DAILY TELEGRAPH.

WASHINGTON:

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 23.

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A VALUABLE WEEKLY PAPER!

We shall at an early day commence the publication of THE WEEKLY AMERICAN TELEGRAPH. It will be a large and well-printed sheet, comprising all the desirable matter of the Daily American Telegraph.

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Commutation of Punishment.

Our readers have been informed by the morning papers that "in the case of Wells, convicted of murder, and sentenced to be hung to-day, in this city, the Executive clemency has been so far extended as to commute the punishment to imprisonment in the penitentiary for life."

This subject has for a few days been one of absorbing interest in Washington, and last night became painfully intense. The gallows had been erected within the enclosure of the jail; multitudes had already gone to see it—many of them even greedily anticipating the hour of the culprit's death; the Marshal of the District, keenly sensible of the awful task devolving upon him, had nerved himself for the duty before him; and all was prepared.

We had, however, encouraged the hope that there would be a commutation of the penalty; and when it was understood through the city that the President had called his counsellors around him last evening, a new hope arose within the breasts of all.

At about nine o'clock the suspense was terminated. The Marshal was apprised by Mr. Webster of the agreeable result, and promptly bore the Secretary's welcome message of congratulation to the several gentlemen whose earnest and persevering efforts had been devoted to the cause of enlightened humanity.

The demeanor of the President and of the Secretary of State during the interviews held with them by the gentlemen to whom we have alluded, was truly worthy of them and of the stations they occupy. They were profoundly impressed with the importance of the decision the President was called upon to pronounce; and although what was due to the public welfare appeared not for a moment to be lost sight of, their feelings were visibly agitated in reference to the fate of the condemned man.

This morning, at 8½ o'clock, the Rev. J. C. Smith and Mr. P. G. Pratt waited on the President, according to appointment at their last interview, not to hear his final determination, as then agreed upon, but to thank the President for his merciful interposition. "Gentlemen," he said with emphasis and emotion, "you have aided me to behold this matter in its true light, and I heartily thank you." In their interview yesterday afternoon, the Rev. J. C. Smith presented to the President a letter, which we have obtained for publication. It is as follows:

His Excellency, MILLARD FILLMORE,
President of the United States:

SIR: We whose names are hereto appended, ministers of the gospel, spend our lives in asking God, through our Lord Jesus Christ, TO PARDON MEN, lost in sin and condemned TO DEATH by his holy and righteous law. We have often rejoiced to have these requests granted, and have had much occasion to bless God in the evidences furnished of that pardon in a life devoted to truth and religion.

We come now to a fellow-man. We are all sinners. We united in fervent prayer before we came to your Excellency, and being here, we ask for a COMMUTATION of the sentence of death under which William Wells will be executed tomorrow, unless our honored Chief Magistrate interpose the Executive clemency.

The acquaintance the last two signers have with Wells has been made by his condemnation. The first two of us have never seen him. Indeed, being a marine, he was an isolated man. But having examined the testimony, and *conscientiously believing* that this is not a case of murder with malice aforethought, we respectfully ask the *commutation*, and are persuaded that the best interest of our community will be most effectually subserved by the confinement of Wells in the penitentiary.

There may have been at the time of the trial some desire to have Wells hanged; but we beg to assure the President that that desire is now in comparatively few breasts, and that a commutation would be hailed with gratitude by the virtuous and the good.

We have admired *the firmness* with which our honored Chief Magistrate has administered the laws in very difficult and trying cases. "*Fiat justitia ruat cœlum.*" In such a case as this the President will honor both his mind and heart in extending favor. Truth is never so beautiful as when blended with mercy, nor firmness as when gilded with compassion.

In addition to the petition presented by Gen. Henderson and the officers of the Marine Corps, and that handed in by ourselves yesterday, we now respectfully present the accompanying.*

The Redeemer of men authorizes *earnestness* and *importunity* when we come before Him for pardon and the favors of grace; and we are very certain that the President will appreciate our motives and efforts in behalf of a poor, miserable, wretched fellow-sinner, condemned to death.

We have prayed that God may lead you to decide aright; and we can say, not as an empty form, but with all our hearts, "and we will ever pray" for the blessing of our Covenant God, "as in duty bound."

JOHN C. SMITH,
Pastor of Fourth Presbyterian Church.
WM. HAMILTON,
Pastor of McKendree (M. E.) Chapel.
LEO. ROSSER,
Pastor of M. E. Church South.
W. HODGES,
Rector of Christ Church.

WASHINGTON CITY, April 22, 1852.

* The affidavit of Hughes, made on the 21st instant at our request.

The Cotton Plant and Southern Advertiser.

We would call the attention of the merchants of Baltimore to this new Southern journal, established as the organ of the friends of direct trade at the South, and supported by the leading members of the South of all parties.

The first issue comes out to-morrow, and will explain itself. It is unnecessary to speak of the evidence of its strength as exhibited by a Congressional recommendation embracing every Southern State.

☞ We daily receive many anonymous communications; but we neither read nor preserve them.

Congress To-day.

SENATE.—On motion of Mr. HARRIS, it was resolved that this day, and every subsequent fourth Friday, be devoted to the consideration of the private bills, to which no objection shall be made.

A motion to take up the deficiency bill was rejected.

The private calendar was then considered, and several bills were passed.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.—Mr. BROOKS made a reply to what Mr. Mangum said about him in the Senate yesterday.

Mr. STANLY made a few remarks in relation to a former remark of Mr. Brooks, with regard to the South.

The bill for the relief of the Monroe Railroad Company, and their securities, was passed.

A resolution was adopted to close the debate on the homestead bill on next Thursday.

The House then went into Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union upon that subject, when debate ensued.

Hon. Mr. Williams, of Tennessee.

The Hopkinsville (Ky.) Free Press, a Democratic paper, alludes, approvingly, to the course pursued by Mr. Williams in denouncing the nomination of General Scott; but adds:

"Alas! the North has heard so much of Southern threats and resolutions, and seen so little of the performance, that they no longer produce even a sensation."

We grieve at the necessity of concurring in opinion with the Press—not that "the threats and resolutions" are not "performed," but that they are so common as no longer to produce "even a sensation!" It is our deliberate opinion that they had better be abandoned in future; and we are equally clear in our conviction that a corporal's guard of men who threaten and resolve will no longer be permitted to rule the Whig party by threats of desertion when friends are most needed.

Gold.

The late news from California affords information of important recent discoveries; and the general tenor of the advices confirms the belief that the product is as exhaustless as the coal regions of the Alleganies.

In Australia the products are immense, and probably as little likely to fail.

The Hudson Bay Company have found on Queen Charlotte's island an exceedingly rich vein of gold-bearing quartz, and expect to realize exhaustless mines of it.

How wonderful are these coincident discoveries! Yet they are readily accounted for. These gold deposites have long awaited the observation of man; but that required to be excited in the first instance by an accidental discovery. The minds of men once directed to the minerals of the earth with intensity, discoveries become frequent. It is thus in science, morals, religion, &c. *Revivals* should no longer be regarded with wonder. The physical world illustrates a great truth. Men discover what they earnestly seek, whether it be the treasures of earth, the lights of science, or the living spirit within them.

We have had enough of Whig Generals.
[*Balt. Repub. and Argus.*

Can't give you anybody else this time; *indeed* we can't. Wish to accommodate; but you must have another general; *just* this one more.
[*Washington Telegraph.*

Sorry you are *pledged*, friend Telegraph. Can't you follow the example of the Whig generals, and *break your pledges?* Eh! neighbor? Let's hear again from you!—*Repub. and Argus.*

We have no pledges to make or break, cousin Argus. In this respect we are not unlike the great candidate of the Whig party. Having never given a vote outside of that party, our past actions are our only pledge. Having never performed an act in his long and eventful life incompatible with his country's honor and welfare, his country needs no verbal pledges from him; and the practical pledge he has given will never be broken.

It is said that the President has ordered the Utah judges back to their posts, and intimated that they had better resign, if not disposed to go: they have expressed a determination neither to go nor to resign. It is understood the President has determined to remove them, and that the nominations of their successors will be sent in this week.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

There is a something on which the above might be based. The judges will certainly not return; and cannot, without an army at their heels.

THE AMERICAN TELEGRAPH.—We never get this spicy Washington journal until the morning after its publication. If it could be mailed so as to reach us the same evening that it is issued, it would be a great accommodation, containing as it does all the news of the metropolis up to two o'clock in the day. Can it be done, friend Connolly? Stir up your paste boy.—*Balt. News.*

Your good opinion will stir us all up; and, as Mrs. Chick would say, we'll hereafter "make an effort."

☞ Joanna Foley, *alias* Joanna Conner, *alias* O'Conner, convicted at the present term of the Criminal Court of this District, and sentenced to two years' imprisonment at labor in the penitentiary, was yesterday pardoned by the President, in accordance with the recommendation of the jury, and forthwith set at liberty. We understand that some conditions were attached to the pardon, which were communicated to her upon her discharge.

☞ Dr. Spencer has in the handsomest manner yielded the Saloon at Carusi's up to Miss Jenny Busk on Saturday evening. That lady's concert will, we trust, be well patronized. She is to be assisted by Professor Kley. P. S.—We are informed that Miss Busk's condition of health renders a postponement necessary until Tuesday night.

☞ If you love good cigars, and so forth, of rare qualities, call at Mr. Power's, near the Bank of Washington. Amateurs are informed that he has some choice articles without a twist in them, and therefore not productive of giddiness.

☞ A visiter from the country tells us they have enjoyed but indifferent weather in his neighborhood. It is well they can enjoy it.

☞ After an absence of several days—a week or more—the Philadelphia Evening Bulletin is here again. We welcome it in all weathers.

☞ The beautiful painting of the "Departure of the Red Men," by Russell, of Boston, recently on exhibition at Taylor and Maury's, and valued at $500, has been purchased by Mr. Corcoran.

Sentence of Naglee.

Captain Henry R. Naglee has been to-day sentenced to four years' imprisonment in the penitentiary, for fraud in the prosecution of claims against the United States government.

From the Boundary Commission.

For the information of their friends in Washington and the Atlantic States, the Intelligencer is requested to state that the following persons have resigned their positions on the Mexican Boundary Survey: William A. Taylor, William Bausman, Wm. T. Brooke, R. M. Tuttle, R. B. Smith, Wm. H. Gordon, Timothy Carroll, James Steele, Samuel S. Moe, George W. Miller, John T. Mankin, Edward Crawford, and David Smith.

☞ Very large numbers of persons from the adjacent country came to town this morning to see the execution!

THE LONG BRIDGE.—The best plan that we have heard proposed for a new structure to supersede the now wholly defunct Long Bridge, is undoubtedly that of a chain-suspension bridge, hung on a succession of stone piers. It would be cheaper, freer from the assaults of the elements, (whether fire or water,) and would not be open to the very serious objection laid against the present bridge, of baying back the water during freshets. But for the long line of dead wall stretching half across the Potomac, even the extraordinary flood that has just visited us would not have risen so high by three feet in our canal, and therefore in our basements and cellars, as it did. Much of the complaint levelled by our Georgetown neighbors at the existence of *any* bridge from the Washington side of the river to its opposite would be evaded by this plan.—*Int.*

CAN IT BE SO?—The Bengal Hurkura states that Tien Teh, the new Emperor of China, has become a Christian, having been baptized by Dr. Gutzlaff.

Affairs in Georgetown.

GEORGETOWN, April 23—12 m.

Mr. Choppin, of your city, is engaged this morning with a strong force, tearing out all the damaged portions of the Union Hotel, preparatory to a thorough repairing.

We are much gratified to learn this morning that the damage to our canal is nothing like so great as at first expected.

One of the principal topics of conversation with us this morning is the commutation, by the President, of the sentence of Wells. Some approving the act, and many condemning it.

But little doing yet in the flour and grain markets. We hear of a sale this morning of 400 bbls. of flour at $4, which seems to be the asking price. ELECTRO.

ALL FOR LOVE.—A young and pretty *danseuse* who called herself "Miss Oceana," eloped from a theatre in Baltimore, on Monday, with a lover, leaving her parents disconsolate. We knew her well. She supported by her exertions her father and mother who, unfortunately, if they loved her, had a curious mode of showing it; and the only wonder is, that, courted as she was for her beauty and her vivacity, she did not employ the "wings of love" long ago to escape domestic misery. It is natural for young girls to give way to the "tender emotion;" and if parents will not, by their kindness, monopolize it, they must expect somebody else to do it as a substitute.
[*New York Star.*

BARBAROUS.—Is the King of Japan a colored gentleman?

Distinctly; who has not seen his escutcheon in the store windows, and his title,

"*Warranted* Japan black-king."

AN ENORMOUS EFFORT.—What is the difference between the *bark* of a tree, and the *bark* of a dog?

Because one is formed on the *bough*, and the other on the *bow-wow*.

R. R. R.—PAIN

Disorganizes the whole system—it weakens the nerves; it absorbs or dries up the vital fluids; it checks the free and healthful circulation of the blood; it retards the regular action of all the functions; it weakens the joints; it irritates the membranes, ligaments, cartilages, and coates of the bones, muscles, and other organs; it affects the liver, spleen, kidneys, pancreas, and the brain. Every important organ feels its influence and suffers its distressing consequences.

Radway's Ready Relief will, in a few minutes, stop the most severe paroxysms of pains—all kinds of pains it will instantly relieve. Chill Fever, Diarrhœa, Neuralgia, toothache, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Gout, Paralysis, Stiff Joints, Summer Complaints, &c., it will stop in a few minutes. Price 25 and 50 cents.

Radway & Co.'s new medicine for the cure of Scrofulous Complaints is a quick and powerful remedy.

IT IS CALLED

RADWAY'S RENOVATING RESOLVENT.

It produces an electrical effect through every portion of the system; it purifies and enriches the blood; it resolves away every diseased deposite seated in the solids and fluids; it imparts health and vitality to every organ; it will cure rickets, syphilis, cancers, tumors, nodes, caries of the bones, &c. Price $1 per bottle.

☞ Sold by W. H. GILMAN and CHAS. STOTT & Co. ☜
ap 23—3teo

☞ JOHN W. MAURY, esq., is announced as a candidate for Mayor at the coming election. [ap 21—te

☞ SILAS H. HILL, esq., is announced as a candidate for Mayor at the approaching election, and will be supported by THOUSANDS.
ap 17—te

☞ Gen. R. C. WEIGHTMAN is announced as a candidate for Mayor at the coming election in June next by MANY VOTERS.
ap 13—te*

National Theatre.

Mr. E. A. MARSHALL ..... Sole Lessee.
Mr. W. M. FLEMING ..... Stage Manager.

Benefit of Mrs. SEGUIN, and last appearance but one of the Seguin Opera Troupe.

THIS (FRIDAY) EVENING, April 23, will be presented the grand Lyrical Tragedy of NORMA. Norma, Chief Druidess, Mrs. SEGUIN. Claudian, a Roman Pro-Consul, Mr. BISHOP. Oroveso, High Priest, Mr. SEGUIN. Elberta, a Priestess, Miss JULIA GOULD. To conclude with the very laughable farce, in one act, entitled SLASHER & CRASHER.

PRICES OF ADMISSION.

Private Boxes $5; Dress Circle and Parquette 50 cents; Reserved seats 75 cents; Orchestra seats 75 cents; Family Circle 25 cts.; Third Tier 50 cts.; Colored Gallery 25 cts.

SERENADES!

APPLICATIONS FOR MUSIC FOR SERENADES, comprising the best *VOCAL* and *INSTRUMENTAL* talent in Washington, upon being addressed to HENRY WALTER, vocalist, at the National Theatre, will be attended to immediately. ap 22

GRAND MAY BALL!

MR. WILLIAM H. TEMPS respectfully announces to the citizens of Washington that he will give a GRAND MAY BALL at Carusi's Saloon on the night of the 3d of May. The public may confidently expect the best arrangements, as no pains will be spared to render this Ball an interesting one to those who may patronise it.
ap 23—3t*

THE TEMPERANCE CONVENTION will meet again at the Hall, on E street, Saturday evening, the 24th instant, at 8 o'clock.

Business of importance is pending, and a full attendance of the Delegates is requested. By order of the Convention:
ap 23—2t GEO. W. PLEASANTS, Sec'y.

JUST OPENED!
JAMES E. POWER,

C street, near the Bank of Washington,

HAS just received and is now opening a fine assortment of choice brands of Cigars, Tobacco, and Snuffs. Also, superior French Blacking, Porte Monnaies, Fancy Pipes, &c. Also, genuine Turkish Smoking Tobacco—to a trial of which he would respectfully invite his friends and the public generally. ap 23—3t

SMITHSONIAN LECTURES.

THE first and second Lectures of Professor B. SILLIMAN, jr., having been postponed on account of the weather, they will be given on Friday 23d and Saturday 24th instant, at 8 o'clock p. m.

Hereafter, unless prevented, the course will proceed regularly as announced, on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, of each week. ap 23—2t

VALUABLE BUILDING LOT at Private Sale.—The small and beautiful square, immediately south of Judge Douglas's residence, bounded by H street and Massachusetts avenue, and 1st street and New Jersey avenue. Dimensions sufficient for two or three handsome buildings.

Apply to Mr. Thos. S. Burr, at Taylor & Maury's, or corner of Massachusetts avenue and 2d street.
ap 23—eotf

SIXTY-FOURTH ANNIVERSARY BALL
OF
Alexandria Washington Lodge,
No. 22, of Free and Accepted Masons,
OF THE STATE OF VIRGINIA,

WILL be given on Wednesday evening, April 28th, 1852, at Sarepta Hall, Alexandria.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.

F L BROCKETT	J S DOUGLAS
F S BLACKLOCK	S J MCCORMICK.

COMMITTEE OF RECEPTION.

LAW B TAYLOR	F S BLACKLOCK
REUBEN JOHNSTON	J S DOUGLAS
S KING SHAY	F A MARBURY.

COMMITTEE ON DECORATIONS.

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H W Thomas, W J W.

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C Ashford, R W J G W
Gust'a A Schwarzman, W G M.

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F F Kirby, W S W
Robert E Doyle, W J W.

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John W McKim, W S W
George M Dove, W J W.

POTOMAC LODGE, No. 5.
James Gozler, R W M
Henry W Tilley, W S W
Samuel Cropley, W J W.

LEBANON LODGE, No. 7.
John McDuell, R W M
Samuel Butt, W S W
William Choppin, W J W.

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Grafton Powell, R W M
Augustus Lepreaux, W S W
George Mantz, W J W.

HIRAM LODGE, No. 10.
Wm B Magruder, R W M
A G Ridgely, W S W
R A Taylor, W J W.

ST. JOHN'S LODGE, No. 11.
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Charles Calvert, W S W
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Hon Jos W Jackson	Reuben Johnston
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Hon John S Phelps	Joseph Nevett
Hon W R W Cobb	William L Powell
Hon Perry E Brocchus	John A Shinn
Peter G Washington	John R Masters
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Abel B Upshur	E H Stanton
J Knox Walker	Addison H Saunders
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Fabius Stanly	T B Creighton
William F Bayly	George W Brent
Albion Hurdle	Henry C Neale
George Thompson	Louis A Armistead
F A Shulze	John C Bowyer
Charles H Winder	Andrew Wylie
William B Thrall	H Nelson Steele.

☞ Tickets, $3 each, for sale by G. A. Schwarzman, William F. Bayly, Samuel Butt, and H. Nelson Steele, Washington; Henry W. Tilley, Georgetown; and George Duffy, Alexandria.

☞ Members of the fraternity attending the Ball will please appear in full regalia.

☞ Gentlemen not members of the fraternity wishing to attend the Ball, will apply to the Committee of Arrangements for tickets. ap 23—5t

May Ball!

MADAME BLAKE has the honor to inform the ladies and gentlemen of Washington, Georgetown, and Alexandria, that her Annual May Ball will place at JACKSON HALL on Wednesday evening, May 5th, 1852. After the crowning of the May Queen the following dances will be danced by Madame B.'s pupils, in costume. (The dances will occupy 1¼ hours.)

Floral Polka	by four Misses and Masters.
Cracovienne	by Miss ——.
Scotch Pastoral	by four Misses.
Sailors' Hornpipe	by Master ——.
Tamborine	by Miss ——.
Medley Dance	by Miss ——.
Cachucha	by Miss ——.
Highland Fling	by Master ——.
Bohemian Polka	by two Misses.
Petite Hornpipe	by two Misses.
La Sylphide	by Miss ——.
Flag Dance	by two Misses.
Dew Drop	by Miss ——.
La Zingarilla	by two Misses.
May-pole Dance	by ten Misses.

Tickets to be had at the bookstores of Taylor & Maury, Mrs. Anderson, Mr. Farnham, and Mr. Fischer; also, at the drug-stores of Mr. Butt and Mr. Patterson.

☞ Dancing will commence at 8 o'clock.

☞ Boys' tickets half price, can be had at the Hall-door on the evening of the Ball. ap 23—eotd

THE COMMITTEE OF TWENTY-ONE, appointed by the Temperance Convention, are requested to attend at the Hall, on E street, this (Friday) evening, at 8 o'clock.

The nature of the business before it makes it very important that all the Wards should be fully represented at this meeting. ap 23—1t

MAGISTRATE'S OFFICE.

THE undersigned, having been appointed by the President a Justice of the Peace for this District, has opened an office in the basement underneath the Banking House of Messrs. Pairo & Nourse, corner of F and 15th streets, where he will be prepared to transact such business as he may be favored with.
ap 23—yr HENRY R. DAY.

NOTICE.

A MEETING of the subscribers for stock in the "New Cemetery," will be held at Odd-Fellows' Hall, Seventh street, on Friday evening, 23d instant, at 7½ o'clock.
ap 22—2t*

ALL KINDS of HOSIERY and GLOVES. Citizens and strangers in want of any Goods in the above line, are respectfully informed that they will find at our store a complete assortment, as we pay particular attention to the selection and sale of such goods.
CLAGETT, NEWTON, MAY & CO.
ap 22—3t [Int.&Union]

500 KEGS OF NAILS, SPIKES, AND BRADS,
OF THE VERY BEST QUALITY,

HAVING been driven from their storage by the freshet, and greatly in our way, will be sold at unusually low prices, for a few days.
CAMPBELL & COYLE,
ap 22—7t* Sign of the Anvil, Penn. avenue.

JUST RECEIVED, by Steamer Europa, One case of very handsome white ground figured Bereges; two cases beautiful style Berege de Laines. To be sold at 12½ cents per yard.
CLAGETT, NEWTON, MAY & CO.
ap 22—3t [Intel.&Union.]

JUST RECEIVED—A large lot of Standard and Theological Works: FAMILY BIBLES; FOX'S Book of Martyrs, quarto, splendidly bound and beautifully illustrated; School Books, &c., purchased at Trade Sale, and will be sold at low prices. A. GRAY,
ap 20—tr 7th st., opp. Odd-Fellows' Hall.

STOUT & MORELL'S VOTING MACHINE.

SHIS curious and wonderful contrivance, invented by Messrs. Stout & Morell, of Key Port, New Jersey, has been pronounced "simple and perfect!" It takes the yeas and nays, determines which have the majority, indicates the exact number of each in bold figures on the face of its index like a clock, and records every man's vote, all in the same moment of time, without the possibility of error.

Members of Congress and scientific gentlemen are invited to call and examine it, where it is now on exhibition, at A. GRAY'S Bookstore,
ap 20—5t* 7th st., opp. Odd-Fellows' Hall.

SILVER CARD-CASES AND PORTE MONNAIES, SPOONS, FORKS, &c.

WE have this day received a new lot of beautiful Silver Card-Cases and Porte Monnaies, and have just finished a superior assortment of Silver Spoons, Forks, Ladles, Butter Knives, &c.

Also—

GOLD, SILVER, and fine STEEL SPECTACLES, of every focus, to suit *all eyes*. Besides the largest and most varied assortment of FINE WATCHES AND RICH JEWELRY ever brought to this city. All of which we offer at *unusually low prices.* M. W. GALT & BROTHER,
ap 22—3t Penn. av., bet. 9th and 10th streets.

WANTED—Immediately, a stand for a Grocery Store, in a business part of this city. Any person having a Store to rent will find a permanent tenant by directing a line, through the post office, to B. C., or calling at this office.
ap 22—2t*

Carusi's Saloon!

MISS JENNY BUSK has the honor of announcing that her Concert will take place at Carusi's Saloon on TUESDAY EVENING, April 27th. Miss Jenny Busk will be assisted by Mr. KLEY, the eminent pianist. [ap 21

FOR SALE—at a reduced price—forty kegs damaged NAILS. J. W. BADEN,
ap 21—3t Pa. av., near 6th street.

NEW STYLE CALICOES, WARRANTED FAST COLORS.

WE have this day opened three cases of the most beautiful styles of Fancy Prints we have ever seen, at 12½ cents per yard, warranted good colors. Call early, as they are going off very fast.
ap 20—3t CLAGETT, NEWTON, MAY & CO.

"CONGRESS, THE PRESIDENCY, AND THE REVIEW."

"*Gentlemen, this thing must stop!*"—Mr. BRECKENRIDGE, House of Representatives, March 4th.

THE DEMOCRATIC REVIEW, for March, containing an elaborate article under the above heading—an indispensable number for all politicians, Whig and Democratic—for sale at JOE SHILLINGTON'S Bookstore,
ap 7—tr] Odeon Building, cor. 4½ st. and Pa. av.

DRESS GOODS, &c.—consisting of plain and figured Silks, French Jaconets, Organdie Muslins, plain and printed Berege de Laines, plain and printed Bereges, &c., &c., in great variety—just opened at the Central Depot of E. MYERS & CO.,
mar 27—tr Pa. av., bet. 9th & 10th streets.

White Muslin Goods!

WE have now in store, and will sell low, by the piece, the following desirable Goods:

300	pieces	Plaid, Striped, and Corded Cambrics
500	do	Plaid and Striped Swiss Muslins
500	do	Figured and Dotted Swiss Muslins
250	do	Plain 5-4 Swiss Muslins
500	do	White Cambric Muslins
250	do	White Jaconet Muslins
100	do	Nansook, Mull, and India Muslins
100	do	White Tarleton and 8-4 French Muslins
100	do	Cheap Book Muslins, for Linings
25	do	Cambric Dimity.

Ladies wishing to purchase whole pieces of any of the above goods will find it much to their interest to examine the stock in our UP-STAIRS DEPARTMENT, where they may also find many other kinds of goods suited to their wants. We can afford to sell them at such prices as cannot fail to give entire satisfaction.
CLAGETT, NEWTON, MAY & CO.
ap 22—3t [Intel.&Union.]

Marble and other kinds of Stone!
FOR ALL USES!
JOHN A. KIRKPATRICK,
At his Marble-Yard, near the National Theatre,

IS prepared to furnish all orders for MARBLE MANTELS, MONUMENTS, TOMBS, GRAVE-STONES, TABLE-TOPS, TILES FOR FLOORS, GARDEN STATUARY, &c., on as reasonable terms as can be had elsewhere, and at the shortest notice, and would respectfully invite purchasers to call and examine his large and extensive stock now on hand.
ap 21—tr

By J. C. McGUIRE, Auctioneer.

VALUABLE PROPERTY on Pennsylvania avenue at Auction.—On Saturday, April 24th, at 4½ o'clock p. m., on the premises, I shall sell part of lot No. 3, in square No. 166, fronting on Pennsylvania avenue forty-three feet five inches, and running back to a twenty-feet paved alley, situated near the corner of 17th street west—being one of the most desirable building lots now in the market, in the immediate neighborhood of the departments, and sufficiently large for the erection of two stores or dwelling-houses. There is a Brick Dwelling House on the rear of the lot, which rents well, and need not be removed in making improvements. Title indisputable. Terms at sale.

At 5 o'clock p. m., or immediately after the sale of the above, I shall sell, on the premises, lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, and 30, in square No. 140, between L and M streets north, and 18th and 19th streets west.

Also, immediately after the above, (say 6 o'clock,) lot No. 30, in square No. 117, fronting on 19th street, next to the corner of L street. This property is situated in one of the most improving parts of the city, and rapidly increasing in value. They are government titles, and indisputable. Terms at sale. JAS. C. McGUIRE,
ap 21—d Auctioneer.

DOMESTIC DRY GOODS WARE-ROOM,
Corner of Penna. avenue and 9th street, up stairs.

THE subscribers respectfully announce to the citizens of the District and counties adjacent that they have opened a DOMESTIC DRY GOODS WARE-ROOM in the second-story of their house for the sale of Domestic Goods by the whole piece. Persons who buy to sell again, and families buying in large quantities, will find it greatly to their advantage to purchase of us, as we shall receive our goods direct from the factories, and can afford to offer them very low by the piece for cash or to good credit customers.

All goods sold by us will be warranted as represented.
CLAGETT, NEWTON, MAY & CO.
ap 20—d1w [Int. & Union.]

A BUSINESS STAND IN WASHINGTON CITY FOR RENT.

THE long-established Grocery Stand, on Garrison street, near the Navy-yard, at present occupied by Mr. Wm. J. Geffers, is for rent. The buildings are of brick, and comprise the Dwelling, Store-room, with fixtures complete, detached Warehouse, with cellars under both buildings; an extra lot fronting on the street, &c., &c. The rent being low, a person of enterprise and capital, by selling at city prices, could make money. With a fresh and well-assorted stock of goods it would command the patronage of the Navy-yard, and the trade of the adjacent counties of Maryland, it being on the great thoroughfare leading from the city proper to the bridge, which is now free.

It has been for many years, and is at present, the terminus of the omnibus route between the Navy Yard and Capitol, Centre Market and Georgetown. Coaches arrive and depart every five minutes. In addition to the Grocery, a Livery and Sale Stable has been conducted on the premises, and could be profitably continued. It will be ready for a tenant by the 28th instant, when possession can be had. Apply at the store corner of 8th and L streets, Northern Liberties, to JNO. GEO. ADAMS,
ap 19—tf Guardian of Charles C. Adams.

INSTRUCTIONS ON THE PIANO AND IN SINGING!

THE undersigned, lately from Germany, begs to inform the citizens of Washington, Georgetown, and Alexandria, that he will give *INSTRUCTIONS ON THE PIANO AND IN SINGING.* He has been travelling since 1849 with Madame Biscaccianti, and performed in her last concert in this city. He performs the compositions of Liszt, Thalberg, and other great composers, and proposes to teach the Thalbergian style.

☞ Communications left at the Music-store of Mrs. Anderson, or of Richard Davis, on the Avenue, will be promptly attended to. Terms: One-half in advance.
ap 17—1m FR. KLEY.

FOR SALE—SEVEN BUILDING LOTS east of the Capitol, in square 923, fronting 148 feet 5 inches on the south of said square, by 283 feet 10 inches on the east line of the above, beginning, for both fronts, at the south-east corner, and containing 34,237½ square feet. These lots have beautiful shade trees in front, well grown, with a good white-pine railing and cedar-post fence around them. They will be sold on the most reasonable terms—one-half cash, and the balance in one and two years; a deed given, and a deed of trust taken for deferred payments. The title is believed to be indisputable; and if not sold by the first of May next, they will then be sold at auction on the premises.

Any communication through the post office promptly attended to. JAMES TOWLES,
Agent for renting and selling property.
ap 17—dtlstMay

NEW GOODS—FRESH ARRIVAL.

FRENCH, ENGLISH, AND AMERICAN GOODS—embracing CLOTHS,
CASSIMERES,
VESTINGS, and Goods generally adapted to Gentlemen's wear, of the latest and newest designs and styles, direct from first hands, New York.

Particular attention has been paid to the selection of the above goods, which, in addition to his former stock, is now complete and cannot be surpassed.

The subscriber is receiving monthly the latest report of Paris fashions, and is prepared to execute for the votaries of fashion the best style and finish.

Fits warranted, and goods made up to please, by
GEORGE W. HINTON,
Penn. av., north side, bet. 4½ and 6th sts.

Also for sale, to the trade, A. S. De Lany's Mathematical System of Draughting and Cutting Pantaloons.
mar 13—tf

IMPORTANT TO THE PUBLIC.
Mineral Water and Sarsaparilla, &c.

THE SUBSCRIBERS respectfully inform the citizens of Washington that they have fitted up an establishment on B street, back of the Old Railroad Depot, where they are manufacturing a superior article of MINERAL WATER AND SARSAPARILLA, upon a new plan, free from all injurious ingredients. Their preparation possesses medicinal qualities of the highest order for the purification of the blood. This refreshing beverage is particularly recommended for summer use. Families and dealers will be furnished at their doors in any quantities. Orders left at the establishment will be punctually attended to.
mar 31—tr M'KEON & M'GRANN.

MUSIC! MUSIC! MUSIC!

JUST received, from the publisher, a complete assortment of Instruction Books for the Piano Forte, Guitar, Violin, Violoncello, Flute, Fife, Accordeon, Cornopean, Banjo, Clarionet, Flageolet, &c., &c. Together with a new method for the French Accordeon, and Scales for the Flute, Clarionet, Trombone, Valve Trumpet, Serpent, Post Horn Bugle, Ophicleide, Trombacello; besides a general assortment of Musical Instruments, such as the first quality Guitars, Violins from the first houses in the country, Accordeons at greatly reduced prices, &c. Bargains may be had by calling soon. GEO. HILBUS, Musical Depot,
mar 29—tr South side Pa. av., next to cor. of 10th st.

SMITHSONIAN LECTURES.

PROFESSOR BENJAMIN SILLIMAN, jr., will deliver a course of Six Lectures, to commence on the 19th inst., and be continued on the evenings of Monday, Wednesday, and Friday of each week, at 8 o'clock. Subject: The Four Elements of the Ancient Philosophy—Earth, Air, Water, Fire—considered in view of Modern Science. [ap 17—tf

MRS. ESTHER MOFFETT has just received an extensive assortment of Straw, Gimp, French Lace, and Neapolitan Bonnets, comprising the most fashionable styles and latest shapes, to which the public attention is invited. Also, Bonnet Ribbons, new and rich patterns; Ladies' Collars, Gloves, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs; Tuck Combs, new styles, and a general assortment of Ladies' Furnishing Goods.
ap 10—tr SEVENTH street, opp. Odd-Fellows' Hall.

NEW HOPS!

TWO bales New Hops, first sort, for sale by
W. C. HARPER & CO.,
mar 24—tr Pa. av., so. side, bet. 4½ and 6th sts.

HARROVER & SIMS,
District Plumbing Establishment, 7th street, six doors from Pennsylvania avenue,

HAVE constantly on hand superior Lift and Force Pumps, Water Closets, Bathing Tubs, Shower Baths, Marble and Fancy-colored Toilet Basins, superior Cooking Ranges, with water backs attached, to heat water for bathing, &c., and every article in the above business securely put up in public or private dwellings.
W. H. HARROVER,
ap 12—2w P. H. SIMS.

DR. BRANDRETH'S PILLS for sale by
A. GRAY, Bookseller,
ap 20—tr 7th st., opp. Odd-Fellows' Hall.

COOPER'S REFINED ISINGLASS!

FOR Jellies, Blanc Mange, &c., for sale at reduced prices, by W. C. HARPER & CO.,
ap 14—tr Pa. av., so. side, bet. 4½ and 6th sts.

SUPERIOR HAMS!

CITY-CURED HAMS, select size, and handsomely cut, for sale by W. C. HARPER & CO.,
ap 14—