EVENING STAR.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

JURISDICTION OVER THE STREETS OF THE CITY OF WASHINGTON.—An interesting report was made to the Senate on Wednesday last by Mr Brown, of Mississippi, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, to which was referred the resolution of the Senate instructing the committee to "inquire into and report what jurisdiction the Congress of the United States has over the avenues of the city of Washington," &c.

Various authorities are quoted from the early history of Washington downward, from which the committee come to the conclusion that the jurisdiction over the streets in Washington city is solely in the United States, and that Congress has no power to alienate that jurisdiction or cede it to another. Congress may convey privileges over the streets to individual companies or corporations; it might grant the temporary exclusive use of a street to an individual or company; but no grant can be made of jurisdiction, right or authority to any party which Congress may not at any moment set aside.

The committee make no distinction between streets and avenues, thinking none exist in the law.

In regard to the question whether the avenues have been obstructed, the committee find a too common practice of permitting assemblages of people to attend auctions or the like exhibitions on the footways and pavements of the principal thoroughfares of the city, or so near them as to incommode the public. Another just ground of complaint is that persons desirous of letting gas pipes into their houses frequently remove the paving stones laid down by the United States, and replace them so imperfectly as to put the streets and avenues out of repair. These and other obstructions or nuisances not necessary to be enumerated are of easy correction.

In regard to the railroad track along Maryland avenue, the committee are of opinion that the *object* of laying down the track, was a good and laudable one, and, though they think it was done without law, they recommend that authority be now given to lay the track across the avenue at such place and in such manner as to make the most convenient connection between Washington and Alexandria and the Washington *branch* of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

The bill which the committee reports to remove obstructions and prevent trespasses upon the streets and avenues, provides that steam shall not be used as a propelling power on this track, and that the track shall be removed without cost to the United States whenever Congress shall direct.

EXAMINATION OF JOHN E. BAILEY.—This examination was resumed before Justice Hollingshead at two o'clock yesterday afternoon. John E. Latham identified goods, such as muslins, calicoes, flannels, silk handkerchiefs, undershirts, etc, which had been stolen from him on Easter Monday night Many of the articles bore his private mark. Bushrod M. Reed identified sardine boxes bearing his private mark, and which were a portion of goods stolen from his store on the night of the 23d of December. At the end of the examination Bailey was recommitted in default of bail The bail was fixed in each case at five hundred dollars, amounting in all to four thousand dollars required of Bailey. The examination of Demaine takes place at the same office at four o'clock this afternoon.

CHINA AND JAPAN.—We understand that a series of pictures of life and scenery in those countries, painted by a young artist of this city, Mr. George R. West, are to be exhibited here in a few days. The Chinese portion of the panorama is painted from sketches taken by Mr. West during seven years' residence in that empire, and the Japanese portion painted by Mr. West from sketches taken by Mr. Wm. Heine, artist of the United States Japanese expedition, under Com. M. P. Perry. We are informed that during an exhibition of six weeks in New York over 15,000 persons visited and viewed these pictures.

ROBBERY AND ARREST.—For some time past the family of Mr. S. C. Barney has been missing articles of jewelry, silver ware, clothing, &c., from that gentleman's dwelling on E, near Seventh street. Circumstances caused suspicion to fasten on Emily Williams, a colored woman employed by the family. She was arrested this morning by Officer Keese and taken before Justice Goddard, who issued a warrant to search her house. The officer departed on that business, but had not returned when we left the office.

FURTHER ARRESTS IN THE BURGLARY CASES.—The Chief of Police with his officers yesterday arrested two young men named Chas. Steele and Harvey Belt, charged with having stolen goods, proceeds of the late burglaries, in their possession. Steele is about 21 years of age, carpenter, and resides at the corner of M and Fourth streets Belt is about 17 years of age, and works at the tinning establishment of Mr. H Ritchey, corner of Seventh and H streets. They were committed by Justice Hollingshead for further examination.

SUPREME COURT.—Yesterday, A. Browning, Esq., of New Jersey, was admitted an attorney and counsellor of this court.

No. 82 John Bacon et al., appellants *vs.* Wm. Robertson al The argument of this cause was concluded by Mr. Yerger for the appellants.

No. 87. Richard D. Wood et al, appellants, *vs.* Alexander C. Davis. This cause was argued by Messrs. St. Geo. T. Campbell and A. Browning for the appellants and by Mr. Carlisle for the appellee. Adjourned.

THE JUROR'S BILL.—The Senate bill increasing juror's pay in the District of Columbia to equal that of U. S jurors in the States, which passed the House yesterday, only awaits the formality of the signatures of the Speaker, President of the Senate, and President, to become a law. It makes the pay of jurors in this District hereafter $2 per diem.

CASES DISMISSED.—Yesterday, Justice Morsell was engaged with the trial of sundry cases which grew out of the disturbance in the Seventh Ward on last Sunday. Six warrants, four for profanity and two for fighting, were served by Officers Stoddard and Mitchell. All were dismissed for want of evidence that the party arrested were the parties at fault.

ORPHANS' FAIR AT CARUSI'S SALOON.—We are sorry to learn that this fair has not been well attended this week; and as it closes tomorrow night, we hope our readers—many of whom have not yet visited or patronized it—will give it a full house to-night and to-morrow night.

GEORGETOWN ELECTIONS.—We understand that a memorial is now before Congress from a large number of the citizens of Georgetown, praying that citizens who pay a full tax for the benefit of free schools, shall be allowed to vote at all elections hereafter. It deserves the attention of Congress. Let all be heard.

THE KNOW NOTHING DELEGATES.—We are informed that the Third Ward Council, at its meeting last night, elected Hill delegates to the Convention to nominate a candidate for the Mayoralty.

CIRCUIT COURT.—The court is still in session, and cases of importance to various individuals have been disposed of, but they have not attracted public attention. The Dermot ease is still under consideration.

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MR. EDITOR: As spring has made its welcomed appearance we humbly suggest to the authorities concerned the unlocking of one of the small gates at the west end of the President's grounds, (if it meets his wish,) during the day, as it is rather disagreeable to find, after walking about and through the grounds, you have to retrace your steps to make an exit.

Our second complaint: we wish to call the attention of Mr. Vanderwerken, through your columns, to the leaking of his omnibus, through the roof, in our ride over to town yesterday afternoon, in the 5½ stage. B.

WASHINGTON, April 18, 1856.

PINK COAKLEY, (colored,) so well known to the police, was yesterday taken before Justice Smith for assaulting the house of Mary Bell. He was held to bail to keep the peace.

THE COMMON COUNNIL met on Monday afternoon at the usual hour. All the members present.

Mr Turton reported the bill for setting the curbstone, &c., on the south front of squares 684, 725, and 782, on C street north and Fourth street and Delaware avenue; passed.

A communication from the Mayor was laid before the Board by the President, returning, in compliance with a resolution of this Board, the bill entitled "An act to amend the act altering and establishing the grade of Seventeenth street;" referred to the delegation from the First Ward.

Mr Fisher introduced a bill entitled "An act for the relief of R. W. Balmaine;" passed.

Mr. AtLee asked to be discharged from the further consideration of the petition of W. Dorretty and B R. Gladmon; referred to improvements committe.

Also, reported a bill for the relief of B. K. Morsell; passed.

Mr. Orme, on motion, was excused from voting on the above bill.

Mr Lloyd moved that a special committee of three be appointed to investigate an alleged violation of law.

Mr. Jefferson offered as a substitute that a committee of three be appointed to inquire into the truth of, and report all the facts in the case for future action, with such recommendations as they may deem proper; which was adopted, and the President appointed Messrs. Jefferson, AtLee, and Towles the committee.

A communication was received from the Secretary of the Board of Trustees of Public Schools, asking an appropriation, &c; referred to the public schools' committee

Mr. Turton presented a bill and vouchers of Mr. Posten for expenditures upon the West Market; referred to the ways and means committee.

Mr. Fuller introduced a bill to amend an act altering and establishing the grade of Seventeenth street west; passed.

The joint resolution from the Aldermen authorizing the Mayor to offer a reward of "500" for the apprehension of Washington Naylor, was unanimously passed.

The bill from the same Board in relation to the grade of an alley in square 517, was referred to the improvements committee.

The amendment of the same Board to the resolution in relation to the Long Bridge, was taken up and concurred in.

The bill from the same Board making an appropriation for cleaning alleys was referred to the police committee.

The bill from the same Board to grade and pave an alley in square 517 was referred to improvements committee.

The joint resolution from the same Board in relation to the deposit of "night soil" in the Seventh Ward was referred to the police committee.

The bill from the same Board to regulate the sale of poison within the limits of this city was referred to the health committee.

The Board then adjourned.

FURTHER HEARING.—The trial of the case of the United States against C. A. Paine, for obtaining a receipt by false pretences, was postponed yesterday for a further hearing before Justice Daniel Smith.

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PUBLIC RESERVATIONS.—*Mr. Editor:*—In the laying out of this city, the public reservations (triangular) was laid down without names being given to them. As they are now being beautifully and permanently enclosed with iron railing, it may not be out of place to suggest that those squares (as most appropriate) be named after each of the former Presidents of the United States; for instance, that between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets, being the starting point or first square west, be designated and known as "Washington Place," and so on, in regular rotation, throughout the city. The name "Union Square," as applied to the square in front of the Union office, is inappropriate, and should be known as "Jefferson Square;" that being the name it would receive if named in their regular order. Such an arrangement in regard to those reservations will be desirable, as there is no doubt that each of them will, before many years, be embellished by some work of art, either by the General Government or Corporation. What could be more appropriate than to place in each of those public grounds, in this city, the statues of the distinguished personages after whom those spaces are to be named, as the nation's gratitude for their many public services CITY.

WASHINGTON, April 15, 1856.

MR EDITOR: You ask—Mrs. Necessity being the mother of invention, the question arises who is the father?

Answer: Mr. Need.

Respectfully yours, PUNSTER.

WATCH RETURNS.—The only case for trial this morning at the central guard house, was that of Simon McClain, who was found in the house of Thos. B. Goddard, after 10 o'clock last night. He was intoxicated, and there being no evidence of evil intent, he was ordered to pay costs and was discharged by Justice Stevens.

☞ **Electric Oil.—Electric Oil.—Many** respectable dealers, in various parts of the country, have been duly authorized to sell the genuine "ELECTRIC OIL," with WRITTEN signatures of DR GRATH & Co., of Philadelphia—and such dealers are making more on sales than the Proprietors are, because it is an expensive remedy to make. The price, however, is invariable to the trade.

P. S.—Prof. De Grath & Co., of Philadelphia, have just received a letter from a nephew in the country, detailing his wonderful cure by a single bottle, which they had sent him. He kindly permitted its publication.

☞ Look out for fraud. Only Office No. 39 South Eighth street, near Chesnut street, Philadelphia, directly in the centre of the city.

☞ Examine the Labels and the Bottles. See the written signature, Prof. De Grath & Co., and the name blown in the bottle, "Prof. De Grath." All others to imitate is forgery. ap 18—tr

☞ **Coats, Pants, and Vests,**
Dress Suits, Business Suits.

NOAH WALKER & CO., MARBLE HALL CLOTHING EMPORIUM, Browns' Hotel Building, respectfully announce that their annual display of SPRING AND SUMMER CLOTHING is now ready for inspection, comprising an assortment of GENTLEMEN AND YOUTHS' CLOTHING of the newest and richest designs, in material, trimming, and workmanship. To those who study excellence, with economy in fashionable articles of dress, an opportunity is now offered for selecting from one of the most attractive stock of goods in this city, at very reduced prices. ap 2—tf

☞ **The Great Russian Remedy.—Pro** BONO PUBLICO.—"Every mother should have a box in the house handy in case of accidents to the children."

REDDING'S RUSSIA SALVE.

It is a Boston remedy of thirty years' standing, and is recommended by physicians. It is a sure and speedy cure for Burns, Piles, Boils, Corns, Felons, Chilblains, and Old Sores of every kind; for Fever Sores, Ulcers, Itch, Scald Head, Nettle Rash, Bunions, Sore Nipples, (recommended by nurses,) Whitlows, Stiles, Festers, Flea Bites, Spider Stings, Frozen Limbs, Salt Rheum, Scurvy, Sore and Cracked Lips, Sore Nose, Warts and Fresh Wounds, it is a most valuable remedy and cure, which can be testified to by thousands who have used it in the city of Boston and vicinity for the last thirty years. In no instance will this Salve do an injury, or interfere with a physician's prescriptions. It is made from the purest materials, from a recipe brought from Russia—of articles growing in that country—and the proprietors have letters from all classes, clergymen, physicians, sea captains, nurses, and others who have used it themselves, and recommend it to others. Redding's Russia Salve is put in large tin boxes, stamped on the cover with a picture of a horse and a disabled soldier, which picture is also engraved on the wrapper. Price, 25 Cents a Box. Sold at all the stores in town or country, and may be ordered of any wholesale druggist. For sale at SHILLINGTON'S, Agent for Washington. jan 23

☞ **Dalley's Genuine Pain Extractor,** will subdue the pain and inflammation from the severest burns or scalds, in from one to twenty minutes—and that it will heal the wounds without scar; and effectually cure Fever Sores—Piles—Salt Rheum—Inflammatory rheumatism—Sore and Inflamed Eyes—Cuts—Wounds—Bruises—Old and Inveterate Sores—Scald Head—Corns and Bunions—Erysipelas—Sprains—Swellings—Felons—Chilblains—Bite of Insects—Swelled and Broken Breast—Sore Nipples—Kruptions—and all other inflammatory and cutaneous diseases, where the parts affected can be reached.

Don't be incredulous about the many diseases named to be cured by only one thing—but reflect, that the few, but positive properties which the Dalley Salve alone contains, and as heretofore enumerated—one to four—can reach not alone the afore-mentioned diseases, but many more not enumerated.

Each box of GENUINE DALLY'S PAIN EXTRACTOR has upon it a Steel Plate Engraved Label with the signatures of C. V. CLICKENER & CO., proprietors, and HENRY DALLEY, manufacturer. All others are counterfeit. Price 25 cents per box.

☞ All orders should be addressed to C. V. Clickener & Co., 81 Barclay street, New York.

☞ For sale by CHAS. STOTT, NAIRN & PALMER, and Druggists generally. ap 8—eo6m

☞ **As a Spring and Summer Medicine,** CARTER'S SPANISH MIXTURE stands pre-eminent above all others. Its singularly efficacious action on the blood; its strengthening and vivifying qualities; its tonic action on the Liver; its tendency to drive all humors to the surface, thereby cleansing the system according to Nature's own prescription; its harmless, and at the same time extraordinary good effects, and the number of cures testified to by many of the most respectable citizens of Richmond, Va., and elsewhere, must be conclusive evidence that there is no humbug about it. The trial of a single bottle will satisfy the most skeptical of its benefits.

*** See advertisement in another column. ap 1—1m

☞ **Hostetter's Celebrated Bitters.—All** who have used these Stomach Bitters speak in the highest terms of them, and the best evidence of their popularity is to be found in the fact that the same persons have used them over and over again, and are constantly recommending their use. Now that the spring season is approaching, every family should be provided with a few bottles, to be taken against the diseases so prevalent in the warm weather, and to fortify them against a recurrence of last year's attacks. It is undoubtedly the best tonic in use. For sale, in any quantities, by

ap 11—1w JAS. N. CALLAN.

MARRIED,

On the 17th instant, by Rev. G. W. Samson, Mr. JAMES W. SARTEN to Miss MARY ELLEN KANE, both of Alexandria

DIED,

On the 18th instant, JURA ESTHER, infant child of B. S. and Jane A. Howard.

WANTS.

WANTED.—A GOOD MILLINER IMMEdiately, one who understands the business thoroughly can apply at No. 281 Pennsylvania avenue. ap 18—

WANTED—TO GARDFNERS, FLORISTS AND OTHERS.—Wanted to rent a square of ground, containing about seven acres, fine soil, Fruit Trees and Dwelling House thereon will be let either on shares or otherwise. Apply to J. CRUTCHETT, No 474 C street, Capitol Hill, near Railroad Depot. ap 18-2t*

WANTED—EIGHT OR TEN MEN IMMEdiately, to engage in a business that will pay from $2 to $3 per day. Also, 500 dozen empty Ink bottles. Enquire at No 514 7th street, room No. 3. ap 18-1t*

WANTED—BY A YOUNG AMERICAN girl a situation to do plain sewing and assist in the housework. Good reference given. Apply at No 21, 13½ street, between C and D. ap 18-1t*

WANTED—A WOMAN TO DO PLAIN Cooking, and to wash and iron. Also, a Girl to take care of small children. To suitable persons good wages will be given. Apply at No. 435 Eleventh st., between G and H streets. ap 17-3t*

WANTED—A COOK FOR THE STEAMboat George Page. Also, several dining-room servants. They must be genteel and of steady habits. For such the highest wages will be given Apply immediately on board. ap 17-3.*

WANTED—A WHITE WOMAN as Chambermaid and Seamstress. She must understand all kinds of Sewing, and come well recommended. Apply at the residence of Col. J. W. FORNEY, 8th street, between E and F. ap 17-3t

WANTED—BY A GENTLEMAN AND his wife, a parlor and bedroom, and board in a private family. A locality between 12th and 15th and H street and Pa avenue preferred Terms liberal. Address Box 223 Post Office, Washington. ap 17-4t

WANTED—BY A WELL EXPERIENCED Gardener, who understands the business in all the various branches—understands budding, grafting, and the management of orchards. Has a wife and two children; can produce good reference if required Address "G," through this office, will meet with prompt attention. ap 16-3t*

BOARDERS WANTED.—SIX OR EIGHT single gentlemen can be accommodated with good board at my house on 22d st., between I st. and Pa. avenue, (First Ward.) Terms moderate; and care taken that the house shall possess the comforts of a home. ap 12-8t* SARAH POOR.

WANTED—A PURCHASER FOR $2,000 worth of Deed of Trust Bonds, secured on property worth twice the amount. Address, stating where the party can be seen, to Box No. 17, Star Office. ap 14-eo3t*

BOARDING.

A FEW TABLE BOARDERS CAN BE ACcommodated by applying at No. 492 G st., between 4th and 5th. Boarders can be accommodated at $3.50 per week. Mrs. S. HUNTER. ap 16-1w*

BOARD—SIX, OR EIGHT GENTLEMEN can obtain board at No. 459 10th street beween E and F, for $3 per week. Also, a gentleman and wife. ap 14-1w*

BOARDING—ONE LARGE ROOM, handsomely furnished, on the first floor, and one large front room in the second story, furnished or unfurnished, with or without board Also, two single rooms for gentlemen. Table boarders can be accommodated on reasonable terms A large yard is attached to the house, making it desirable for a family with children. Apply to 468, 10th street, between D and E, east side. ap 9-2w*

BOARD, &c.—MRS. BATES, ON THE S. W. corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 9th street is prepared to accommodate gentlemen with rooms, with or without board. Every effort will be made to render those comfortable who may favor her with their patronage. ap 6—tf

BONNETS, RIBBONS AND EMBROIDERIES.
GREAT JOBS OF COLLARS, &c.

JUST OPENED, 6 JOBS OF CAMBRIC COLLARS, from 50 cents to $4, very cheap
3 jobs of SWISS COLLARS, $1, $1 25 and $1 50
1 do real French Do $2.50 and $3
1 cartoon of Black Brussels LACES
A splendid line French Swiss BANDS
Also, CAMBRIC RUFFLING AND BANDS
Splendid RIBBONS, for 25 cents
Rich Sash and Bonnet RIBBONS
Rich LACE BONNETS.
Also every variety of GIMP AND STRAW BONNETS AND FLATS.
The above goods are all *very low.*
MRS. R. G. ETCHISON,
ap 16-eo3t Successor to Mrs. R. A. Peaco.

EXCURSION BOATS
FOR THE WHITE HOUSE PAVILION.

THE STEAMERS THOS. COLLYER OR GEORGE WASHINGTON can be chartered for public or select parties to the White House Pavilion, Fort Washington, Mount Vernon or any place on the Potomac River.

For further particulars apply to the Captains of the Boats or to the President of the Company. ap 17-tf

A CARD.

HAVING TAKEN THE YARD FORMERly occupied by Mr. McCutchen, corner G and 22d streets, I would respectfully inform my friends and the public generally that I will be prepared, in a few days, to furnish them with the best article of WOOD AND COAL, at the lowest market prices. Hoping, by strict attention to business and fair dealing in all cases, to merit a liberal share of patronage. ap 17-3t JOHN W. MYERS.

SALAD SAUCE.

THE SPECIAL ATTENTION OF HOUSEkeepers and others is called to this delicious article, esteemed by "connoisseurs" one of the greatest productions of the age. It is composed of the most essential vegetable extracts and Oils for imparting a rich piquancy and making food highly digestible.

For sale only by Z. M. P. KING,
ap 15 265 Vermont av., cor. 15th and I sts.

PIANO FORTE FOR SALE.

A GENTLEMAN LEAVING THE CITY wishes to dispose of one of Chickering's 7-octave (rosewood) PIANOS, of very rich tone, but little used, and in excellent order. It can be seen at 423 Thirteenth street, between G an H.

Also, for sale, a BUGGY, with leather top, harness, saddle, bridle, horse-cloth, &c

Inquire at R. EARL'S Livery Stable on H st., between 20th and 21st. ap 15-1w*

FOR BOSTON—
The Brig ANDOVER, Capt. Atkins, has arrived and will have quick dispatch for the above port. For FREIGHT apply to
HARTLEY & BROTHER,
ap 15 101 Water st., Georgetown.

ANDREWS'
Grand Raffle for $18,000
IN DIAMONDS AND JEWELRY

WILL NOW TAKE PLACE IN A FEW days All those who have not procured their tickets had better do so without delay, as over one-half of them have already been disposed of. This is decidedly the richest stock of fine JEWELRY ever offered in this country.

The whole of this stock will be placed in the hands of Mr. Hood, Jeweler, for safe keeping, until the Raffle is decided.

Tickets only ONE DOLLAR, which can be had at No 420 Pennsylvania avenue, where the goods are now open for inspection.

Give Col. Andrews a call, and you will not regret your visit.

Tickets raffled for every evening at his store.

The Raffle will be decided by a committee of the ticket-holders, on the day of the drawing. ap 17-

MADAME DEVOS

HAS REMOVED FROM BROWNS' HOTEL TO
THE LAKES, 501 Pa. avenue,
with her Spring and Summer FASHIONS, which will be opened to morrow, April 15th, at 9 o'clock, for a few days only. ap 15

ASTROLOGY.

MADAME S. D., PROFESSOR OF ASTrology and Phrenology, announces her arrival in Georgetown, together with the assistance of Professor M. BROUGHTON, and will practice here for a short time. She invites those who wish to enquire into their futurity. She is able to give satisfaction in all the affairs of human life.

Madame S. D. is lately from Europe, where she received patronage from the Nobility there. She is now taking a tour through the United States.

All questions in the science of Astrology answered either personally or by letter. Nativities also written.

Residence No. 79 Bridge st., two doors above the Post Office, Georgetown. ap14-5t*

FOR SALE AND RENT.

[*See first page for other Rent and Sale notices.*]

TEN FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET AT CASPARIS' on Capitol Hill. ap 18-3t*

FOR RENT.—IN GEORGETOWN, A TWO story and attic brick house in Green street, near the residence of Judge Dunlop. Also, a three story brick house with large garden, on High street, between Bridge and Prospect street. Possession will be given on the 1st May. For terms, &c., apply on the premises, or to Messrs. C. M. LINTHCUM & CO., Georgetown. ap 18-eo8t*

FOR RENT.—ON CAPITOL HILL, A suite of Furnished Rooms, (parlor, chamber, dining room, kitchen, pantry and servant's room) suitable for a member of Congress with a small family. Enquire at the house No. 281 South B street, or address R. H. W., at this office. ap 18-1w*

FOR RENT.—THE BRICK HOUSE ON the North corner of Vermont avenue and L street, between 14th and 15th, furnished or unfurnished, containing 9 rooms. The situation is airy and heathful; four squares North of the State Department Enquire of J. P. HILTON, three doors East of Chubb's bank, F street, or at the house. ap 18-tf

VALUABLE PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE.—I will sell, on accommodating terms the following described property:

The new three-story Brick Dwelling House, on Missouri avenue, near the corner of Four-and-a-half street. This house is situated in one of the most healthy and pleasant locations in the city, fronting the public grounds, and commanding a view from the Capitol to the Washington Monument, with all the surrounding country, which can never be obstructed. The house is admirably arranged, having been built under my own direction, with an eye to the comfort and convenience of my own family. It contains sixteen rooms, with all the modern improvements of gas and heating apparatus, hot and cold water, bath room, &c. There is also a cistern in the yard capable of containing 15,000 gallons of water, and a sewer leading to the main sewer of Four-and-a-half streets, for the purpose of carrying off all the slops. There is also in the rear a large brick stable and carriage-house, covered with tin.

The lot fronts 24 feet 6 inches and runs back 126 feet to a 30 feet paved alley.

I will also lease the vacant lot adjoining the above property, lot same size.

ap 18-2w E. WHEELER.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED ROOMS to let at No. 284 H street, between 17th and 18th streets, West end. They are very desirable rooms and price moderate. ap 16-3t

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—THREE Bed Rooms handsomely furnished and lighted with gas. Meals can be had at any hour. Apply at C. GAUTIER'S Restaurant, Pennsylvania avenue, No. 252. ap 17-6t

FOR SALE.—THAT VERY PLEASANT and desirable residence, corner of 10th and N streets. The house is new, and well furnished, containing thirteen comfortable rooms, beside bath room, kitchen and good dry cellar. A well of the best water at the kitchen door, and lot 50 feet by 100, with choice fruit and flower garden planted. Any one desirous of purchasing will please call and examine the premises Also, four or five lots adjoining the above, on 10th and N streets. ap 17-8t

NEW SPRING GOODS FOR GENTLEMEN.

P. J. STEER, MERCHANT TAILOR, No. 488 Seventh street, between D and E, has received his new Spring Goods, and has now the pleasure to announce to his customers and the public that his stock is very complete Gentlemen who wish choice styles are invited to call early, with the assurance that the most elegant and desirable goods will be shown them. The stock embraces, as usual, new and elegant Furnishing Goods for gentlemen. ap 12-eo2w

PARASOLS!—PARASOLS!!
Just received from the Manufacturers 300 PARASOLS in every quality and size, and for sale very cheap by
WM. R. RILEY,
ap 2-1m Cor 8th st., opp Centre Market.

NEW BOWLING SALOON.
ON TEMPERANCE PRINCIPLES.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS FITTED UP one of the new Stores on D street, between 8th and 9th street, as a TEMPERANCE BOWLING SALOON, where gentlemen who need this exercise for health and amusement may resort and be benefitted

No intoxicating liquors allowed on the premises, and no betting permitted.

The subscriber pledges himself to make this a respectable place of amusement; and nothing will be allowed at which the most fastidious can complain.

Good Soda Water and Cigars take the place of liquor.

A call is respectfully solicited.
ap 15-eotf T. B. BROWN, Agent.

JUST RECEIVED—
73 tons Phila. Red Ash COAL
82 do White do
100 cords Oak WOOD
50 cords Pine do
Which will be sold at the lowest market prices by F L. MOORE,
ap 15-eo3t West side 9th st., bet. D and E.

LIME!—LIME!!—LIME!!!

2,000 BUSHELS LIME, WOOD-BURNT now landing, in good order and of superior quality, which will be sold low.
WM. WARDER,
Corner of 12th and C streets, No. 549.
ap 14-eo3t (Organ)

PORTO RICO SUGARS, &c.
15 hhds. prime P. R. SUGAR
20 bbls do do do
2 hhds. Family HAMS
20 bags Rio COFFEE
25 boxes Eastern CHEESE
25 dozen BROOMS
20 dozen BUCKETS
25 bbls Eastern HERRING
New Orleans and Cuba MOLASSES
Just received and for sale by
BARBOUR & SEMMES,
ap 14-eo3t 65 La. av., bet. 6th and 7th sts.

LIME!—LIME!!—LIME!!!

WILL BE OPENED TO MORROW, AT the Lime Kilns of W. H. Godey & Co., situated on Rock Creek, between the upper and lower bridges, a kiln of very superior WOOD BURNT LIME. The subscribers have also on hand a large supply of PLASTERERS' HAIR, CEMENT, CALCINED PLASTER, and every description of the very best quality of lime, which will be disposed of on the most reasonable terms. ap 14—eotf W. H. GODEY & CO.

MILL FEED! MILL FEED!!

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS CONSTANTLY on hand a supply of SHIPSTUFF, MIDDLINGS, SHORTS, and BROWN STUFF, which he will sell low and in quantities to suit purchasers. BENJ. DARBY,
ap 7-eo1m 89 Water street, Georgetown.

SPRING MILLINERY.

MRS. M. A. HUTCHINSON STILL CONtinues the above business in all its varieties, at her residence, No. 296 south B street, Capitol Hill. ap 16-eo3t*

MRS. J. RUOFF

RESPECTFULLY INFORMS THE LAdies of Washington that she has just returned from New York with a splendid assortment of Spring and Summer BONNETS, and will have her opening April 15th Ladies will save 30 per cent. to call before purchasing elsewhere

No. 3 East Capitol street, Capitol Hill, 1 door from corner of 1st street. ap 11-eo1m

ISLAND DRUG STORE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS JUST RECeived a fresh supply of Pure DRUGS AND CHEMICALS, to which he invites the attention of physicians and others. All popular PATENT MEDICINES of the day can be found here

Also, a variety of FANCY ARTICLES and fine Extracts for the handkerchief.

CIGARS AND TOBACCO, of choice brands.

☞ Personal attention given to physicians prescriptions at all hours, day and night.

JOHN C. FILL, Pharmaceutist,
ap 14-eo3t Corner 4½ and D streets.

REDUCTION IN THE PRICE OF GAS.

WASHINGTON GAS LIGHT COMPANY,
April 16th, 1856

SATISFACTORY INFORMATION HAVing been obtained as to the terms on which suitable Coal can be procured for the supply of the year, the Board of Directors, in fulfilment of the promise given in their Circular of the 14th ultimo, have now the pleasure to state that they are enabled to make a corresponding reduction in the price of Gas. Accordingly, a discount of *twelve and a half per cent* will be allowed upon all bills for gas consumed after the 30th of June next, (the expiration of the present quarter,) if paid at the office of the Company within five days from the date of presentation.

By order of the Board:
ap 16-eo2w J. F. BROWN, Secretary.

SPRING MILLINERY.

MRS. PIERCE, IN THE SECOND STORY and over Gitting's Fancy Store, on Pa avenue, between 8th and 9th sts., will open on TUESDAY, the 15th instant, her spring and summer MILLINERY. ap 12-1w*

CLOCKS! CLOCKS!!—JUST RECEIVED another lot of No. 1 Clocks some entirely new patterns. They will be sold at astonishingly low prices. Remember, every Clock is warranted.
ap 12 G. FRANCIS, 490 Seventh street.

AUCTION SALES.

By JAS. C. McGUIRE, Auctioneer.

SIG VITO VITI & SONS' LAST SALE will take place THIS (Friday) EVENING at 4 o'clock, and be continued until the whole is disposed of, at the Hall over Farnham's Book store, corner of 11th street and Pennsylvania avenue.

The gems of the collection will then be offered, including the Bust of Webster, Bacchus, Madonna, richly-carved antique Vases, Tea Services, Pedestals, group finding of Moses, and other rare and beautiful gems, together with a fine assortment of Ornamental Vases of a highly refined and instructive character.
ap 18-1t JAS. C. McGUIRE, Auct.

By JAS. C. McGUIRE, Auctioneer.

CLOSING OUT SALE OF THE STOCK of the late R. Keyworth.—On THIS (Friday) EVENING, April 18, at 7½ o'clock, at the store of the late Robert Keyworth, we shall close out the balance of the stock, comprising—
Several excellent second-hand gold and silver Watches.
Fine gold Breastpins, Finger Rings, Earrings, Lockets, Bracelets, Necklaces, Keys, &c.
Silver plated Tea Sets, Castors
Pitchers, Mugs, &c.
Terms: $25 and under, cash; over that sum a credit of 60 and 90 days, for satisfactorily endorsed notes. bearing interest.
By order of the Administratix.
ap 18-1t JAS. C. McGUIRE, Auct.

By A. GREEN, Auctioneer.

BLACKSMITH TOOLS AT AUCTION.—On SATURDAY MORNING, 19th instant, at 10 o'clock, I shall sell at my auction store, corner of Seventh and D streets, No. 526, a complete assortment of Smith Tools, viz:
1 Bellows, 2 Anvils, 3 Vices
Sledge and hand Hammers, lot Swedge Tools
Lot Forge, 1 Grindstone
And many other Tools, too numerous to mention. Terms cash
ap 18-1t A. GREEN, Auctioneer.

By WALL, BARNARD & CO., Auctioneers.

VERY LARGE AND HANDSOME ASsortment of Household Furniture and Housekeeping Effects at Auction, being the Effects of a Family Leaving the City.—On SATURDAY MORNING, April 19th, at 9½ o'clock, we will sell, in front of our Auction Rooms, a very large and handsome assortment of furniture, &c., in part, viz:
Mahogany carved back Tete-a-tete and Sofas
Mahogany hair spring Lounge, Divans
Mahogany and walnut Wardrobes, toilet Tables
One splendid set Chandeliers, in perfect order
Mahogany, cane and wood seat Chairs, Rockers
Walnut Writing Table, Card Tables, Light Stands
Mahogany and Walnut Dressing Bureaus, plain Bureaus
Brussels, three-ply and ingrain Carpets
Enclosed Wash Stands, pine leaf Tables, &c.
Sideboards, walnut and maple Bedsteads
Large walnut gilt-framed Mirror, Lamps
Curtains, Cornices, Vases, Andirons
Feather Beds, Hair and Husk Mattresses
Cooking, Parlor, and other Stoves
Large lot Kitchen Utensils
The above goods are in good order, and must be sold without reserve.
WALL, BARNARD & CO.,
ap 18-1t Auctioneers.

By A. GREEN, Auctioneer

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNIture at Auction.—On SATURDAY, the 19th instant, I shall sell, in front of my store, at 9 o'clock a. m., a large assortment of excellent Furniture, Carpets, &c.
2 second-hand Pianos, Looking Glasses
A large lot of China, Glass and Crockery Ware
Terms cash.
ap 18-d A. GREEN, Auct.

By A. GREEN, Auctioneer.

LONG BOAT TOM THUMB, AT AUCtion.—On TUESDAY, the 29th instant, I shall sell, at 6 o'clock, p m., in the Washington Canal, between 15th and 16th streets, a long boat, named Tom Thumb. She is a good boat, being 75 feet long and 13 feet 9 inches wide, and two masts. Capacity upwards of 32 tons. Terms cash.
ap 18-d A. GREEN, Auct.

By HUGH DOWLING & CO., Auctioneers.

400 TONS OF POTOMAC ICE For Sale. Will be sold at public auction, on THURSDAY, the 24th day of April, at 5½ o'clock p m., at the premises, near the corner of H street south and Ninth street west, the contents of an Ice House, containing about 400 tons of Ice, of very superior quality, having been carefully put away in a good and secure building. The purchaser to have the privilege of removal at his own leisure, free of rent.

Terms: One-half cash on the day of sale; the balance in 2 and 4 months, for approved endorsed notes, bearing interest.
HUGH DOWLING & CO.,
ap 18-5t* Auctioneers.

By JAS. C. McGUIRE, Auctioneer.

CATALOGUE SALE OF CHOICE MODern Oil Paintings.—On WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, April 23, at 7½ o'clock, at the Saloon over Farnham's Bookstore, corner of Eleventh street and Pennsylvania avenue, I shall sell, without reserve, sixty modern Oil Paintings, the property of a private gentleman in Baltimore, lately deceased. comprising many fine specimens of popular artists We name in part specimens of Van Arden, Newell, Roach, Rowbotham, Warren, Lanman, Scott, Pyne, Cobell, Ellis, &c.

The paintings are all handsomely framed and will be found worthy of attention.

Terms: $50 and under, cash; over that sum a credit of 60 and 90 days, for satisfactorily endorsed notes. bearing interest.

Catalogues may be obtained at the Auction Rooms. JAS. C. McGUIRE,
ap 18-d Auctioneer.

By JAS. C. McGUIRE, Auctioneer.

PEREMPTORY SALE TO COVER ADvances.—On MONDAY AFTERNOON, April 21st, at 4½ o'clock, at the auction rooms, I shall sell, without reserve—
75 sets ivory and bone handle Knives and Forks
50 pairs black doeskin Pants
60 pairs sattinet Pants
3,000 superior Havana Cigars
Terms: $25 and under cash; over that sum a credit of 60 days, for satisfactorily endorsed notes bearing interest.
ap 18-d J. C. McGUIRE, Auct.

By JAS. C McGUIRE, Auctioneer.

AN UNDIVIDED INTEREST IN THE National Hotel, Washington, at Public Auction.—Trustee's Sale.—By authority of a deed of trust and by direction of the cest. q. trust, the subscribers will sell at auction, at the auction store of J C. McGuire, Washington, on THURSDAY, the 19th day of April next, at 12 o'clock m., eight undivided three hundred and fifteen parts, the whole into three hundred and fifteen equal parts, being divided of and in all and singular the lots of ground in Washington, in the District of Columbia, marked and known on the plat thereof as lots numbered 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13, in square numbered 491, and all that part of lot number 14, in said square, adjoining said lot number 13, fronting twenty feet on north C street, and running back at right angles with said street north the full depth of said lot 14, with the improvements thereon, being the establishment known as the National Hotel, now in the occupancy of Wm. Guy.

Terms of sale: One-fourth cash; and the residue in six, twelve, and eighteen months from the day of sale, for which notes bearing interest, with a lien on the premises, will be taken.

Conveyances at the cost of the purchaser.

The property will be resold at the purchaser's risk and cost on ten days' notice if the terms of sale be not complied with within three