Caruthers, Whig, in the seventh district, is confirmed. This would make the delegation from Missouri stand 5 Whigs to 2 Democrats.

Address of Welcome.

CINCINNATI, August 4.—W. F. Lyons, of this city, left here to-day for New York, to present a congratulatory address to Mr. O'Donohugh, the Irish exile, prepared by order of a meeting of the citizens of Cincinnati.

Western Navigation.

PITTSBURGH, August 4.—The river has risen several inches at this point, and is now in good navigable order. The water is standing at thirty-five inches.

Railroad Riot—Three Killed and Six Wounded.

CINCINNATI, August 4.—A fearful riot occurred near Laurenceburg, Indiana, on Sunday last, between two parties of laborers on the Ohio and Mississippi railroad. Three persons were killed and six wounded.

Markets.

NEW YORK, August 5.—Flour has advanced 12½ cents per barrel under the steamer's news. Sales of 7,750 bbls. at $5 31 a $5 37½ for State; $5 37½ a $5 50 for Genesee; and $5 37 a $5 68¾ southern.

Wheat has advanced 2 a 3 cents. Sales of 20,000 bushels at 134 a 135 cents for white, 120 for southern red, and 140 for Genesee white. Corn is firm; sales of 3,000 bushels at 78 for mixed and 79 for red.

Stocks.—Sales of U. S. 6's at 116¾; Cumberland 34¾; New Creek 3; Morris Canal 18¾ Crystal Palace 117½; Canton 28¾; Parker's Vein 20; Pennsylvania Coal 109¾; Erie 74.

Sales at the Baltimore Stock Board, August 5

500	Balt. and Ohio Railroad Bonds, 1875...	95½
50	shares Mechanics' Bank.....	19¾
50	do Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, b90	69½
275	do do do do b90.....	69

LOCAL MATTERS.

GREENOUGH'S STATUARY—The brig Ottar Gull has arrived at the Washington navy yard, bringing from Italy Greenough's group of statuary, representing a scene in American frontier life—a white settler rescuing his wife from the assault of a merciless savage. It is to be placed on the east portico of the Capitol, opposite to the figures of Columbus and the Indian maiden. About eighteen months ago a United States storeship was despatched to Italy for the purpose of bringing the group hither, but the hatchway of the vessel was too small to admit it, and the commander would not permit the opening to be enlarged. The Navy Department, however, provided the Ottar Gull for the purpose; and we now have the gratification to announce that the work of art has safely arrived. It will soon be transferred from the vessel to the pedestal which it is to occupy.

THE CRYSTAL PALACE.—Several days ago we suggested that the proprietors of the railroad companies between Washington and New York would find it much to their advantage to issue round-trip tickets between those points during the continuance of the exhibition, placing the fare at the lowest rates. There are hundreds of persons within the District of Columbia, and thousands without, who would gladly avail themselves of such an arrangement, and thus add largely to the receipts of the companies; whereas, under the stationary prices, they will remain at home. We trust that the public desire in the particular mentioned will be gratified.

THE "COLORED POPULATION."—According to the census of 1820 there were in this city one thousand nine hundred and forty-five slaves; in 1850 two thousand one hundred and thirteen; or, during a period of thirty years, a clear increase of only one hundred and sixty-eight, while the number of free negroes has increased from one thousand six hundred and ninety-six to eight thousand and seventy-three—a clear increase of six thousand three hundred and eighty-seven. The aggregate population was, in 1820, thirteen thousand two hundred and forty-seven—the free negroes constituting about *one-eighth* part of it. In 1850, with an aggregate population of forty thousand and one, the free colored population formed about *one-fifth*. The colored population, free and slave, is now more than one-fourth that of the white.

The corporate authorities have endeavored to prevent the influx of free negroes from the adjoining States; but the laws are either faulty in their provisions or the police officers derelict in duty. Bond and security, and the payment of an amount of money annually, rarely can be obtained of those "colored people" who, coming hither, prefer the capital of the country for a permanent residence. Daily there are accessions to the population, both from without and within the municipal limits—the latter naturally to be expected.

Although there are not a few worthless free negroes, there are some who conduct themselves with propriety and credit, and thus secure the respect which good conduct ever elicits. These have earnestly engaged in the work of education, encouraged, in many instances, by their white neighbors. It is no uncommon thing to see crowds of colored children on their way to day as well as Sabbath school; and, according to our information, "they make much progress in their studies."

THE MATCH RACE over the Columbia Trotting Course, yesterday afternoon, was largely attended; the weather being fine and the horses entered having a good reputation. The trotting was for two hundred dollars, and fifty added by the proprietor; mile heats, best three in five, to skeleton wagons. "Scottie," of Philadelphia, entered by George Nelson, triumphed over his competitor, "Doctor," of New York, entered by J. L. Doty. The best time made was two minutes and fifty-two seconds. There was much attendant excitement, and the trotting was esteemed most excellent, as we learn from a lover of "fast horses" who never fails to be present on such occasions.

SMALL SILVER CHANGE.—There is much complaint about the scarcity of silver change for ordinary business transactions, and what we have is, for the most part, (exclusive of three cent pieces,) of foreign stamp. We *hear* much about the new American coinage, but *see* little or none of it in this vicinity.

MORBID CURIOSITY—A gentleman informs us that while he was on his way to Baltimore, yesterday morning, a large number of persons, including women and children, got into the cars at different places on the line, for the purpose of being conveyed to that city to see the unfortunate youth, Connor, hanged.

CAPTAIN ISAAC WATTS GRIFFITH, of Iowa, who lost an arm at Churubusco, has been appointed by the Commissioner of Public Buildings one of the Capitol police, in the place of Mr. John W. Jones, of Ohio. This gentleman was an efficient and courteous officer, but a "political necessity" demanded his removal.

CHRISTENING.—Among the incidents of a Sunday school picnic at Arlington recently, was the christening of a little boy by a minister, who pronounced the name of the child to be Clarence Arlington. G. W. P. Custis was present at the celebration of the ordinance.

NOTICE.—The members of the Mercantile Library Association are hereby notified that the reading rooms of the Association will be opened on TUESDAY, 26th instant, from 6 o'clock to 9 o'clock, a. m., and from 4 o'clock to 10 o'clock, p m.

The rooms to be reopened daily at the above hours, until further notice

By order of the Board of Directors:
THOS. E. LLOYD Sec'y.
July 25

DE CUSSY: Dictionnaire du Diplomate et du Consul; 1 vol, Leipsic.

Mensch: Manuel du Consulat; 1 vol., Leipsic, 1846.

Moreuil: Manuel des Agents Consulaires; 1 vol, Paris, 1850.

De Cussy: Reglements Consulaires; 1 vol. Leipsic, 1851

Wicquefort: L'Ambassadeur et les Fonctions; 2 vols, Cologne, 1751.

De Vera: Le Parfait Ambassadeur; 2 vols, Leyderf, 1709.

Flynn's British Consul's Hand-Book; 1 volume, London.

Puffendorff: Droit de la Nature et des Gens; 1 vol., Basle, 1750.

Puffendorff: Law of Nations; London, 1728.

Grotius: Droit de la Guerre et de la Paix; 1 vol., Basle, 1746.

Grotius On War and Peace; 1 volume, London, 1738.

Meisel: Cours de Style Diplomatique; 2 volumes, Paris, 1836.

Elliot's Diplomatic Code, 2 vols.

Burlamaquis's Natural and Politic Law.

Green's Consular Service, pamphlet; London, 1848.

De Martens: Causes Celebres; 2 volumes, Leipsic, 1827.

De Martens: Nouvelles Causes Celebres; Leipsic, 2 vols, 1843.

Wheaton: Histoire du Droit des Gens; 2 vols., Leipsic, 1846.

De Wolff: Institutions du Droit Naturelle; 1 volume, Leyden, 1772

De Clercq: Formulaire des Chancelleries; 2 volumes, Paris, 1853.

Chitty's Law of Nations.

Wheaton's Elements of International Law.

Wheaton's History of the Law of Nations.

Wildman's International Law.

Vattel's Law of Nations.

Rutherforth's Institutes.

Polson and Horne's Law of Nations.

Koch: Historie des Traites de Paix; 15 volumes, Paris, 1817.

Aug 6 FRANCK TAYLOR.

SPECTACLES LOST.

LOST ON FRIDAY, 22d instant, somewhere between the "Republic Office" and the residence of the undersigned, whilst passing Ninth, E, or Seventh streets, a pair of Gold Framed Spectacles.

The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving them at the "Republic Office," Ninth street.

July 25 J GIDEON.

LIME! LIME! LIME!

PURE wood-burnt LIME for sale, corner of Virginia avenue and the Canal, (Island,) in quantities to suit purchasers Aug 2—1w

NEW CHINA STORE.

THE SUBSCRIBER has opened a store on Seventh street, in Utterrauhle's building, near the Northern Liberty Market, opposite to woodyard, where he offers for sale a fine assortment of CHINA, GLASS, and CUTLERY, which he is determined to sell as low as any other establishment in the city.

Purchasers would do well to call before supplying themselves. JAMES POOL.
Aug 2—3w For T PURSELL.

BRICKLAYERS.—Wanted, on the Extension of the United States Capitol, about fifty Bricklayers. To good workmen steady employment will be given. Wages depending upon skill and attention—the average being $2 25.

M. C. MEIGS,
Captain of Engineers,
In charge of the Capitol Extension.
July 25

"Gentle Havana," to puff away care,
Where can I find thee, pray tell me where?

At the National Cigar Emporium,
G. S. McELFRESH,
Under the National Hotel, importer of the finest brands of
HAVANA CIGARS.

ALL who are fond of a *good* Cigar should call and examine his stock, containing the following celebrated brands:

Regalias,	Esla Chay,
La Firmeza,	Regalia Londre Abeza
La India,	El Ebro,
Pransado Consuelo,	Negueribas,
Prabucoes,	Consolations,
Empire City,	Ben Franklin.

Chewing Tobacco of the finest quality, from the most celebrated manufactories.
July 18—eodlm

HOUSE-FURNISHING GOODS, such as American and English Knives and Forks, (which took the premium at the late Fair,) fine plated dining and dish Forks, Table and Tea-Spoons, (premium,) Albatta Tea and Table-Spoons, Carvers and Forks, Steels, Butter Knives, &c.; Brass and Plated Candlesticks, Family Grindstones, Tea Trays, Hand Waiters, Tea and Dinner Bells, Coffee Mills, Shovels and Tongs, and Irons, Flat Irons, Fenders, Curtain Bands and Pins, Dusting Brushes, Sweeping Brushes, Sieves, Pots, Ovens and Lids, Tea Kettles, &c., &c., such as are to be found in a well-regulated Hardware Store, at

E. WHEELER'S,
Opposite Brown's Hotel.
July 9—1meod [News and Star.]

VIRGINIA LAND SCRIP.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having had some twenty years' acquaintance with Virginia Military Land Claims, and with the Revolutionary records at Richmond, will attend to the revision of such claims here, under the act of 31st August, 1852; and will also purchase and sell Land Warrants and Land Scrip.

VESPASIAN ELLIS,
July 7—d1mif Irving Hotel.

PORCELAIN GOODS.

I HAVE on hand a full supply of Porcelain goods, from the celebrated factory of Cartlidge & Co., such as plum white, gilt edge, grapevine, and fancy Door and Finger Plates, Number Plates, Mouthpieces, Door Knockers, Fancy Escutcheon, Door Knobs, Shutter and Drawer Knobs of all the different fancy patterns; Porcelain Sign Letters, several sizes, an article superior far to the gilt sign letters, both in appearance and durability.

I am prepared to fit up door-plates at short notice, of any patterns persons may select, which are far neater than any article yet introduced.

E. WHEELER,
Opposite Brown's Hotel.
July 9—1meod [News & Star.]

Collector's Office, July 13, 1853.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.—Deduction for Prompt Payment.—Notice is hereby given that the Taxes for the year 1853 are now due, and payable at this office; and that a deduction of ten per cent. is allowed by law for the current year, if paid on or before the 31st of August ensuing. R. J. ROCHE,
July 15—eotdif Collector.

MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the act entitled "An act relating to dogs," approved 25th July, 1829, and the act amending the same, approved 27th April, 1838, it is provided that "whenever it shall be made appear 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 he 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,
July 6—1aw6w Mayor.

A JOURNEY ROUND THE WORLD; comprising a winter passage across the Andes to Chili; with a visit to the gold regions of California and Australia, the South Sea Islands, Java, &c. by F. Gerslaccher.

Mind and the Emotions—a Commentary of Medical and Moral Life, considered in relation to health, disease, and religion; by William Cooke, M. D., &c.

For sale at TAYLOR & MAURY'S
Aug 3 Bookstore, near 9th st.

MUSIC DEPOT.

THE UNDERSIGNED have just completed the most perfect arrangements with Northern and Eastern Publishers of Music, enabling them to promptly supply the public with all the newest music.

We have constantly on hand PIANO FORTES of the celebrated ROSENKRANZ manufactory, and being agents for the sale of Boston, New York, Philadelphia, and Baltimore pianos, we flatter ourselves from our practical experience in this department to warrant satisfaction to the most fastidious purchaser.

We have for sale also MELODEONS from the manufactory of BISHOP & CHILD, Cleveland Ohio, acknowledged by judges to be superior instruments to any of eastern manufacture.

We are also sole agents for the unequalled Church and Parlor ORGANS of POMPLITZ and RODEWALD. The organs from this manufactory are said to excel all others manufactured in this country for beauty and power of tone.

We have also the sole agency for MARTIN'S unrivalled GUITARS, an assortment of which, direct from the manufacturer, we shall constantly keep on hand.

We are likewise agents for Keller's *American Cremona Violins*, Badger's *Boehm* and Diatonic *Flutes*, the keyed violin, and the spirited advocat of music, the "*Musical World and Times*."

We constantly keep on hand *Strings* for all instruments, besides every thing appertaining to the musical line.

Musical instruments of every description *tuned* and *repaired*.

HILBUS & HITZ,
Music Depot, south side Penn. avenue,
four doors west of Tenth street.
Aug 1—d1w [Star]

JUST RECEIVED, at WHITTLESEY'S Paint, Oil, Glass, and Lamp Store, on 7th street, opposite Hall & Brother's dry goods store—

3 tons pure White Lead
1 do Zinc Paint
300 gallons raw Linseed Oil
200 do boiled do
200 do pure Sperm Oil
200 do Whale Oil
200 do Lard Oil
Also, tanners' Neatsfoot, and Rosin Oils
Copal, Coach, Japan, Asphaltum, Daman, and Shoe Varnishes
300 boxes Window Glass, single and double thickness, including French Plate, all sizes
Together with a complete assortment of Paints, all colors, dry and ground in oil
Lamps, Girandoles, and Candelabras, some entirely new patterns, gotten up expressly to my order
Brushes of all descriptions
Adamantine and Sperm Candles.

In fact, I have every thing usually kept in a Paint, Oil, and Lamp Store, all of which were purchased entirely for cash, and will be sold to suit the times and the emergency of the case.

On all sums of $25 and over five per cent. will be deducted for cash. Don't mistake the place.

WHITTLESEY'S
On 7th street, nearly opposite the Avenue
July 30—2awlm House.

FOR RENT.

THE FOUR STORY HOUSE on F street, lately occupied by Mrs. Reed as a boarding-house. It has been thoroughly repaired, and a large back building has been added to it. Inquire corner of Thirteenth and H streets.
July 25—eodtf

FOR RENT—House No. 6 Union Row, F street. It has gas throughout and a cistern of water in the yard, and the whole premises is in first rate order. Apply at Republic office, Ninth street. July 6

FOR RENT—Two third-story rooms of the new building at the corner of 9th and D streets, near Pennsylvania avenue and the Centre Market. One is 20 by 95 feet, the other 20 by 80 feet.

Inquire at the *Republic* office, opposite.
July 7

CHILDRENS WILLOW CARRIAGES, &c.

LAMMOND, 7th street, 2d door below E, has received a supply of Willow Carriages an Hobby Horses; also, Transparent Toilet Soap in bars, the best and cheapest soap ever used.
Aug 3—3teod

THOMAS BROWN, of Virginia. T. DAYTON WINTER, of Pennsylvania.

THE UNDERSIGNED offer their services as Agents to prosecute Claims of every description before Congress and the different Departments of the Government.

Office 14th street, between Pennsylvania avenue and F street, next to Burch's Saloon.
July 7—3tawtf BROWN & WINTER.

PUFF SIDE COMBS, &c.

LAMMOND, 7th street, 2d door below E, has received a supply of Puff Side Combs; also Ladies' Dress Protectors, Coral Beads, Jett and other Bracelets; Boys' Patent Leather Belts, &c; and for sale cheap for cash. Aug 2—3teod

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 confided to him.

Office in Morrison's new building, on 4½ street, east of Pennsylvania avenue.

References: Hon J. J Allen, Hon. Wm. Daniel, Hon. Richard Moncure, Hon. G B. Samuels, Hon George H. Lea, of the court of appeals of Virginia; to the judges of the circuit courts of Virginia, and to the Senators and members of Congress from Virginia. June 11—Tri-w6m

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.,
July 6 75 Dock street, Philadelphia.

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 thecity; or who like airy and comfortable apartments.
June 15—tf DANIEL D. FRENCH.

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—2mif

FERN LEAVES FROM FANNY'S PORTFOLIO; new supply.

Summer Stories of the South; by T. A Richards.

The Pro-Slavery Argument, as maintained by the most distinguished writers of the Southern States; containing the several Essays of Harper, Hammond, Simms, and Dow. 1 vol.

Thackeray's Lectures. New supply at

TAYLOR & MAURY'S
July 28 Bookstore, near 9th street.

GEORGE W. CUTTER, *Attorney and Counsellor at Law*, office in Todd's Building, Pennsylvania avenue, one door west of Brown's Hotel, Washington.
July 28—3m

BURKE'S PEERAGE AND BARONETAGE of the British Empire; London, 1853. 1 vol. 8vo.

Encyclopædia, or General Armory of England, Scotland, and Ireland; by John Burke, esq. London. 1 vol. 8vo.

Lodge's Peerage and Baronetage of the British Empire. London. 1 vol. 8vo

Hayden's Book of Dignities. London. 1 vol. 8vo.

Glossary of Terms used in British Heraldry. Oxford. 1 vol. 8vo.

Barrington's Introduction to Heraldry.

Pocket Peerage of Great Britain and Ireland; by Henry R. Forster.

The Royal Kalendar and Court and City Register, for Great Britain and the Colonies, for 1853

Who's Who in 1853, being a Register of the Royal Family, Nobility, &c., of Great Britain.

Aug 2 FRANCK TAYLOR.

TO BUILDERS, CARPENTERS, AND CONTRACTORS.

HAVING taken great pains to lay in a good and general assortment of building Hardware, I am now prepared to offer to those wanting such goods such inducements as I am convinced will suit. I am determined not to be undersold by any house in Washington. All my goods come direct from manufactories, which enables me to offer them at New York and Philadelphia prices; and making the building material my principal trade, I think I can come a *little under* others in this line of business.

I enumerate in part mor. villa, mor. bosel, rab. mor., sliding-door locks and latches, mor. night-latches, plated furniture, horizontal, upright, rural, cottage hotel, western and novelty rim locks and latches, rim latches all kinds; white porcelain knobs with porcelain rose or plate furniture; dark min'l, grey min'l, variegat d min'l, and all kinds of rose and fancy color knobs for front or parlor knobs, with the patent silver glass knobs, an articl that needs only to be brushed off to clean it, and always showing a fine plate; the old plated knobs, when they are cleaned, leaves a dirty spot on the door. Also, sash fastenings, all the different patterns; window-blind fastenings, inside shutter fastenings, cupboard catches, hooks and eyes, loose and fast-joint butts, hinges, Parliament hinges, Plant & Parmelee's patent shutter hinges; belts of all kinds nails, screws, hat and coat hooks, pulleys, sash weights, sash cord, and many other things to numerous to mention, which will be sold low.

E WHEELER,
Sign of the Gun and Padlock,
Opposite Brown's Hotel.
July 9—1meod [News & Star.]

LIGHTS, HO!

J. Reese & Co.,
GAS-FITTERS AND PLUMBERS,
South side Pennsylvania avenue, between 4½ and 6th streets, opposite National Hotel.
CANDELABRAS, ORNAMENTAL GAS-BURNERS, PROJECTORS, BRACKETS, &c., &c.

THE SUBSCRIBERS having lately fitted up their establishment, are now prepared to introduce into stores, factories, hotels, or private residences, Gas-Pipes, with all the necessary appendages, after the most approved and modern styles. Having been engaged almost exclusively for the last five years in this particular branch of business, they feel confident that their work will not fail to please any who may favor them with their patronage.

They have now on hand and are daily receiving a beautiful lot of Wall Brackets and ornamental Gas Fixtures, suitable for saloons, private parlors, and halls, to which they respectfully invite the public inspection.

Orders left at our Gas-Fitting Depot will be punctually attended to.

The subscribers having in their employ none but competent workmen, good and faithful jobs may be expected.

Gas-Fitting and Plumbing in all its branches attended to promptly and with despatch.

J. REESE & CO.

N. B. The subscribers have for inspection one of their portable Gas-Generators, intended for lighting churches and country residences—a new and extremely convenient invention.
July 18—eod1m J. R & CO.

TO AMERICAN AUTHORS.

WRITERS of Poetry, Tales, Sketches, Essays, Biographies, Scientific Treatises, &c., &c., who feel the want of facilities for publishing their productions in a profitable and satisfactory manner, may receive information of interest to them by addressing the undersigned, and simply enclosing in each letter a postage stamp to be placed on a letter in reply. That mere curiosity may not induce any one to write to the undersigned, he assures all that the information he has to give can be of service to none but persons of the class he addresses—namely, ladies and gentlemen whose writings are meritorious enough for publication, and yet who have not the means, the skill, or the influence to obtain for them promptly the favorable consideration of the publishers under whose auspices they wish them to appear.

THOMAS C. CONNOLLY,
General Correspondent,
July 12—eo1m Washington, D C.

THREE CHEERS FOR THE RED, WHITE AND BLUE.

"Change Makes Change."

Wholesale Ice Cream Depot—C street, rear of Brown's Hotel

THE SUBSCRIBER, in removing to his new place of business, returns his sincere thanks to his friends and the public for the very liberal patronage extended to him at his Saloon on the Avenue, during his sojourn in that locality. Having from a press of business, and an increased demand for his famous Ice Cream, been compelled to abandon the retail business, and attend entirely to that of the wholesale, he has closed his well-known Saloon, and removed his depot to the above-mentioned street, and in the store formerly occupied by Hatch & Co. as an Oil and Camphine Establishment, where he respectfully informs the public that he will be prepared to furnish them with Creams of all colors, and of the richest flavors, at the shortest notice. He has attached to his depot an Ice Cream Express-wagon, in which the article will be sent to any part of the city to moulds of any size, and in any given quantity. Having just received an excellent assortment of moulds from Paris, Dinner Parties, Tea Parties, Balls, Excursions, Pic nics, Ice Cream Saloons, &c., &c, served in a superior style and with despatch.

N. B. Orders left at the office attached to his Depot, or with the driver of the Express-wagon, (which will hereafter be designated with a flag of "RED, WHITE, and BLUE,") will receive prompt attention. Good folks send in your orders, or, if you choose, you can "WAIT FOR THE WAGON."

T. M. HARVEY, Agent
For J. FUSSELL, Jr.
July 19—tf

VIRGINIA LAND SCRIP WANTED.

THE undersigned will pay the highest market rates for Virginia Land Scrip and Land Warrants. EVANS & FANT,
July 6—d&w3m Opposite the Treasury.

BAR-IRON, STEEL AND NAILS, TIN, Lead Pipe, Sheet Lead, Bar Lead, and Tin Zinc; American and English Sheet-iron, Bellows, Anvils, Upright, Parallel and Chain Vices, and other goods of this description, which will be sold cheap. E. WHEELER,
Corner 7th and B streets, near the Canal.
July 9—1m [News and Star.]

HORSES AND CARRIAGE FOR SALE.

A PAIR of young, sound, and gentle bay Horses, together with a handsome Carriage and Harness, both in first-rate order, are offered for sale.

Apply at Mr. WM. H. BIRCH'S Stables, on 14th street, south of the Avenue.
July 26—tf

CHOCOLATE, COCOA, AND BROMA.

W. BAKER & CO.'S American and Vanilla Premium Chocolates, Cocoa, and Broma, to which first premiums have been awarded by the chief Institutes and Fairs of the Union, are for sale by all the principal Grocers in the United States, and by their agents:

HUSSEY & MURRAY, New York; GRANT & TWELLS, Philadelphia; THOMAS V. BRUNDIGE, Baltimore; KENNET & DUDLEY, Cincinnati, Ohio; and S. H. HOWELL, Georgetown, D. C.

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