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Pipes, in boxes
First quality Stoneware, at factory prices
Also, Britannia Ware, wholesale, at factory
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country
English Britannia Coffee and Tea Sets, Coffee
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is solicited, at his store, opposite Brown's Hotel,
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July 10-202m

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CHRONOMETER, Duplex, Lever, Lepine,
Repeating and Music Watches, accurately re-
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boxes, put in order, at the sign of the Watch, with
the guard, key, and chain, north side of the Pennsylvania
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By CHAUNCEY WARRINER.

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"Autum" fashions for Gents Hats on Saturday
Sept. 5.

In accordance with our usual custom we shall in-
troduce simultaneously, "Leary's" and Beebe &
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Gentlemen who have their sizes registered with
us will forward their orders.
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**House-Furnishing Store, Pennsylvania
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and Crockeryware, Cutlery, Hollow-ware of every
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Brushes, Willow and Woodenware; with a vari-
ety of articles too numerous to mention. apr 16

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**Auctioneer and Commission Merchant,
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vices to the citizens of Washington and its vicinity,
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dicine. His residence is on C street, near 3d.
dec 23-1f

BRISCOE & CLARKE, Dealers in Cloths, Cas-
simeres, Vestings, &c., Pennsylvania Avenue,
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eral, on Four and a half, between E and F sts.
Work done cheap.

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KEEPS constantly for sale all kinds of fresh
meats; meat well dressed, and at moderate
prices. march 11-1f

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North side, 2d door east of 11th street, keeps a
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of the same.

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D. R. HAMILTON P. HOWARD, tends his
professional services to the citizens of Wash-
ington, D. C. He may be found at Dr. F. How-
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march 12-1f

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PERFORMS all operations upon the Teeth,
Gums and Mouth, with the greatest care and
skill. Office near Brown's Hotel, and next door to
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I. S. BALL,

**Dealer in Tobacco, Snuff & Cigars, Pennsylvania
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april 22.

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april 22-1f

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China and Glass, wholesale and retail, at
his store, opposite Brown's Hotel, Pennsylvania
Avenue, Washington city, D. C.

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already on hand, to be applied or for sale, by
SAML. DEVAUGHN, 9th street.
Who also has ICE for sale whenever called for,
as above. april 2-1f

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opposite Brown's Hotel, Pennsylvania
Avenue, has received his fall stock of Boots and
Shoes suitable for plantation use, he invites the at-
tention of those who wish such articles, and prom-
ises them good bargains.

GEORGE COLLARD,
**DEALER IN LUMBER, WOOD, COAL, LIME
SAND, AND CEMENT.**
Corner of 6th st. and Missouri Avenue.
Nov. 4

D. CLAGETT & CO.,
**DEALERS IN FANCY AND STAPLE DRY
GOODS, CARPETINGS, OIL CLOTHS,
CURTAIN STUFFS, &c.**
Corner of 9th street & Penn. Avenue,
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FURNITURE—New and second hand, daily re-
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B. HOMANS,
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CABINET MAKER & UNDERTAKER
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Hearses kept, and funerals attended to.
Nov. 4-7

Dr. Christie's Galvanic Rings and Mag- netic Fluid.

THIS remarkable invention, which has received
the almost universal approbation of the medical
profession of Great Britain, comprises an entirely
new application of Galvanism, as a remedial agent
by means of which the ordinary Galvanic Batteries,
Electric and Magnetic Machines, &c. are entirely
dispensed with, and the mysterious power of Galvan-
ism applied without any of the objections which are
inseparable from the general mode now in use.

The Galvanic Rings have been used with entire
success in all cases of rheumatism, acute or chronic,
applying to the head, face, or limbs; gout, tic-dolo-
reux, toothache, bronchitis, vertigo, nervous or sick
headache, indigestion, paralysis, palsy, epilepsy, fits,
cramp, palpitation of the heart, apoplexy, stiffness of
the joints, spinal complaints, lumbago, neuralgia,
nervous tremors, dizziness of the head, pains in the
chest and side, general debility, deficiency of ner-
vous and physical energy, and all nervous disorders.
In cases of confirmed dyspepsia, which is simply a
nervous derangement of the digestive organs, they
have been found equally successful. Their extraor-
dinary effects upon the system must be witnessed to
be believed, and as a certain preventive for the
preceding complaints they are equally recommended.
The rings are of different prices, being made of all
sizes, and of various ornamental patterns, and can
be worn by the most delicate female without the
slightest inconvenience. In fact, the sensation is ra-
ther agreeable than otherwise.

THE GALVANIC BELTS, BRACELETS, BANDS, GAR-
TERS, NECKLACES, &c. &c.—These articles are
adapted to the waist, arms, wrists, limbs, ankles, or
any part of the body with perfect convenience. The
Galvanic Necklaces are used with greater benefit in
cases of bronchitis or affections of the throat gener-
ally; also, in cases of nervous deafness; and with
almost uniform success as a preventive for apoplexy,
epileptic fits, and similar complaints.

Christie's Magnetic Fluid is used in connection
with the Galvanic Rings, and all their modifications.
This composition has been pronounced by the
French Chemists to be one of the most extraordi-
nary discoveries of modern science. Full explana-
tions and directions accompany it. The combined
inventions are in every way perfectly harmless; they
are at prices within reach of all, and the discoverer
only requests a fair trial, as a test of their surprising
efficacy and permanent benefit.

CHRISTIE'S GALVANIC STRENGTHENING PLAS-
TERS.—These articles form another valuable appli-
cation of the mysterious influence of Galvanism. They
are an important adjunct to the genuine Galvanic
Rings and their modifications, acting upon the same
principle, but having the advantage of more local ap-
plication. They are confidently recommended as a
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chest or back, pain in the side, in asthmatic affections,
and in weakness or oppression of the pulmonary or-
gans. In spinal complaints their effects are of the
most decided character, and they have often been
used with complete success. They are also of the
greatest advantage in pains and weakness of the
breast, and are highly recommended for many of
those complaints to which females are especially li-
able. As an effectual means for strengthening the
system when debilitated with disease and other causes,
as a certain aid in constitutional weakness, as a
preventive for colds, and in all affections of the
chest generally, the Galvanic Strengthening Plas-
ters will be found of great and permanent advan-
tage.

CAUTION.—The celebrity and success of
these articles have caused them to be counterfeited
by unprincipled persons. Dr. Christie cautions the
public against spurious imitations. He has but one
authorized agency in each city of the Union, where
the genuine articles can be procured. The only
agents for Washington are—

M. H. STEVENS & EMMONS,
Nos. 1 and 2 Brown's Hotel, Penn. Avenue.
Explanatory pamphlets, &c. may be had gratis,
with the strongest testimonials of success and benefit.
sept. 22-6meod

Farm for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale 329 1/2 acres of
land, lying in Montgomery county, 23 miles
from Washington City, on the road leading from
Rockville to the mouth of Monocacy: one third,
or more, of the land is woods, containing good
timber. The cleared land is of good quality, and
easy to be improved. The buildings are a large
two-story brick dwelling house, with a basement
and garret, barn, tobacco house, stable, &c.
For terms enquire on the premises, of
JAMES TRUMAN.
July 16-1f [Rockville Journal 3c.]

MEDICAL CARD.

D. ALFRED H. LEE tends his professional
services to the citizens of Washington and its
vicinity. Office H street, near 7th.
July 18-6m

R. FINLEY HUNT,
RESIDENT DENTIST.
WASHINGTON CITY,
Pennsylvania Avenue, between 9th & 10th st sts
april 26-1f.

Keep Clean.

THE largest assortment of the best BRUSHES
constantly kept on hand at my Hardware and
Variety Store, Pennsylvania Avenue, near 9th street,
wholesale and retail. **GEO. SAVAGE.**
april 22-1f [Nat. Intelligencer 3c.]

LAMPS! LAMPS!!

PINE OIL and Solar Lamps of the most ap-
proved patterns, and sold at the lowest prices.—
A constant supply of FRESH Pine Oil—Pure
Sperm—Solar and Summer Oil—Burning Fluid—
Chimney's Globes—Wicks, &c., for sale by
O. WHITTLESEY.
C st. Todd's Buildings.
July 5-1f

MEDICAL NOTICE.
DR. PHILANDER GOULD offers his profes-
sional services to the citizens of Washington.
Office on Pennsylvania Avenue, opposite Messrs.
Brown's Hotel. april 11-6m

JOB PRINTING,
in all its varieties, neatly and expeditiously
executed at the office of the Colum-
bian Fountain.

C. K. MUNCK,
Gun, Locksmith, and Bell-Hanger, D, Between 6th
and 7th Streets.

POETRY.

Its words
Are few, but deep and solemn, and they break
Fresh from the fount of feeling.—Percival.

SECRET WORTH.

There are sweet flowers hid in the tangled wild,
That yield not incense up
As the light wind plays with the mossy veil
That conceals each silvery cup;
But when the wind with deeper power
Comes floating thro' the air,
Stirring each vine and leaf, we find
An incense-mine in there.

There is music 'neath the lute's light strings,
But its sweetness is all in vain
While the curtain of silence within its folds
Enshrouds its joyous strain.
But should some hand all gently wake
The chords from their quiet sleep,
Forth to the breeze 'twill quickly send
A thrilling tone and deep.

There are gems of wealth in each humble heart,
Tho' hid beneath the dust,
And dimness the world's cold selfishness
Will fling where we fondly trust;
But let the ray from Kindness' sun
Pierce its depths with their holy power,
And a flood of light shall reflect each gleam,
And glow brighter each passing hour. AMIE.

KINDNESS.

'Tis this that sweetens bitter woe,
And checks the rising sigh,
When trouble sinks the spirit low,
And even hope doth fly!
A gentle word can soothe the breast,
When grief the heart doth fill;
For, though the soul be all unrest,
Its power the storm can still;
Can bid the angry clouds depart,
And brighten up with joy
The sky or love within the heart,
That tempests would destroy.

How gloomy would this world appear,
Did not love's gentle eye
Shine on our path the way to cheer,
Like radiance from on high!
Misfortune's hand may on us fall,
And wither fairest flowers;
Yes even Death, with fearful pall,
Approach life's loveliest bowers.—
Yet kindness drives away the gloom,
That hovers o'er the soul,
And gilds with hope the fearful tomb,
Though clouds of darkness roll.

CHOICE READING

"If you enlighten the people, do not forget that this
is but half your work. Let them be made virtuous and
religious, or you leave them more exposed to danger
than they were before."

GREAT MEETING IN THE PARK.

(Concluded.)

Electors of New York! Your city is
alone excused from the beneficent opera-
tions of the new Excise Law. It was so
excluded on the false assumption that you
are hostile to that Law. It remains so be-
cause you suffered yourselves to be repre-
sented in the last Assembly by men hostile
to any such Law. Are you content to be
so represented and so legislated for? Shall
your next Delegation to Albany, no matter
of what party, be authorized by you to tell
the Legislature that you want no law to
check intemperance, and point to your
votes whereby they were elected as proof of
the truth of their assertion? Consider wisely
and impartially, and act in the fear of
God, and the love of your fellow men! At
all events we are resolved that you shall
have no excuse for being recreant to your
duty.

The address was unanimously adopted,
after which the discussion on the resolu-
tions was resumed.
Rev. John Chambers again addressed
the audience briefly.

He said he heard a gentleman, who lately
visited Saratoga, say, that he saw there,
along the sides of a table, at one of the fa-
shionable hotels, some forty or fifty persons
indulging in the genteel habit of sucking—
sucking rum. They ought to have been
weaned long ago. There are in this city
a vast many of just such calves. They
ought to be broke of this rum sucking. If
they can't stop without, they should be ta-
ken to their mamas. A natural calf receives
nutriment from this practice, but a human
calf only gets poisoned by making a drunk-
en beast of himself. Your Astor House
makes many drunken calves, but it is the
last place where one can get employment
or assistance, after he had spent all his
money there. Rumsellers are the last peo-
ple on earth to give employment to those
who patronize them. They will not have
one of their customers in their business.—
Go down to Castle Garden, where are now
exhibiting all the choicest specimens of arts
and manufactures. All there are willing to
admit, and proud to display, the work of
their hands. Suppose the rumsellers should
get up a fair, and bring together their man-
ufactured articles? One might say—'Look
here, fellow citizens! See that beautiful
black eye! I made it!'

Another might say—'Look at this crip-
ple! This is my work.'

Another might point to a fellow with a

miniature brick house on his nose, and say
—'I made him; and another call on you to
admire a 'swelled head' as his specimen.—
but they will not do this. They are all, to
a man, ashamed of their work. Their busi-
ness is nothing but evil; their traffic never
did any thing but mischief; and will you not
remove it? Does a brawl occur, is a mid-
night robber abroad, is the incendiary about
or the burglar prowling around, the rum-
seller's rum is with them all, urging them
on. Shall not this magnificent city be re-
deemed? We make the laws, and, if they
are bad, we can change them, and make
good laws, and we will do it. We have a
right to say, by our votes, that this infernal
rum influence shall cease; and if rumsellers
will persist in the traffic, they must be
swept away with it.

The Resolutions were again read and ad-
dressed by acclamation.
Rev. John Poisal, remarked that the present
occasion was one of the deepest inter-
est to the city, and the principle we had
met to promote, one of the most unparal-
leled moment to the country and the world.
Our doings here well in England, Ireland,
and Scotland; yes to the ends of the earth.
Temperance men are comparatively asleep.
The churches are not sufficiently awake on
the subject. Shall the rest of our State free
themselves from the rum traffic, while this
city is turned over to the tender mercies of
rumsellers? No! no! Let us resolve to
vote for no man who will not pledge him-
self to go the 'whole creature' for temper-
ance reform, and we shall be successful.

Col. E. L. Snow, asked all men, without
distinction of party, if it is not a democra-
tic principle, that the majority shall govern
and not the minority? What objection can
there be to test the question of License or
No License in this city? If the majority
say grogshops, I will submit. I have been
long connected with the police depart-
ment, and can say that if it were not for
the grogshops we should hardly need a po-
lice.

Arnold Buffum, esq., addressed the la-
boring classes. Let the laborers vote for
the right men, and they will thereby ame-
liorate their own condition; they will have
better employment, and become more inde-
pendent, respectable and moral. If it must be
that some men must have a license to get
a living by means inconsistent with the
general good, let it be something else than
rumseller. Rather let the thief be licen-
sed to take my son's money, than the rum-
selling, who not only takes that, but, in
addition, sends him to a drunkard's grave.

John Cochran, Esq., was the late speaker.
He said he esteemed it a privilege
to speak against the king of terrors—King
Alcohol. Standing on the porch of justice
shall we not do justice? When the alarm of
fire sounds in our ears, we all rush forward
to save one man's property from destruc-
tion. Yet we have an ever-burning, ever-
consuming fire pervading all our city, and
destroying the lives of thousands. Who is
it that entails this ruin upon us? Who is
it that, when wives plead, and children be-
seech, to have their husbands and fathers
saved from the destroyer, arrays himself
against their prayers and entreaties, and
says, "It shall not be?" It is the rum-
seller. The dealer, by his sign-board, de-
clares himself opposed to the reformation
of the man who would restrain, but finds
it difficult to resist the temptation before
him. Were it not for the rumseller, the
drunkard's efforts to extricate himself would
always be successful. This city has be-
come, by partial legislation, the impreg-
nable fortress of the rumsellers. Even the
temples of the living God are cemented,
stone by stone, with the tears of the widow
and the orphan. The rumsellers of this
city declare, with a bottle in one hand, that
we shall not have excise law extended to
this city. We say, we will. What have
we done? Are we such malefactors that
we must be disfranchised? The country
has declared it will not be ruled by this oli-
garchy of rumsellers. Shall we not say
the same? I know there is virtue still ex-
tant in the people of this city. The rum
influence has not been shaken in the coun-
try. If we can prostrate it in the city, we
can, as a corps of reserve, consummate the
glorious work. We can then say—'Stand
up, deserted mothers! Rejoice, ye down-
trodden wives! Spread out your arms, ye
drunkards' families! The reserved corps
of the great teetotal army has perfected your
deliverance!' If you are guilty of no crimes
by which you ought to be denied the common
rights of citizens, then say, like freemen,
"we will no longer submit. Like freemen
let us act."

The meeting adjourned, at eight o'clock,
after an announcement that the next grand
demonstration in favor of the excise law,
would be held at the Broadway Tabernacle,
as soon as arrangements could be made; at
which the venerable John Quincy Adams
will be invited to preside.

The Thibodeaux, La., Minerva says, it has
not the least hesitation in saying that the quality
of Sugar in that vicinity the present season
will be very superior, while the quantity will
fall short by at least one half the amount made
last year.