THE EVENING STAR.

The Largest Circulation in the District.

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☞ READING MATTER ON EVERY PAGE. SEE OUTSIDE FOR INTERESTING TELEGRAPHIC AND OTHER MATTER.

RECEPTIONS.

WE ARE AUTHORIZED TO ANNOUNCE that the Ladies of the Executive Mansion, Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Stover, will be at home on Monday evenings, after seven o'clock. The evening has been fixed upon for the drawing-room receptions of the ladies in lieu of the afternoon as during last season, and they will receive every Monday evening until further notice.

SPEAKER COLFAX'S RECEPTIONS are to be every Friday evening, from 8½ to 11 p. m. The receptions of the Speaker's mother and sister, Mrs and Miss Mathews, for ladies, and gentlemen accompanying them, will be every Wednesday afternoon, from 1 to 4 p. m. The Speaker's weekly receptions will close on the last Friday of March.

IMPEACHMENT.

It is understood that owing to the possibility that the Supreme Court may in some way declare the tenure of office bill unconstitutional, other charges besides the violation of that act may be embraced in the articles. Some of the Committee favor reviving the charges heretofore brought forward by the Judiciary Committee, and bringing in articles and specifications charging the President with humiliating the nation and disgracing the office he held in the Senate chamber on the 4th of March, 1865, with violation of his oath of office in appointing men to places of trust and power throughout the ten States of the South who could not take the oath of office prescribed by the law of country; with dissezing the recently emancipated freedmen of millions of acres of acres of the public domain which had been solemnly dedicated to them by the laws of the country, and turning those lands over to rebels who had brought upon us the misery and woe through which we had then just passed; with surrendering without compensation or condition, railways on which the Government had expended $40,000,000 of money and the labor of thousands and tens of thousands of men in the army scheming to keep ten States unreconstructed; trampling under foot the laws, and giving encouragement, aid, and comfort to the enemies of the country throughout those ten States; in using his power as Chief Magistrate to delay and postpone the collection of debts due to the United States by railways for rolling stock sold them on credit by his order, and then by virtue of another order issued by himself, receiving and appropriating that money to his personal use. Objection is, however, made on the ground that a majority of the House having voted that these charges were not a ground for impeachment, they should not be revived. Some of the ablest lawyers among the Republican Congressmen say that it is trifling with an important matter to base impeachment on any of these charges, and that there should be but one article, *Executive usurpation of power*, with specifications setting forth some of the prominent cases in which power has been usurped. Meanwhile, the more advanced Republicans are exerting themselves to the utmost to procure prompt and decisive action.

NEW MODE OF CO-OPERATION.

New York has just now a minor sensation in the shape of a plan of supplying flour to the multitude at wholesale prices. An enterprising young business man has undertaken to bring himself into relations with the producers and consumers of flour, and by cutting off an army of middle men he is able to furnish the flour direct to the consumer at a very small profit per barrel, but at the same time makes a good thing of it himself from the annual sale of 100,000 barrels. He organized a company for the purpose of grinding wheat in the west; placing the flour at the door of the consumer at a small profit, saving thereby to the purchaser all the profits of the middlemen. This business has so extended that he has been obliged to take two new stores in addition to the one with which he started, and the undertaking seems to be fully established. The New York papers seem to look upon the success of this enterprise as laying the foundation for a general reconstruction of the mode of food-supply, by which all articles of food can be supplied without risk to the consumer, and at much lower rates than now.

BACHELORS will be happy to learn that their condition is to be ameliorated by a new movement in Boston, which takes the name of the "Marriage Fund Association." This society has issued a grave circular, which sets forth the alluring programme of a marriage portion of five hundred dollars for every member of the organization who has paid one hundred dollars, a gift of one hundred dollars for every child born when father and mother are both members, and an award of another hundred dollars annually for the support and education of each child until it is ten years old. It is reported that ten thousand dollars have already been subscribed in aid of this project. "The growing tendency of our young men towards celibacy" is mourned by the projectors, who add that they intend to do all they can to apply the remedy.

WITH REFERENCE to jury trials in California, a bill has been introduced into the Legislature of that State, amending the Criminal Practice act so far as to prevent the previous reading of a newspaper from disqualifying a man from serving as a juror. This disqualification was founded upon the idea that the reading of a newspaper report would bias the mind. At this rate, the best jurors would be those who could not read at all, and probably the most ignorant persons in the community. The attempt to amend the law in California, if successful, will, no doubt, be found to increase the probabilities of obtaining fair and enlightened juries.

THE WORKING PEOPLE.—A Wisconsin newspaper states that work has been suspended on the St. Paul and Chicago Railroad, between Winona and St. Paul, and men ordered to be retained under pay until railroad matters are straightened out in that State. The iron and steel works at Birmingham, Conn., used 4,000 tons of scrap, last year, making 3,500 tons of finished iron, 300 tons of imported steel in carriage and truck springs, and made 1,000 tons of iron into axles of all grades and styles. They employ about 150 men, and are about to add to their business. A member of one of the co-operative societies in London writes that he has saved enough by it to take his family on a continental trip.

HARD TIMES IN RICHMOND.—Times, in the money line, were never so dull as now in Richmond. The Dispatch contains six columns of "sales by auction" under deeds of trust and seizures by constables, sheriffs, city sergeants and United States marshals. Among the parties who have "gone up the spout," are Mr. John P. Ballard, proprietor of the Ballard House, and Mr. Wm. J. Babcock, of the St. Charles Hotel. They are, however, not alone; hundreds of others suffering from an impecuniosity that appears impossible of relief.

☞ From French & Richardson, agents for Scott's reprints, we have the *Edinburgh Review* for January, with articles on Gochard's Don Carlos and Philip II; Oysters and the Oyster Fisheries; Anjou; Tyndall's Lectures on Sound; Liberal Education in England; Memoirs of Sir Philip Francis; De Fezensach's Recollections of the Grand Army: Two Per Cent.; The Queen's Highland Journal.

THE HOUSE yesterday agreed to the Senate amendments to the amendatory reconstruction law, and it now goes to the President for his signature. The amendment makes a majority of legal votes cast all that are necessary to ratify a constitution submitted.

ITALIAN AFFAIRS.—The Paris *Presse* reports that the Italian Government is about to send General Bixio to Vienna to negotiate a treaty with Austria.

☞ From Blanchard & Mohun we have a copy of the handsome cheap edition of Dickens' "Old Curiosity Shop," published by D. Appleton & Co. Also, *Harper's Weekly*, March 4.

Government Securities.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27, 1868.—Jay Cooke & Co. furnish the following quotations of Government securities:

	Buying.	Selling.
U. S. 6's Coupon, 1881	110¾	111¼
U. S. Five Twenties, 1862	111¼	111
U. S. Five Twenties, 1864	107¾	108
U. S. Five Twenties, 1865	108¾	109
U. S. Five Twenties, Jan & J'y, '65	107¾	107¾
U. S. Ten Forties	104¾	105
U. S. Seven Thirties, June	106½	105¾
U. S. Seven Thirties, July	106¾	106¾

NEW YORK FIRST BOARD SALES.

Coupons.....111 10,40's.....104¾
5,20's, 1862.....110¾ 7,3-10's, 2d series..106¾
5,20's, 1864.....107¾ 7,3-10's, 3d series..106¾
5,20's, 1865.....108¾ Gold.....140¾
5,20's, Jn & Jy, '65..107¾

[By Bankers' and Brokers' Telegraph.]

Lewis Johnson & Co. quote stocks and bonds in home and foreign markets as follows:

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—First Board—U. S. 6's, 1881, coupon, 111; 5,20's, 1862, coupons, 110¾; 1864, coupon, 107¾; 1865, coupons, 108¾; 1865, coupon, new, 106¾; 5,20's, 1867, coupon, 107¾; 10,40's, coupons, 104¾; 7,30's, second, 106¼; 7,30's, third, 106¾; Pacific Mail, 111¼; Ohio and Mississippi Certificates, none; Atlantic Mail, 98¼; Canton, 60¾; Cumberland, 33; Western Union Telegraph, 35¼; Quicksilver, 22¼; Mariposa, 8; do. pref'd, 10¾; Boston Water Power, 20; N. Y. Central, 126¾; Erie, 65; do. pref'd, 76; Hudson, 139¾; Reading, 92¾; Michigan Central, 112¼; Michigan Southern, 90¼; Illinois Central, 137¼; Cleveland and Pittsburg, 93; Northwestern, 59¾; do. pref'd, 72¼; Cleveland and Toledo, 106¾; Rock Island, 96¾; Adams, 73¼; Wells, Fargo & Co. Express, 40; Merchant's Union, 34¾; American Express, 70; United States Express, 72; Fort Wayne, 99¾; Gold, 141¼. Market dull.

To-day's New York Markets.

[By Telegraph.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Flour 10a20c. lower. Wheat dull and drooping. Corn 1c. lower. Rye quiet and firm. Oats dull and declining. Pork decidedly better; new mess, $24.87a$25. Lard firmer at 15¾a16¼c. Barley firm. Peas nominal. Cotton dull and drooping, at 22a22½c. for middling uplands. Freights dull. Spirits Turpentine irregular and unsettled at 72½a73 cents. Rosin firm, at $3.40 for strained common.

POLITICAL.—General Logan, in his letter declining to be a candidate for Governor of Illinois, says that he has become so deeply interested in the questions that must be settled by the next and succeeding Congress that he prefers to remain with that body until they are finally disposed of. He says that he wants "this Government reconstructed on a basis that will at least allow a loyal man to live in the country."

—— It is understood that the Republican caucus will nominate either T. J. Robertson, of Columbia, or General R. K. Scott for Governor in South Carolina. The Congressional nominees are being considered.

—— Ex-President Fillmore is mentioned as a possible candidate before the National Democratic Convention.

—— A New Hampshire Radical paper favors the nomination of George L. Boutwell for President.

—— The Saratoga *Sentinel* hoists the name of Horatio Seymour for President. The Binghamton *Democrat* nominates Horatio Seymour for President and James R. Doolittle, of Wisconsin, for Vice President.

—— The admission of a negro to membership in the organization known as Good Templars has created a schism in the lodge at Spencersport, N. Y. Members were about equally divided on the question.

—— The Cincinnati *Enquirer* (Democratic) which has been consistently adverse to the National Democratic Convention being held in New York, now admits that this was a city which can better accommodate the Convention and the masses of the people who may congregate there, than any other in the country. It is also the strongest Democratic city in the United States, and is in that State whose electoral vote it is the most important to secure. It is also true that New York city and State have never had a national convention of any party within their borders."

—— The Republican State Convention of Wisconsin met at Madison yesterday, and nominated L. S. Dixon for Chief Justice, and Byron Paine for Associate Justice. Resolutions were adopted in favor of General Grant for President.

—— The Legislative Assembly of California has adopted resolutions approving of the action of the President, and censuring Congress for the course it has pursued. The leading Democratic paper of San Francisco calls on the President to declare martial law in the District of Columbia, and suspend civil business, including Congress, until the people can speak.

BALTIMORE CITY TENURE OF OFFICE BILL.—Both branches of the Baltimore city councils have passed an ordinance in relation to the tenure of office of parties appointed by the mayor, by and with the advice and consent of the city council. It enacts that a term of holding shall not be deemed to be created by any existing or future resolution or ordinance so as to affect the power of removal given to the mayor by public local laws, because such resolution or ordinance may prescribe that such officer or officers may or shall be appointed "annually," or "in the month of February," or "as other city officers are appointed," or by any other like expressions indicating a periodical duty of appointment. It also enacts that whenever the city council is in session any appointment made by the mayor shall be immediately thereafter submitted for confirmation to the city council. The ordinance, it is understood, is to give to the mayor uncontrolled power over his appointees.

THE MARYLAND SENATORSHIP.—In the Maryland Senate yesterday a communication was presented from Hon. Philip Francis Thomas, enclosing the report of the Judiciary Committee of the United States Senate, together with the evidence in his case, which was referred to the Committee on Federal Relations. In the House of Delegates a communication of the same tenor was received from Mr. Thomas, and referred to the Committee on Federal Relations, and the Speaker was ordered to appoint a special committee to consider the expediency of paying Mr. Thomas one year's salary as Senator of Maryland.

AT THE MEETING of the Democratic caucus Tuesday night Hon. W. E. Niblack presided, with Hon. S. J. Randall as secretary. A congressional campaign committee of seven was appointed, as follows, viz: Hon. J. R. Doolittle and Hon. C. R. Buckalew on the part of the Senate, and Hons. S. J. Randall, James M. Humphrey, L. L. Trimble, Lewis W. Ross and W. H. Barnum on the part of the House. The committee is authorized to constitute three of its members an executive committee for campaign purposes. It is also authorized to appoint a resident committee of three or more persons, not members of Congress, with headquarters in Washington city, which shall be specially charged with the distribution of documents and other details of campaign work.

LADY DON will appear at the National Theater this evening as "Orpheus," in the classical and operatic burlesque of "Orpheus and Eurydice," also in the comedy of the "Ladies Club."

RECEPTIONS.—The reception of Mrs. and Miss Matthews, mother and sister of Speaker Colfax, yesterday afternoon, was well attended by the friends of the family. The guests were received by the ladies in their usual affable manner, and spent the time in social converse.

ORDERED.—Brevet Brig. Gen. George Sykes, Lieutenant Colonel 5th infantry, has been ordered to report immediately to Major General Hancock, to take command of the 20th United States infantry, in the Fifth Military District.

☞ THE FIRST ANNUAL MEETING of the EAST WASHINGTON CO-OPERATIVE UNION will be held on MONDAY, March 2d, at 7½ p. m., at the Store, Odd Fellows' Hall, Navy Yard. All stockholders are requested to attend.
By order of the President.
fe 27-eo2t JOS. R. WALTEMEYER, Sec.

☞ NOTICE—THE GRAND FAIR, in aid of COLUMBIA DIVISION, No. 13, S. OF T., now in progress at Odd Fellows' Hall, Navy Yard, will close on SATURDAY EVENING, the 29th instant, with a GRAND COTILLION PARTY. Dancing to commence at 8 o'clock. The price of admission on that evening, will be twenty five cents. fe 27-3t

☞ THE PARTIES WITH WHOM TICKETS were left for the Richings and Japanese Matinee on Thursday last, will please make their returns to the Treasurer, who wishes to settle his accounts. Respectfully,
ALEX. R. SHEPHERD,
fe 24 Treas. Prov. Aid Soc.

☞ A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the TEMPERANCE BUILDING AND TRUST ASSOCIATION will be held at Temperance Hall, WEDNESDAY, March 4th, at 6 p. m., to amend the Constitution.
The Fourth Regular Monthly Meeting of the Association will be held at the same place and same day, at 7½ p. m.
The public are invited to be present, and an opportunity to subscribe for stock will be afforded before the funds of the Association are loaned.
A meeting of the Board of Directors will take place MONDAY, March 2d, at 7 p. m., at No. 61 Louisiana avenue.
As important business is to be transacted at each of the above meetings, a full attendance is requested.
By order of the Board of Directors.
GEO. SAVAGE, President.
G. P. HOPKINS, Secretary. fe 25-4d

CONGRESSIONAL.

SENATE.—Yesterday after our report closed—The Senate, on motion of Mr. Harlan, non-concurred in the House amendments to the bill appropriating $15,000 for the temporary relief of the destitute population of the District of Columbia.

Mr. Wilson called up the bill to provide for the sale, by the Secretary of War, of lands, tenements, and water privileges, belonging to the United States, at or near Harper's Ferry, West Virginia. [The Committee on Military Affairs recommend an amendment, donating a certain portion of these lands to a college chartered by West Virginia.]

After some general discussion of the bill and amendment—

Mr. Willey said that at the close of the war the works at Harper's Ferry having become almost worthless, he introduced a resolution in 1866 inquiring whether it was the intention of the War Department to continue the manufacture of arms at that place, and that Department had replied that it could not be used to advantage save as a temporary ordnance depot, and recommended that the property be sold. He said the bill provided that the United States should be reimbursed for the expense originally incurred there in lands or improvements, and would not tax the Treasury in the least. The lands would probably sell for $200,000 or $300,000, about the original cost, and he estimated it to be worth a million. The balance would be applied to free schools, which were very much needed in Virginia.

The amendment was agreed to.

Further amendments were agreed to, requiring the sale to be at public auction, giving a credit of one and two years, with proper security, and providing for notice of sale being given in Washington, New York, and Cincinnati, for sixty days previous; and the bill passed.

HOUSE.—Yesterday, after our report closed—The House in Committee of the Whole laid aside the Indian Appropriation bill, and took up the Civil and Diplomatic Appropriation bill, which was discussed at some length.

Without disposing of the subject the Committee rose.

Mr. Archer presented resolutions from the citizens of Baltimore in relation to the rights of American citizens abroad. Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs. Adjourned.

EXPECTED FENIAN RAID ON BRITISH COLUMBIA.—A telegram from Victoria says that it is reported that a Fenian Head Centre had arrived there, and that they were in receipt of dispatches from reliable parties in San Francisco announcing the intention of the Fenians to make a raid on British Columbia. It created considerable excitement, and it is said that the information is of such a nature that Admiral Hastings deemed it prudent to take precautionary steps immediately. The banking-houses also are taking active steps toward securing themselves from the impending danger.

☞ One dressmaking establishment in Boston has adopted the French fashion, and a male modiste fits the garments of its fair customers.

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CAPITAL STOCK, $2,000,000.
NUMBER OF SHARES, 4,000.
VALUE OF EACH SHARE, $500.
MONTHLY DUES ON EACH SHARE, $1.25.
Meeting—SECOND THURSDAY of each month at Temperance Hall.
Subscriptions for stock received and copies of the constitution gratuitously furnished by any one of the officers or Directors.
President—JOHN T. GIVEN, (Harvey, Clark & Given,) 10th street, between D and E sts.
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Treasurer—JOHN R. ELVANS, (J. R. Elvans & Co.,) 309 Pennsylvania avenue.
Secretary—G. ALFRED HALL, 500 Ninth street.
THOMAS NORFLEET, (Kneesi & Norfleet) 499 7th street.
ALBERT G. HALL, Collector of Taxes, City Hall.
Col. WM. L. BRAMHALL, Collector's Office, City Hall.
J. E. WAUGH, Treasurer's Office, Treas Dept.
DAVID H. LAMB, War Department.
Gen. JOHN S. CROOKER, City Post Office.
J. W. DRANE, Builder, 525 M street north.
S. A. PEUGH, 462 11th street.
JOHN W. SIMMS, S. E. cor. 9th and M streets.
fe 15-tf
[Intel., Chron., Rep., Sun. Her., Exp., Con. U.-tf]

☞ NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS OF WASHINGTON CITY.
The Board of Assessors having completed the annual assessment, hereby give notice that they will sit as a Board of Appeals, and for the purpose of making corrections, from SATURDAY, February 15th, to March 1st, 1868, (Sundays excepted,) at the west room in the west wing of the City Hall, from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m., each day.
By order of the President
JOSHUA WHITNEY,
fe 14-eotM1 Sec'y of the Board of Assessors.

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AN EXTENSIVE BOOT AND SHOE HOUSE,
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SEVENTH STREET,
Two doors south of K and Northern Market.
fe 5-tf

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Dr. L. ALCAN, recently in charge of Electricity and Medicated Vapor Baths at the various United States Army General Hospitals, office southwest corner of 12th street and Penna. ave., cures Rheumatism, Eruptions of the Skin, Colds, Gout, Debility, Affection of Paralysis, Absorption of Mercury, and Female Complaints. de 10-6m

☞ SPECIAL NOTICE.
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NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY,
352 PENN. AVENUE, WASHINGTON, D. C.
Having received a new and complete set of Instruments for the production of the new Cabinet Card Photograph, we are now prepared to make that popular card in the first style of the art, at greatly reduced prices.
fe 8 1m JAMES F. GIBSON.

VENISON.
Just received, a superior lot of VENISON HAMS, and prime ROLL BUTTER.
fe 27-1w J. A. BLUNDON & CO., 112 Bridge street, Georgetown.

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And as "the proof of the pudding is in eating it," call and be convinced at
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(late clerk of W. B. Moses,)
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P. S.—The largest and cheapest assortment of Lounges in the city. fe 27 1m

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For sale by
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IS CONDUCIVE TO HEALTH,
AND
GREATLY BENEFITS THE INVALID.
I respectfully request the careful attention of the Public to the following certificate of ANALYSIS:
WASHINGTON, February 13, 1868.
C. F. Perrie, Esq.:
SIR: At your request I have examined the several kinds of Wines and Liquors sent me. They are PURE and well adapted for MEDICINAL USE. The details of the examination is as follows:
CALIFORNIA PORT WINE, red color, pleasant flavor and yields—Alcohol, eleven per cent.; Grape Sugar, seven per cent.; Dry Tartaric Acid, 0.35. CALIFORNIA ANGELICA, a sweet yellow wine, yields—Alcohol, 13 per cent.; Grape Sugar, 15 per cent.; Acid, 0.35 per cent. CALIFORNIA MUSCATEL, a white sweet wine, yields—Alcohol, 16 per cent; Grape Sugar, 13 per cent.; Acid 0.31 per cent.
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The great Alcoholic strength of these Wines accounts for the excess of free and unfermented sugar found only in strong Southern wines.
HENRY ERNI,
Late Chief Chemist, Department of Agriculture.
The above Wines I intend to make a SPECIALTY. They come from Perkins, Sterns & Co., of New York, the Agents for the MOST CELEBRATED VINEYARDS in California, and may always be depended upon for purity and excellence. C. F. PERRIE,
fe 26-6tif Corner Ninth and I streets.

THE ORIGINAL FRANC. fe14-1m

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For sale at
PRINCE'S LOAN OFFICE,
fe 19-1y 277 Pa. ave., bet. 10th and 11th sts.

WANTS.

WANTED—A NO. 1 RESTAURANT COOK at J. H. SHAFFIELD'S, 245 Pennsylvania avenue. fe 27-3t*

WANTED—A HOME FOR A BOY 13 years of age, speaks English and German. Apply by letter to F. W. ROTH, U. S. Patent Office. 1t*

GIRL WANTED—One that thoroughly understands Washing and Ironing may apply at 460 11th st., near F st. References required. fe 27-3t*

WANTED—A MAN at Skating Park, for watch man in summer. Also an OFFICE BOY, 126 Pennsylvania avenue, between 19th and 20th streets. 1t

WANTED—An active or silent PARTNER with from three to four thousand dollars capital, in a well paying and doing business. References exchanged. Address J. P. Star Office. fe 27-eo3t*

WANTED—At 445 13th street, a first-class COOK. The highest wages will be paid to one that can give satisfaction. fe 26 3t*

WANTED—A SITUATION as Clerk or Porter in a store, by one who has had experience in the shoe business. Address A. F. M., Star Office. fe 26-3t*

WANTED TO BUY FOR CASH—A HOUSE containing from five to seven rooms, in a good neighborhood. Inquire of
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WANTED—One or two unfurnished Rooms and Board for gentleman and wife. Location must be between 4th and 14th, E and L streets. References given and required. Address Box 5 Star Office. fe 26-3t

WANTED—A middle-aged WOMAN as house keeper for a small family; some well recommended; good wages given. Inquire of JOHN McPHERSON, 466½ street, bet. Pa. ave. and Missouri avenue. fe 26-3t*

WANTED—Immediately, 3 first-class LAUNDRESSES. Inquire at 318 E street, bet. 13th and 14th, near National Theatre, between the hours of 4 and 5 o'clock p. m. None but those who understand the business perfectly need apply.
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WANTED—To rent a BAKE OVEN, with or without store. Address T. J., 317 8th street north, Washington. fe 26-3t*

WANTED—$1,000, sums large or small, in two, four, and six months.
D. L. WELLS & CO.,
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MEN WANTED—To drive ice wagons. No one need apply unless he can give undoubted evidence that he is honest, energetic, obliging, and has sense enough to treat all of his customers respectfully.
F. T. FOWLER,
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WANTED—All kinds of OLD BOOKS, at the CHEAP BOOK AND STATIONERY STORE, 275 F street, near 13th. A complete set of CONGRESSIONAL GLOBES for sale. fe 18 1m

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THE ORIGINAL FRANC. fe14-1m

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WANTED—First class White Cooks, Washers and Ironers. Situations wanted by Gardeners, Farm Hands and Dairy Women in the country. Also, Salesmen and Porters desire Situations in Grocery and other Stores, and an active colored boy for waiter or driver for a Doctor. ja 15-eoly

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LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Near Penna. avenue and 10th street, a WRITTEN SPECIFICATION of a large building. The finder will confer a favor by leaving it at this office. 1t*

LOST—Yesterday, on the avenue, a Ladies' Malachite SLEEVE BUTTON—a green Stone set in gold. A suitable reward will be given if the finder will return it to 343 19th street, between I and K. fe 27-3t*

$5 REWARD—Strayed away, on the 25th inst., a small red COW, with tops of both horns cut off, four years old. The above reward will be given for her recovery. PATRICK DOWNEY,
fe 26-3t* Third street, between D and Virginia avenue, Island.

LOST OR STOLEN—A SCOTCH TERRIER; short tail and ears; cream color, with silver collar on. A liberal reward will be paid for his return to 296 Pennsylvania avenue. fe 25-3t*

THE ORIGINAL FRANC. fe14-1m

BOARDING.

BOARDING—Mrs. JANE TAYLOR has now for rent, with first-class BOARD, several large and desirable front ROOMS, at 411 3d street, between Penn'a avenue and C street. fe 27-5t*

A DESIRABLE SUIT OF ROOMS, NEWLY and handsomely furnished, for rent at 76 Indiana avenue, with or without board; terms low. fe 26-3t*

FOR RENT—ROOMS in suits, for families, with BOARD. Inquire at 452 6th street, between E and F. fe 26-3t*

VICTORIA HOTEL,
(formerly Hotel Gerhardt's,)
383 Penna ave, between 4½ and 6th sts.
fe 24 1m* F. STOSCH, Proprietor.

EVERETT HOUSE—ROUX RESTAURANT, 218 F street, between 14th and 15th.
Service a la Carte. Boarders at $25 a month. Private dining-rooms for ladies and gentlemen. Particular attention given to parties at short notice.
VICTOR ROUX,
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GOOD BOARD, with comfortable ROOMS, in a healthy location and short distance from most of the Departments, can be had on reasonable terms at 218 K st., bet. 17th and 18th. fe 21 1m*

PLEASANT ROOMS, WITH FIRST-CLASS BOARD, at No. 441 5th street, between D and E, opposite City Hall. fe 19 3w

TABLE BOARD AT $20 PER MONTH—Served out at $25 per month—at 481 E street, between 3d and 4th, near City Hall fe 14-eo5t*

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WITH
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At the Manufactory of
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I desire to call the special attention of our citizens to the following ANALYSIS of the GENUINE "GIBSON WHISKIES," a stock of which it is my intention to keep *constantly on hand.*
"ANALYSIS.
"Old and highly flavored. Yields alcohol, 51 *per cent.*; NO FUSIL OIL COULD BE TRACED, which is present in ALL new or POORLY rectified whisky
HENRY ERNI, M. D.,
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The above Whisky is kept constantly on hand, and will be sold to the public at the lowest prices.
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fe 26 6tif Corner Ninth and I streets.

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A NEW DISCOVERY IN OPTICS.
This little instrument enables the operator to see the inside of his own eye. It detects foreign substances; shows cataracts forming, &c. Its use improves weak eyes, cross eyes, and near-sightedness. Everybody should have one. Sent by mail for 50 cents. Silver plated $1.
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REMNANTS ON SALE.
Having just completed an inventory of stocks, we find on hand quite a large lot of Remnants of various kinds, and have had them all measured and marked at the VERY LOWEST CASH PRICE with the quantity in each peice.
We also have on sale a large assortment of
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and other White Goods, which we are selling at very low prices.
ALSO,
New style Spring Calico, in good quality, and Slirting Cottons in all the leading makes, at the lowest market price.
One Price only.
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TEAS! TEAS!! TEAS!!!
Pure Imperial, Gunpowder, Young Hyson, Oolong, Japan, and English Breakfast TEAS, in store, and for sale at the lowest market rates, by C. F. PERRIE,
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FOR SALE—A fine young HORSE, six years old next spring; good size, kind and gentle, and works well to britch of wagon. Apply Star office. fe 26-3t*

FLOUR! FLOUR!!
WELCH'S PREMIUM FAMILY FLOUR
RAY'S ARLINGTON MILLS FAMILY FLOUR
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Just received and for sale at the lowest market rates, by C. F. PERRIE,
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FISH! FISH!! FISH!!!
ST. GEORGE'S BANK CODFISH,
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FAMILY ROE HERRING,
SMOKED ROE HERRING,
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SALT SHAD.
Just received, and for sale by
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FOR SALE AND RENT.

FOR RENT—STORE HOUSE No. 93 Louisiana avenue, between 9th and 10th sts. Inquire next door fe 27 3t*

FOR RENT—FRAME HOUSE, seven rooms, gas and water; newly papered and painted; 551 1 street. $30 a month. In advance. Inquire 490½ Massachusetts avenue, bet. 4th and 5th sts. 1 27 3t*

FOR RENT—One nice three-story brick HOUSE, containing nine rooms, with gas, and water in the yard. Apply to W. C. JOHNSON, 341 9th st. Rent $38 per month. fe 27 3t*

FOR RENT—A comfortably FURNISHED HOUSE, 367 I street; or FURNISHED ROOMS for rent; or part of Furniture for sale. Apply on the premises. fe 27-4t*

FOR RENT—A new HOUSE, containing eight rooms, on 19th street, near K street. Also, BRICK HOUSE, six rooms, with gas and water, front and back yard. GEO. A. LANE,
fe 27-3t* 175 K street, bet. 18th and 19th sts.

FOR RENT—Several nicely FURNISHED ROOMS, on the first and second floor, at No. 456 14th street, between F and G streets, one square from the Ebbitt House and Treasury Department. fe 27 3t*

FOR RENT—A very desirable seven room HOUSE; part of Furniture for sale. Also, several Frames and Brick for sale or rent.
THOS. E. WAGGAMAN, 126 Penn avenue.
fe 27-6t

FOR RENT—The large and desirable STORE ROOM, No. 344 Pennsylvania avenue, under Washington Building, at present occupied by Moses Hersh. Possession to be had April 1. For terms apply to JOHN H. SEMMES, Seaton House.
MURRAY & SEMMES.
fe 27-eodtf [Exp. & Balt Sun.]

FOR SALE—A FARM of 100 acres, in Virginia, about three miles from Georgetown, formerly owned by one of the wealthiest men in Virginia; well fenced; has a fine Brick House, Brick Stable, and other out buildings; a good flower garden, fine shrubbery, &c. This estate will be sold cheap, and is well worthy the attention of buyers. For further particulars apply to D. L. WELLS & CO., corner Louisiana avenue and 6th st. fe 26-10t

FOR RENT—A three story FRAME HOUSE, 8 rooms, fine hall and saloon parlor, 164½ New York avenue, near New Jersey avenue. Rent $35. fe 26 3t*

FOR RENT—Near City Hall, at No. 4 4½ street, Furnished Front and Back ROOMS; fire and gas included. Board can be had next door.
fe 25-3t*

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished PARLORS, with bed chambers attached; also, board if required. Inquire at No. 333 L street, near 18th street. fe 25-3t*

THREE FURNISHED ROOMS, together or separate, for housekeeping or single gentlemen. Hydrant, gas, fuel, lock up, cooking stove; every accommodation. Very pleasant. 492 E st., between 8th and 6th. fe 25-3t*

TO LET—DWELLING No. 481 north M, bet 11th and 12th west. Possession given 1st March if desired. Apply on the premises, between 10 a. m. and 2 p. m., or to WM. H. BROWNE, Att'y-at-law, southeast corner 9th and F sts. fe 25-3t

FOR RENT—ROOMS, furnished or unfurnished, on first, second, third, or fourth stories, from $8 to $100 per month; elegant rooms and beautiful location. Call at 194 I street, between 20th and 21st streets, from 3 to 5 o'clock, p. m. Board furnished if desired. fe 25-1w*

HOUSE FOR RENT—Will lease for a term of months, the new two-story BRICK HOUSE on 14th street, between Q and R streets. Has cellar, and water in house; large lot of ground. A large and commodious Barn will be rented with the House if desirable. Location healthy, and every way desirable. Apply to WM. L. BRAMHALL, from 10 to 3, at the Collector's office, City Hall, and from 4½ to 8 p. m., at 420 Rhode Island avenue. fe 25-2t

BARGAINS CERTAIN.
For sale, 25 by 100, LOT on 7th street, near S, improved by two Frame Houses, renting for $15, cheap, $1,400.
15 BUILDING LOTS, near the Depot, 20 feet front, at $225 and $220 each, only $50 cash required.
Several HOUSES, 5 and 6 rooms each, 15x100, on Massachusetts ave., $2,000 to $2,300. Also, Building LOT, 25x100, only $8 0.
LOT, 54x100, on N street, between 23d and 24th, at 20 cents.
8 Brick and Frame HOUSES, from 5 to 11 rooms each, cheap.
A number of small PLACES of from 1½ to 40 acres, near the city, for sale and exchange.
Special attention paid to all classes of collection. Tenants procured grat