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To Correspondents.

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THE CHOLERA.

This is now the subject of universal comment. In medical societies, the press, and scientific journals, it has become the absorbing theme. Nor is this remarkable. Nothing recorded in history will compare in extended and fatal ravages to cholera. No disease has more completely baffled human scrutiny as to its cause, pathology and treatment. Ten years ago, few physicians regarded it as contagious, now it is almost universally conceded to be evidently communicable in this way. In its deadly march from the Ganges, it has kept steadily in the current of population, pursuing the great traveling thoroughfares, even in the teeth of the fierce monsoon which would have swept back any non-contagious epidemic. The physicians of India, wherever it originated and has always lingered, are unanimous in pronouncing it contagious.

In like manner have medical men been perpleted in the treatment of this malady. Successively opium, lead, kreosote, alcohol, the lancet, calomel, camphor, chloroform, the inhalation of oxygen, emetics, ice, electricity, have had their advocates. Remedies which for a while seemed successful in one locality have either failed or proved pernicious in another. Thirty-four years have elapsed since cholera, leaving its oriental home, first swept over the world, and in that time successive incursions have made men of science painfully familiar with the phenomena attending its development and progress. It would, therefore, be surprising if some facts had not been gleaned of advantage in preventing or modifying this fearful epidemic, although little or no progress has been made in its cure.

What, then, have we reason to believe, from long observation, are among the general causes of cholera? They are precisely such as produce a large number of zymotic diseases, namely, imperfect ventilation and sewerage, filth of all kinds, decomposition of vegetable and animal matter, dense population of cities, and especially crowded houses. Among the special telluric influences which are supposed to favor its speedy and extended development are a protracted state of dryness in the atmosphere; a high range of the thermometer; confined and quiescent air, with increased pressure, and an almost total absence of ozone.

Statistics, carefully made up, go to show that the violence and fatality of cholera are increased in proportion to the prevalence of the general causes to which allusion has been made; and the reverse is equally true. Whereas in towns which have been properly attended to, the disease has usually seized upon few victims, and soon disappeared; it has always lingered in its most destructive forms where these precautions have been neglected or imperfectly attended to. And yet with the knowledge of this fact, little is usually done by the municipal authorities and health commissioners, until the fatal epidemic is at our very doors. The dread of expense is one common reason for this neglect, and a few hundreds of dollars are bestowed grudgingly, where thousands should be spent cheerfully in the work of prevention. Such miserable policy is false economy, as the result often proves. Ultimately the city purse is drained to provide for the victims of municipal folly, after cholera has established its headquarters, and is relentlessly doing its work of death. Let no contracted views, no illiberal prejudices animate those who have in charge the health and lives of whole cities.

In our own city of Baltimore, although much has been accomplished, there is much to do in the way of prevention. It is true, our intelligent Health Commissioner, Dr. Morgan, has been at his post and diligent in the execution of the duties required of him, but has he the means at his command to perfect the work of cleaning the city in the shortest possible time? As the principal health officer, possessed of an intelligent appreciation of the importance of sanitary measures, he should be clothed with ample powers and ample means to execute his work in his own way. No time is to be lost. The cholera is already hovering about our coast, and within a few miles of our large cities; and in nearly all of them choleraic diarrhœa, the inevitable forerunner of the disease, exists to a greater or less extent. The high range of temperature so sensibly felt for the last day or two is favorable to its early development. WHAT IS TO BE DONE THEREFORE, MUST BE DONE NOW AND EFFICIENTLY DONE.

Much stress is usually placed upon the condition of streets and alleys, and certainly many of ours are sufficiently filthy, but [illegible] may be thoroughly cleansed, and [illegible] be scattered in every [illegible] disinfectants [illegible] chief still [illegible] gutter, and the great mis[illegible] not be reached. The growing [illegible]nchief is to be found in the back yards, back buildings, cellars and vaults of private houses. Every house should be examined from garret to cellar, and from front entrance to rear alley, and every dwelling demanding purification reported to the competent authority.

We shall resume this important subject tomorrow, treating it more especially in its individual and personal aspects.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SOUTH.—We would call the attention of the religious community especially to an interesting account of the condition and needs of Sunday Schools in the South, from the pen of the esteemed President of the United States Christian Commission, G. S. Griffith, Esq. The field of labor is very large, and cannot too soon be occupied.

A Disinfectant.

There is a disinfectant which has been much used in the army, and which we can strongly recommend as a preventive for the cholera. It is a combination of permanganic acid and chlorine, first employed for the purpose by Professor Darby, who was for some time Professor of Mathematics in Williams College, and afterwards of Chemistry in a College in the State of Alabama. The name by which it is known is Darby's Prophylactic Fluid. In the army, when there was danger of mortification or erysipelas from wounds, a quantity of the liquid was applied and the wound bound up in perfect confidence of a good result, and neither gangrene nor erysipelas made their appearance. We have been informed that when Professor Darby was at the head of a young ladies' school, the scarlet fever several times made its appearance among the pupils. He had already discovered the efficacy of the compound we have spoken, and took care to use as a purifier of the atmosphere, and the scarlet fever never went beyond a single case, either in his school or in any other to which he had recommended its use.

Among the active chemical agents which the discoveries in modern chemistry have brought to light is ozone, which, according to the adepts, is oxygen in a peculiar state of activity—an activity supposed by some to depend upon its electrical condition. Whatever be its nature, it is the destroyer of miasmatic exhalations, setting when the unwholesome effluvia in the atmosphere, and consuming it as a flame seizes upon fuel. When a quantity of the compound we have mentioned is exposed to the atmosphere, ozone makes its appearance, although there was none which could previously be detected.

Of the efficacy of Darby's Prophylactic Fluid the experience of surgeons in the army during the war has been too extensive to permit us to doubt. It is not a deodorizer merely, but a disinfectant—a destroyer of the insalubrious element in an atmosphere which cannot be breathed without danger. At this season, when the warm weather which gives activity to the decomposition of animal and vegetable substances, is close at hand, and when the cholera is on its way to our metropolis, it deserves special attention. It is to be had at No. 160 William street.—*N. Y. Post.*

A BENEVOLENT SINGER.—The principal singer of the great theatre at Lyons one day observed a poor woman, with her four children, begging in the street. Her decent and respectable appearance in the midst of extreme poverty interested the kind-hearted vocalist. He desired the poor woman to follow him into the place Bellour, where placing himself in a corner with his back to the wall, his head covered with a handkerchief, and his hat at his feet, he began to sing his most favorite opera airs. The beauty of his voice drew a crowd around, the idea of some mystery stimulated the bystanders and five franc pieces fell in showers into the hat. When the singer who had thus, in the goodness of his heart, transformed himself into a street minstrel, thought he had got enough, he took up the hat, emptied the contents into the apron of the poor woman, who stood motionless with amazement and happiness, and disappeared among the crowd. His talent, however, betrayed him, though his face was concealed. The story spread, and the next evening when he appeared on the stage, shouts and applause from all parts of the house proved that a good action is never thrown away.

A NEW NAVAL MANŒUVRE.—The iron-clad Toulon fleet of the French navy, consisting of one ship-of-the-line and five frigates, has sailed again on a three days' cruise to practice a new manœuvre invented by Admiral Willaumez. The frigate Caton was anchored between the islands of Hyeres, and each ship sailed round her at various angles, and each time with increased speed. The diameters of the circles in these evolutions were carefully noted on board the Caton and on board each ship as she sailed round.

THE Memphis *Post*, a thoroughly loyal paper, edited by Northern Republicans of the most determined stripe, thus expresses itself as to the proper policy to be pursued in regard to the South:

"We are not, and we do not believe any considerable portion of the Union party is, in favor of having the General Government dictate who in the States shall enjoy the elective franchise. That, we think, the Union party is willing to leave to the States themselves, confident that they will see ere long the justice of admitting to the privilege those who possess intelligence enough to use it wisely. But they are none the less resolved that the freedmen shall not become a basis of power to States which refuse them suffrage. We earnestly hope that Congress will, without delay, adopt such measures as, while securing to the nation proper guarantees for future peace and the just treatment of the emancipated slaves, will not appear to be oppressive or in any way unjust to those who are to be in all time to come brothers and joint possessors of the great heritage of constitutional liberty."

DENVER, Colorado, is having a tussle with the gamblers; the grand jury has indicted them all; the saloons have been shut up; and a vigilance committee has been appointed, whose names are secret, and whose business it is to administer justice, sharp and sudden, and without waiting for the forms of law. By way of revenge, the gamblers are turning incendiaries, and the Colorado seminary, with other buildings, has been burned. A police officer was also shot by some unknown person, and probably fatally. But the Coloradians promise to have peace and good order restored; they are laying a beautiful and favorable spring; mining is more promising than for the last years; freights have gone down to 8 cents per pound from Missouri river to the mountains, and though the people are very much disappointed that Congress does not admit Colorado as a State, they are in good heart for the future and say they can "go it alone."

—The first salmon of the season was caught in the Penobscot River last week. He weighed 20 pounds.

A Prudent Mother

Will keep Atherton's Cherry Cordial in her house. It has always been administered with great success to children while Teething or suffering with the Summer Complaint, being remarkably soothing in its nature, without injury to the nervous system, which is the case with most syrups and cordials used for these complaints. For sale by Druggists. ap6-eoly

☞ We call our readers attention to SMITH, BROS. & Co's New stock of Spring Clothing just opened at SMITH, BROS. & Co.'s popular Clothing House, No. 40 West Baltimore street.

Our new stock of Gents Furnishing Goods just opened at 38 West Baltimore street, next to Marble Hall.

Call and see our new styles of Gents Furnishing Goods at 38 West Baltimore street, next to Marble Hall.

All the latest novelties in Collars, Ties, Scarfs, &c., at West Baltimore street, next to Marble Hall.

The popular Clothing House, No. 40 West Baltimore street, next to the great Furnishing House.

EXACTLY WHAT YOU WANT!

MATTHEWS' VENETIAN HAIR DYE, known and used over 20 years. Daily increasing in public favor. Complete in one bottle. No wash. No trouble. Does not crack or stain. Produces a lustrous black or brown as desired. Does not injure the hair. Price, 75 cents.

Sold by Druggists and Fancy Goods Dealers. my9-2tawly

Binding Wood.

Wood of all Sizes, Oakwood Pine Wood,

Delivered free of charge.

Office City Steam Fire Wood Mills, 9 South street,

427-6m2p JAS. H. JOHNSON & Co., proprietors.

The Star Perfume of the Age.

For the "Night-Blooming Cereus, a passion Pervades the social world and world of fashion. Manufactured by Phalon & Son, N. Y. Sold everywhere.

Dyspepsia Destroys the Teeth,

Unless its effects are counteracted by that pure vegetable tonic and antiseptic, *Sozodont*. No bodily disease can impair them if this antidote to all corrosive elements that act upon the enamel is regularly applied. It

COMPLETE CLOTHING HOUSE.—We take great pleasure in calling the attention of our readers to the conspicuous advertisement of Messrs. Smith, Bros. & Co., No. 40 West Baltimore street. We speak what we know when we say their present stock of clothing cannot be excelled. We commend this firm to the favorable notice of all who may want goods in their line. They sell at small profits, and deal on the square with everybody.

Colgate's Aromatic Vegetable Soap.

A superior **Toilet Soap**, prepared from refined **Vegetable Oils** in combination with **Glycerine**, and especially designed for the use of **Ladies** and for the **Nursery**. Its perfume is exquisite, and its washing properties unrivalled. For sale by all druggists. fe9-d&wly

Hair Dye! Hair Dye!!—BACHELOR'S HAIR DYE is the best in the world. The only true and perfect Dye—harmless—instantaneous and reliable—produces a splendid black or natural brown—remedies the ill effects of bad Dyes, and frequently restores the original color. Sold by all Druggists. The genuine is signed, W. A. BACHELOR, 81 Barclay street, New York. fel-d&wly

The Cholera-Morbus.

The Cholera-morbus is a well-known and common complaint. It is frequently attended with severe cramps, with vomiting, &c., with a serious looseness of the bowels and other painful symptoms. Opium is largely given, in one shape or another, for this disorder. Powerful and poisonous drugs are sometimes administered under a variety of mixtures as a specific for it. Even if such remedies happen to cure, they leave behind them the seeds of death to germinate at the first opportunity. Radway's Ready Relief is open to no such grave objections. A teaspoonful of it administered in a wine-glass of sweetened water has a more beneficial effect at once than any compound of laudanum, camphor, rhubarb, &c., and if the pain be not forthwith removed, as well as the violence of the discharges diminished in about twenty minutes, a repetition of the dose of Ready Relief is certain to produce the desired effect. You have only, in addition, to apply flannels soaked with Ready Relief to the bowels and the cure is complete. The danger is over very quickly. You are satisfied from the start that Ready Relief is bound to vanquish the disease. Even in bilious cholic the same treatment must terminate just as successfully; and should inflammation of the bowels be present the Ready Relief given internally and applied externally will prove a perfect remedy, if a dose of two of Dr. Radway's pills be discreetly given at the same time. For cholera-morbus there is nothing can excel in any circumstances. Radway's Ready Relief [illegible] but 50 cents a bottle. Sold by [illegible] under N. B.—In the East [illegible] Relief—price America, Radway's [illegible] Druggists. [illegible] Calcutta and South [illegible] Ready Relief is extensively used [illegible] treatment of Asiatic Cholera, and Yellow [illegible] it is the only remedial agent that can be depended upon with absolute certainty—let every one keep a bottle near them—a cure will always follow. RADWAY & CO., 87 Maiden Lane, N. Y. an 11-2wd&w

MARRIED.

POLLARD—PAXTON.—On Tuesday the 17th inst., in the First English Lutheran Church, by the Rev. John McCron, D. D., Walter F. Pollard, Esq., to Miss Mattie B. Paxton, both of this city.

BENTON—BLASSER.—On the 17th instant, by the Rev. J. M. Young, Thomas T. Benton, of Baltimore, to Mollie E. Blasser, of Shrewsbury, York county, Pa.

KEEFE—TRUMBO.—On the 17th instant, by the Rev. Wm. D. Ryan, John F. Keefe, of New York, to Miss Susan M. Trumbo, of Baltimore.

DIED.

HOLLOWAY.—On the morning of April 20th, 1866, Edward Holloway, son of Ellen and the late Robert Holloway, in the 40th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, at ½ o'clock, this (Saturday) afternoon.

PURNELL.—On the morning of the 20th instant, after a protracted illness, Charles B. Purnell, aged 64 years.

The friends and acquaintances of the family are invited to attend his funeral from his late residence, No. 92 Sharp street, on to-morrow (Sunday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock. (Snowhill *Shield* please copy.)

ROSS.—On Friday morning, the 20th inst., David J. Ross, in the 46th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend his funeral, without further notice, from his late residence, 75 Lexington street, on Sunday, the 22d inst., at 3 o'clock, and proceed to the First English Lutheran Church, Lexington street, where the services will take place.

BILLINGSLEA.—On the 18th of April, in the 24th year of her age, Mary E. Billingslea.

FORAN.—On the 19th instant, Ann T., beloved wife of James Foran, in the 45th year of her age.

TAYLOR.—Suddenly, on the 19th instant, of apoplexy, Major J. Taylor, in the 67th year of his age.

PASTERFIED.—On the 19th instant, of consumption, Geo. G. Pasterfield, in the 24th year of his age.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞ THE SECOND QUARTERLY MEETING of the G. D. S. of T. of Md., will be held in the Temple THURSDAY, the 26th inst., at ten o'clock A. M. At night a Public Temperance Meeting will be held in the Temple, when interesting addresses will be delivered. All are invited. By order, T. MYERS, G. S. ap21-sam&w3t*

☞ ASSOCIATE REFORM CHURCH.—The Rev. Dr. John Leyburn will preach in the Associate Reformed Church, Fayette street, on SUNDAY, the 22d inst., at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. 1t*

☞ MADISON AVENUE M. E. CHURCH.—The Pastor, Rev. Dr. Gibson, will preach TO-MORROW, the 22d inst., at 11 o'clock, A. M. and at 7½ P. M. The public are cordially invited. It

☞ THE NEXT MONTHLY MEETING OF THE SUPERINTENDENT'S AND TEACHER'S ASSOCIATION, of Baltimore will be held in St. Mark's Lutheran Church, (Rev. Charles Stork's,) on Eutaw near Mulberry st., on MONDAY EVENING, the 23d instant, at 7½ o'clock; subject of discussion, Sunday school extension in the city. The public are invited to attend, as we are about publishing a table of Sunday schools in Baltimore. If any schools have not received a blank report to be filled, they will please send the name and location of the school, Superintendent's name, number of teachers, and scholars, &c., to the address of REV. J. OWEN, 73 W. Fayette st. ap21 2t

☞ CHESAPEAKE BANK, BALTIMORE, April 24, 1866.—The *STOCKHOLDERS* are hereby notified that an Election for *FIVE DIRECTORS* of this Bank, for the ensuing year, will take place at their Banking House on the SECOND TUESDAY OF MAY NEXT, being the 8th of the month, between the hours of 10 and 1 o'clock. JOHN S. GITTINGS, Pres't. ap21-tMy8

☞ ANNIVERSARY EXERCISES OF THE EXETER SUNDAY SCHOOL SOCIETY will be held in the Exeter Street M. E. Church, on SUNDAY, the 22d instant.

Rev. Alfred Cookman, of Philadelphia, will preach at 11 A. M., at 7½ P. M., and address the schools at 3 P. M.

The friends of the Sunday School cause are invited. A collection will be taken for the benefit of the schools. ap20-2t*

☞ NOTICE TO TRAVELERS GOING SOUTH.—The new LINE OF STEAMERS leaves Spear's Wharf DAILY, Sundays excepted, for the following points, connecting at Norfolk and Portsmouth with Railroads for all points South. Fare from

Baltimore to Fortress Monroe	$3.00
Baltimore to Norfolk	3.00
Baltimore to City Point	5.00
Baltimore to Richmond	5.00
Baltimore to Petersburg	6.00

ap11-tf J. BIRCKHEAD, JR., Ag't.

☞ NOTICE.—Members of the PASTIME BASE BALL CLUB will meet for Play at 2 o'clock, on their grounds on Madison Avenue, THIS (Saturday) EVENING, the 21st inst. Punctual attendance of every member is absolutely necessary. By order, BOARD OF DIRECTORS. JOHN M. NELSON, Sec'y. 1t*

☞ A SUPERIOR REMEDY.—We can conscientiously recommend to those suffering from a distressing cough, Dr. Strickland's Mellifluous Cough Balsam. It gives relief almost instantaneous and is withal not disagreeable to the taste. There is no doubt that the Mellifluous Cough Balsam is one of the best preparations in use, and is all that its proprietor claims for it. We have tried it during the past week and found relief from a most distressing cough. It is prepared by Dr. Strickland, No. 139 Sycamore street, Cincinnati, Ohio, and for sale by Druggists. Wholesale agents Tomsen & Block, and A. Vogeler & Co. [illegible]

☞ HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR RENEWER, its effect is miraculous.—The old, the young, the middle aged, unite to praise HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR RENEWER. It is an entirely new scientific discovery, combining many of the most powerful and restorative agents in the vegetable kingdom.

We have such confidence in its merits, and are so sure it will do all we claim for it, that we offer $1,000 REWARD if the *Sicilian Hair Renewer* does not give satisfaction in all cases when used in strict accordance with our instructions.

Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer has proved itself to be the most perfect preparation for the Hair ever offered to the public. It is a vegetable compound, and contains no injurious properties whatever. It is not a dye. It strikes at the Roots and fills the glands with new life and coloring matter.

IT WILL RESTORE GRAY HAIR TO ITS ORIGINAL COLOR. It will keep the hair from falling out. It cleanses the scalp, and makes the hair soft, lustrous, and silken. It is a splendid hair-dressing. No person, old or young, should fail to use it.

It is recommended and used by the first Medical Authority.

Ask for Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer and take no other.

If not sold by Druggists in your town, a trial bottle will be sent to you by express, upon receipt of one dollar by mail—thus giving you an opportunity at once for testing its excellent virtues.

Orders for trial bottles must be addressed to R. P. HALL & Co., Proprietors, Nashua, N. H.

Sold by all Druggists.

Wholesale by THOMSEN & BLOCK and S. S. HANCE, Baltimore. ia22-d&weoly

☞ F. KNAPP'S INSTITUTE.

The exercises will be resumed on MONDAY NEXT, September 4th, at 8 o'clock A. M., on which day new scholars will be admitted.

Three higher classes exclusively intended for young ladies, were formed last January, and are in successful operation at present.

Parents sending boarders, are requested to provide for their punctual arrival. F. KNAPP. an31-tf

☞ TWO BAD CASES OF PILES CURED BY DR. STRICKLAND'S PILE REMEDY.—Mr. Glass, of Janesville, Wisconsin, writes for the benefit of all who suffer with the Piles, that he has been troubled for eight years with an aggravated case of Piles, and his brother was discharged from the army as incurable, (he being quite paralyzed with the Piles.) Both these distressing cases were cured with one bottle of Dr. Strickland's Pile Remedy.—The recommendation of these gentlemen, beside the daily testimonials received by Dr. Strickland, ought to convince those suffering that the most aggravated chronic cases of Piles are cured by Dr. Strickland's Pile Remedy. It is sold by Seth S. Hance, 108 Baltimore street, and by Druggists everywhere.

Wholesale Agents, THOMSEN & BLOCK and A. VOGELER & CO; SETH S. HANCE, Agent. ly2-1y

LEGAL NOTICES.

CITY COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, BALTIMORE, April 2, 1866.—SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office, until THURSDAY, April 26th, instant, for furnishing all the NEW LAMPS and IRON LAMP POSTS, required by the city of Baltimore, during the year ending May 1st, 1867. Also, proposals for REPAIRING the LAMPS in the several Police Districts of the city; proposals to state amount for each district separately, per month. Payments to be made monthly. SAML. MACCUBBIN, ap21-3t [ASC-4t] City Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, BALTIMORE, April, 20, 1866.—Notice is hereby given that all LICENSES issued by the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore must be renewed at THIS OFFICE from 1st to 20th MAY NEXT. A neglect will be deemed a waiver of the license. SAM. MACCUBBIN, ap21-tM1 [A,S,6,T,COR&W] Comptroller.

☞ THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Baltimore city, letters of administration on the estate of SOPHIA SENEY, late of said city, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 17th day of October, 1866; they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefits of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. Given under our hands this 17th day of April, 1866. ELIZA W. HARWOOD, EDWARD H. WHITE, ap21-1aw4w* Administrators.

☞ THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE. That the subscribers have obtained from the Orphans' Court of Baltimore city, letters of administration on the estate of JOHN F. COOK, late of said city, deceased. All persons having claims against said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, on or before the 23d day of October, 1866; they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefits of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. Given under our hands this 20th day of April, 1866. MARY S. SLATER, JOHN F. COOK, Jr., ap20-1aw4w Executors.

☞ OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS FOR OPENING STREETS.—BALTIMORE, April 19th, 1866.—The Commissioners for Opening streets in accordance with the 6th section of an Ordinance, entitled an Ordinance to provide for exercising certain powers vested in this Corporation in relation to streets in the City of Baltimore, approved April 3, 1866, hereby give notice that they will meet on MONDAY, the 28th day of May next, at 3 o'clock, P. M., at the Office of the Commissioners, at the City Hall, and proceed to execute the powers and perform the duties assigned to and required of them in regard to OPENING COOKE STREET, from Gilmor street to Pennsylvania avenue, in accordance with an Ordinance of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, approved March 5, 1866. WILLIAM BROOKS, DAVID TAYLOR, GEORGE T. WILKINS, Commissioners. ap20-1aw4w JAMES H. COOK, Clerk.

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NOTICE TO SHIPPERS

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Air Line Railway,

Comprising the following railroads, viz: Norfolk and Petersburg, South Side Virginia and Tennessee, East Tennessee and Virginia, East Tennessee and Georgia, and Memphis and Charleston Railroads, forming an unbroken gauge from Norfolk to the Mississippi Valley. This line, and all its various connections running South and Southwest, is now in full operation, and is prepared to contract through its authorized agents for the transportation of freights to LYNCHBURG, BRISTOL, KNOXVILLE, DALTON, CHATTANOOGA, NASHVILLE, MEMPHIS, MACON, MONTGOMERY, ATLANTA, VICKSBURG, MOBILE and all intermediate points, and will issue through bills of lading GUARANTEEING THROUGH RATES PER 100 LBS. TO ALL POINTS.

Ship Goods by New Line Steamers foot of Spear's wharf, and mark "Virginia and Tennessee Line."

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MISCELLANEOUS.

DRS. JOHN AND WILLIAM WHITRIDGE, Have removed their office and Dwelling TO THE Southeast corner of Charles and Read sts. ap21-1w

REDUCTION IN PRICES! FURTHER REDUCTION IN PRICES! OF CEMENT AND PLASTER. Best ROSENDALE CEMENT and CALCINED PLASTER. Just landing and for sale at reduced prices by J. HENRY GIESE, ap21-7t2dp 21 Spear's wharf.

E. H. NELMS & CO., BILLIARD PARLORS. CARROLL HALL, Will have their FORMAL OPENING This (Saturday) Evening. When Michael Phelan, Carme, and McDevitt, of New York; James Palmer, R. T. Ryall, Champion of Pennsylvania; E. J. Plunkett, and other well known Billiard Players from all parts of the United States, will be present. It

NEW GOODS. WALL PAPERS, WINDOW SHADES, PIANO AND TABLE COVERS. *NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS, &c.* Just received at SINCLAIR & PURVIS, ap21-2t* 5 North Charles street.

☞ FARMERS, GARDENERS, and all interested, will please take notice that they can be supplied, at the shortest notice, from CROMWELL'S PATAPSCO NURSERIES, one mile south of Baltimore, (Light street extended,) with all the choicest known varieties of GRAPE VINES, STRAWBERRY PLANTS, and other small Fruits, ORNAMENTAL TREES, EVERGREENS, FLOWERING SHRUBS, ROSES, and everything pertaining to a well stocked Nursery. Also, Tomatoe, Cabbage, Egg, Cauliflower and other Plants, in large or small quantities.

All orders attended to at Seed and Agricultural Store, Nos. 46 and 48 Light st., Baltimore. Priced Catalogues furnished on application.

RICH'D CROMWELL, Proprietor.

☞ Those interested are invited to visit the Nurseries. It would well repay them. R. VINCENT, Superintendent. ap20-3w

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT, APRIL, 16th, 1866. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Assistant Treasurers U. S. at New York, Philadelphia and Boston, and the Designated Depository at BALTIMORE, have been instructed to discontinue receiving deposits on account of Temporary loan for Clearing House purposes at five per cent. per annum, on and after May 1st, 1866, from which date all certificates out-standing and unpaid will carry four per cent. interest per annum.

On said 1st of May, and until further notice, said Assistant Treasurers and Designated Depository will receive such deposits in lawful money, and issue therefor Clearing House certificates payable on demand, in legal tender notes, with interest at four per cent. per annum. H. MCCULLOCH, ap18-4t Secretary of the Treasury.

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AMUSEMENTS.

HOLLIDAY STREET THEATRE. THIS (Saturday) EVENING, April 21. The Distinguished Tragedian Wr. J. W. WALLACK, Jr., Will appear in his admirable impersonation of JOHN MILDMAY, In Tom Taylor's Favorite Comedy, STILL WATERS RUN DEEP. Mr. F. C. BANGS, as Hawksley. To conclude with the Farce of MY AUNT. Dick Dashall.....Mr. J. W. Wallack.

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